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Quincy, Jan. 31. tf

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Quincy Aug 26 1p tf

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

THE LADYSMITH SIEGE

Relieved by the Arrival of Dundonald's Cavalry.

Garrison Had Been Beleaguered For Four Months.

Success of Movement Attributed to the Great Strategy of Roberts.

Great Britain Is Swept by a Perfect Tornado of Patriotic Excitement.

London, March 2.—All England is wild with joy over the relief of Ladysmith. The tide of war seems to have turned with a vengeance. The general belief is that the Boer offensive campaign has completely collapsed, and that henceforth they will fight only on the defense.

Lord Roberts is the idol of the hour. His praises are sung from one end of the land to the other. Buller, too, is receiving a large share of praise.

Britons feel that they are living in the presence of momentous events. Tornadoes of patriotic excitement are whirling through the country. Even the dullest soul must have been stirred by the emotions of yesterday, and London's 6,000,000 were raised to a high pitch of patriotic exaltation.

LORD DUNDONALD.

Lord Lansdowne chose the psychological moment to announce estimates exceeding £61,000,000, and rather startled the public by unfolding the program of the war office to send out, in addition to the 30,000 troops now afloat, 56,000 fresh soldiers. Lord Roberts will ultimately have a force of a quarter of a million. An order has reached Woolwich arsenal for the construction of 224 new guns, from three-pounders to 12-inch guns. Of these 140 are to be naval guns. Already 25,000 workmen are employed at the arsenal and 3000 more will be engaged. These decisions to send out more troops and to increase the home armament meet with universal approval.

The Boers seem to have gotten quite away from around Ladysmith without losing a gun or their baggage. Van Reenen's pass is only about 20 miles from Ladysmith.

The conditions at Ladysmith are now better understood, as the military authorities no longer retain their special information. It appears that, since the middle of January, the horses have been half starved and altogether too weak either to drag guns or to carry cavalrymen. Hence the impossibility of dashing out to help General Buller attack the Boers. These half-starved animals were carefully saved for food.

Lord Dundonald's cavalry entered Ladysmith Wednesday night. General Buller, whose main body is apparently at Nelthorpe, four miles south, visited General White Thursday. The country south of Ladysmith he reports cleared of the Boers. The siege of 119 days has been raised, and only the arrival of convoys with food and supplies for the long-suffering garrison is necessary to complete the relief of the town, a task which has cost Buller's army upwards of 5000 men.

To the strategy of Lord Roberts is due the relief of Ladysmith at this time. His invasion of the Free State and capture of Cronje's army has made the Boer positions in Natal and north Cape Colony untenable, and it was undoubtedly due to the fact that the main Boer army before Ladysmith was withdrawn to the second line of defense that Buller was able to fight his way to his present position, from which is was possible to dispatch a flying column into the beleaguered town.

Had the Boer army remained in force it is entirely probable that Buller would still be south of the Tugela. Weakened though the forces of the Boers were they have made a strong rear-guard fight, and have compelled Buller to pay dearly for every advantage gained. The enemy has been given time to withdraw the bulk of his heavy artillery, and undoubtedly will succeed in getting out of the fatal triangle without serious loss, as Buller cannot apparently move quickly enough to cut him off at any point.

Dundonald is the first British officer outside his immediate command who has grasped General White's hand in a period of 119 days of perilous siege. During that time, covering almost exactly four months, the British garrison has steadfastly held out in the face of more or less continuous bombardment, of steadily diminishing stores of food and ammunition, and of at least two determined attempts to carry the town by assault. The credit for this energetic and, with the exception of some early strategic errors, due some of them to political considerations, effective defense will be very generally awarded General White, who, up to this time at least, has won the chief laurels of the campaign in Natal.

LIVES OF JUDGES THREATENED.

Alleged Reason For Postponement of Court of Appeals Argument In Kentucky.

Frankfort, Ky., March 2.—The court of appeals yesterday entered an order postponing the argument docket till the spring term, which begins in April. The order of the chief justice does not give the reason for this action, but merely states that the judges will hold their consultations at which cases will be decided as usual, and that the court will convene on the bench whenever the occasion demands it. In Democratic circles it is said this action was taken on account of stories that the lives of two of the judges had been threatened.

The two factions of the state government are proceeding each in full operation, but with nothing approaching a clash pending the litigation over the offices.

Alleged Murderers Arraigned.

New York, March 2.—Three persons charged with murder in the first degree were arraigned and pleaded not guilty before Judge Newburg yesterday. They were Frank Marino, an Italian, charged with having killed Eugino Luciana; Alvin O. Collins, accused of killing Elmer E. Kipp and Joseph Victor; and Emil Johnson, charged with havnig killed Emil A. Diekert. After arraignment all were sent back to the tombs.

A War Tax Question.

Boston, March 2.—An attachment in the sum of $10,000 has been placed in the hands of a United States marshal to serve on Collector of Internal Revenue Gill for Herbert L. Hildreth, manufacturer of candy, advertised to cure coughs, colds, etc. Mr. Gill had decided that this brand of candy was subject to the war tax, holding that it advertised as a patent medicine. The tax was paid under protest.

Headed Off by Devery.

New York, March 2.—Chief of Police Devery has instructed all officers to prefer charges, should it be found that patrolmen were raising a corruption fund to influence legislation giving them eight-hours' duty. It is said that the Patrolmen's Benevolent association had decided to collect from each member $10 for this purpose. Should each member contribute $10, the fund would reach $60,000.

Charged With Manslaughter.

Boston, March 2.—Joseph H. Sheehan of Cambridge is charged with manslaughter in causing the death of Carl L. Thorpe of Cambridge in a barroom on Tuesday evening. Thorpe died from choking, due to a hemorrhage caused by an injury to the throat. Sheehan appeared in court Thursday, and the case was continued until March 9, $3000 bail being furnished.

Had Lost His Courage.

Boston, March 2.—Discouraged over the loss of considerable money in unsuccessful business ventures, and by the further fact that he was gradually losing his hearing, Arthur Atkinson of the brokerage firm of Arthur Atkinson & Co. attempted suicide yesterday by shooting. Physicians say he cannot recover. Mr. Atkinson is unmarried and 39 years old.

Colonel Porter and Wife Injured.

New York, March 2.—Colonel Henry W. Porter and his wife were seriously injured last night. Their coach was struck by a trolley car, and they were buried in the wreck. Colonel Porter was very severely hurt about the head, and his wife was injured about the body. Colonel Porter commanded the Seventh Vermont volunteers during the Civil war.

Sentiment In Favor of Battleships.

Washington, March 2.—Members of the house naval committee, in an informal discussion yesterday of the policy to be pursued regarding new ships for the navy, developed the fact that a considerable number of them favor two battleships in place of 10 small gunboats, three armored cruisers, three protected cruisers and four gunboats.

Attended to Miller's Advertising.

Cleveland, March 2.—Cecil Leslie, who was private secretary and press agent to W. F. Miller of the Franklin syndicate, Brooklyn, was arrested here last night by a New York detective. Leslie has been indicted with Miller. He denied complicity in the swindling operations, claiming that he only acted as advertising manager for Miller.

Bank President Sent to Prison.

Chicago, March 2.—Edward S. Dreyer, former president of the bank of E. S. Dreyer & Co. and treasurer of the West Park board, has been found guilty of withholding from his successor as treasurer $316,000 of the West Park funds. The jury fixed the punishment at an indeterminate term in the penitentiary.

Mill Stocks Soar Upward.

Fall River, Mass., March 2.—The renewal of offers by the Wade, Guthrie & Barrow syndicate of New York for the purchase of local mill properties has had the effect of booming the mill stock market to such an extent as to send many shares up to a point $5 higher than the last weekly quotation.

☞ Carpets Cleaned—Taken up and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

LIKELY TO BE SHORT.

Signs of a Speedy Settlement of Strike In Granite Quarries.

Edge Taken Off by the Agreement at Barre, Vt.

Cutters In Several Places Will Adhere to Agreements Running to May 1.

Boston, March 2.—From information received in Boston, which has the headquarters for the Granite Manufacturers' association of New England and the Granite Cutters' National union, it appears that nearly all the manufacturers seem willing to adopt the proposed eight-hour workday, and a number of them granted the increase in wages also; but some of them have refused to comply with the request of the union and their journeymen struck.

The Barre, Vt., cutters have accepted the manufacturers' offer of an eight hour day, with an average of 35 cents an hour, in place of a minimum of $3 a day, as the union demands. The actual terms of this agreement have been questioned, however, and until the other manufacturers ascertain definitely whether the 35 cents at Barre is "minimum" or "average" hourly wage, the strike will remain in force.

The strike has developed some interesting features. The union officials early predicted that every quarry would be tied up, but in doing so they forgot that in several places, especially in Boston, the local cutters had agreements with their employers to adjust the wage schedule on May 1. At such points, accordingly, the union men made their word good, and probably before their time comes to readjust conditions a precedent will obviate a contest. Again, although the union's demand, written in definite terms, was made on the manufacturers months ago, it did not hesitate to sanction compromise offers, and this willingness to reach a settlement points unmistakeably to an early resumption of work in quarries all over New England.

The Barre agreement having taken the edge off the strike, as it were, interest centered in Quincy, with its 2500 cutters. It developed that no opposition is made to the eight-hour day in any quarry in New England. The Quincy manufacturers offered a minimum of 33 cents per hour, which the union's committee refused to entertain, insisting instead on the Barre agreement, as they understood it, of a 35-cent minimum. Then the manufacturers raised the point that Barre manufacturers only guaranteed an average of that figure, and with little debate the Quincy employers decided to carry the matter to the New England Granite Manufacturers' association for a decision. This association represents a majority of the big quarries, and has already told the union that it did not see the way clear to grant the demand. The margin in contention at the end of the first day of the strike is so small that a resumption of work does not seem far distant. It is likely that the settlement in Quincy will end all trouble throughout New England, but if Quincy granite yards remain still from 6000 to 7000 journeymen cutters will remain idle.

Newfoundland Loses a Statesman.

St. John's, March 2.—Sir Frederick Carter, former chief justice of Newfoundland, is dead. He was in his 82nd year. Judge Carter was speaker of the Newfoundland house of assembly from 1861 to 1865; was premier and attorney general from 1865 to 1870, and again from 1874 to 1878. He was the first colonial statesman upon whom Queen Victoria conferred knighthood.

At Least Two Lives Lost.

Philadelphia, March 2.—The unusually heavy rain for the past two days, coupled with the melting ice and snow, has caused severe floods in the central part of Pennsylvania in the anthracite coal regions. Two lives have been lost and many industries have been forced to suspend work, including a large number of coal mines.

Lee Brooks' Awful Death.

Victoria, B. C., March 2.—China advices say that Lee Brooks, whose murder has been reported, was stripped and dragged about the streets for a day and was finally hacked to pieces with swords and knives, and then beheaded, his dismembered remains being thrown into a ditch.

A Substantial Surplus.

Washington, March 2.—The total government receipts for February were $45,631,265, and the expenditures $37,738,472, leaving a surplus for the month of $7,892,793. During the last eight months the total receipts have exceeded the expenditures by $37,763,000.

Illicit Still In Gotham.

New York, March 2.—A complete still, with $5000 worth of appurtenances, many barrels of whisky and sour mash, etc., was discovered yesterday by the police at 61 Jefferson street. They arrested Philip Alpes, and the federal authorities were notified.

To Cure Nervousness in One Week
To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

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Carpets that are made for service, the latest and most popular designs, and best of all, our money saving prices. Our Carpets fully guaranteed.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,

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BY THE BAG OR BARREL AT BOSTON PRICES.

2,000 POUNDS OF MOCHA AND JAVA COFFEE.

At the old prices and its the finest lot ever offered by us.

GROUND WHILE YOU WAIT.

Six Months' Stock of Formosa Tea Just Arrived.

That for fine flavor excels any tea ever before offered in Quincy at any price. Ask for free sample.

THE STAR TEA AND COFFEE STORE,

Opposite Fountain, Quincy.

Feb. 23. tf

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You pay nothing for reputation in shoe buying here, for we believe in reasonable profits.

We give you the biggest stock of desirable shoes to select from at the lowest possible prices for reliable goods.

The Leading Shoe Store.

Geo. W. Jones,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

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On the Corner Hancock and Saville Streets.

Choice Beef, Fancy Lamb, Pork, Veal and Poultry.

CANNED GOODS, VEGETABLES and FRUIT.

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Quincy, Feb. 17. tf

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	25	29	30	49	43
Monday,	23	30	34	40	32
Tuesday,	12	34	52	43	28
Wednesday,	32	45	58	39	30
Thursday,	42	41	50	40	27
Friday,	41	39	41	42	54
Saturday,	—	45	41	40	52

New Advertisements Today.

Wanted—A girl for general housework.
Hearings—State House (2).
Dissolution Notice.
Quincy Real Estate Trust—Buildings to let.
For Sale—Furniture and Bedding.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Russel Sage is out with an interview telling the youth of the country how to become successful in life. Success, it is unnecessary to add, in the estimate of men like Sage, goes no further than getting together a pile of money, no matter what the "business methods," for somebody else to have a good time with when they are dead and gone.—Milford Journal.

☞ As long as we have inequality we will have injustice and shame. Must we have inequality, then, always? I do not think so. As near as we can conceive it or forecast it, the new condition, the equality of the future, will be the enlargement of good society to the whole of humanity. We say we must change human nature if we want human brotherhood. We really mean that we must change human conditions, and that is quite possible.—William Dean Howells.

☞ There have been many parallels between the Boer war and our own disturbances of 35 years ago. The surrender of Cronje is the latest event to find its counterpart in the War of the Rebellion. On July 4, 1863, Gen. Pemberton was forced to surrender to Gen. Grant, unconditionally. This has always been regarded as an important victory for the Union army, but it will be recalled that nearly two years more of hard fighting was required before the final triumph of the federal government. So it is in South Africa. The surrender of Cronje is an encouraging incident of the Boer war to the people of Great Britain, but it will take many months to bring Joubert to terms, if we accept the analogy that apparently exists between the two wars.—Lynn Item.

☞ It is as undesirable as it is impossible to try to feed the minds of children only upon facts of observation or record. The immense product of the imagination in art and literature is a concrete fact with which every educated being should be made somewhat familiar, such products being a very real part of every individuals actual environment. Do we not all know many people who seem to live in a mental vacuum—to whom we have great difficulty in attributing immortality, because they apparently have so little life except that of the body? Fifteen minutes a day of good reading would give any one of this multitude a really human life. "The uplifting of the democratic masses depends upon the implanting at schools of the taste for good reading."—President Elliot of Harvard College.

☞ There is a tendency in our American democracy to complain of and condemn the man who assiduously and successfully woos dame fortune. This at first thought seems strange in a land where business activity is its prevalent characteristic and where wealth is so universally sought that foreigners who visit it go home and write books about it and give them the title "The Land of the Almighty Dollar," as if that was the most appropriate of anything to describe America and its people. Nevertheless it is an undeniable and apparent fact that among ourselves we demand of our ideal American that he be generous to a fault and that he spend his time in giving rather than in getting. We are too apt to forget that in order to give largely one must first accumulate and that too liberal giving often defeats the end to be attained. —Beverly Times.

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QUINCY OFFER BETTER THAN BARRE.

The Settlement at the latter Place Said to be on the Average Not on the Minimum.

Quincy Manufacturers Striving for Day Work, and Cutters for Piece Work.

The Manufacturer's Association of New England Pass Upon Barre Settlement Tomorrow.

After the mass meeting of the granite cutters, Thursday, when they practically voted to make a settlement of the present labor difficulty on a basis of a minimum price of 35 cents for eight hours, many were led to believe that the manufacturers, who had already made a offer of 33 cents for eight hours, would raise their offer the additional two cents demanded, and then quickly settle the strike.

As there was to a joint meeting of the two committees Thursday night, it was hoped that this morning would see the threatened labor trouble averted, and the men returning to work at an early date.

The promised settlement, however, did not materialize, and this morning the settlement was as far off as Thursday morning, when the men went out.

The two committees met Thursday evening at the room of the Granite Manufacturers' Association and the men submitted the proposition voted at the morning's meeting, viz.: that the minimum price be 35 cents per hour for eight hours.

The Manufacturers' committee voted not to accede this request, and submitted the proposition they had made before, viz.: an eight-hour day and an average price of 33 cents per hour.

This the men refused to accept and an adjournment followed until Monday night.

There is evidently a misunderstanding concerning the agreement made in Barre, Vt., and upon this hinges in a great measure the settlement of Quincy The manufacturers claim that the answer to their dispatch to Barre. was that settlement had been made for an average of 35 cents per hour. On the other hand the cutters are equally as confident that the settlement made was at a minimum of 35 cents.

Later Thursday evening, it is said the cutters received a dispatch from the Italian branch at Barre, that the settlement was a 35 cent minimum. It is also said that the Italian cutters at Barre are dissatisfied with the settlement made, and will endeavor to have the action nullified.

A meeting of the New England Association executive committee has been called for Saturday evening in Boston. At this last meeting the action of the Barre Manufacturer's Association will come up for endorsement, and it will then probably be known definitely whether the settlement made was a minimum of 35 cents per hour, or an average of 35 cents.

The ordinary layman can perhaps see no difference in a minimum and an average price per hour, but those who know the business can see that there is a vast difference, and that while many compliments have been given Barre because of their quickness in settling their labor troubles, the general public does not seem to realize that in every case Barre has had the advantage of Quincy.

In Barre for several years the settlement has been an average price per hour for day work, while in Quincy the settlement has been a minimum price. The difference between the two briefly stated is this: A munimun of 35 cents means that no cutter employed by the day shall receive less than 35 cents per hour; while an average of 35 cents, means that an average day man shall receive that amount, but if a man employed by the day is not worth that why he is paid what he is worth and nothing more. This being true, if Barre has settled for an average price of 35 cents the offer of the Quincy Manufacturers is even better than that for which the cutters in Barre have settled.

Perhaps the greatest difficulty in the way of early settlements is that the manufacturers desire to conduct their business upon the same plan that all large factories are conducted: that is that each man shall do a certain part of the work. In shoe factories, for instance, no one ever heard of a man starting in and making a shoe from beginning to end. One man does the lasting, another the vamping, and so on until the shoe is finished. This is the method the manufacturers desire to use in the manufacture of a monument. That is, the man best qualified for roughing off, shall do that part, and the man best qualified for finishing, shall do that part. The manufacturers claim by this method the good man can earn as much as he can by piece work and that the manufacturer can produce a finished monument cheaper, and thus compete with other centres.

On the other hand the cutters want piece work and claim that they can earn more and do better by that method so that the trouble is that one side is working to do everything by day work and the other everything by the piece.

Outing of City Officials.

The severe storm Thursday afternoon did not prevent a large attendance of City Officials and members of the City Council to visit the plant of the Fore River Engine Works at Braintree, upon invitation of the company. The special car containing the party left City Square at 2.50 and was accompanied by Supt. Weeks, who saw that they were landed at their destination right side up with care.

In the party were City Clerk Cleaves, City Treasurer Gray, Overseer of the Poor Bass, Tax Collector Baker, Clerk of Council C. A. Spear, Inspector of Plumbing Keniley, Inspector of Board of Health Lennon, Henry H. Faxon, Frank H. Nightingale and Councilmen Hill, Callahan, McLennon, Elcock, Badger, Wilson, Packard, Faxon, Newcomb, Walsh, Nicol, Smith and Poland.

Arriving at the works, the party were taken in hand by Mr. Watson and Mr. Wellington, and for the next two hours they wandered about the works, taking in everything. The trip was a revelation to some of the party, and it is safe to say that they were all repaid for their visit.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 28, 1900.

THE Committee on Education will give a hearing to parties interested in so much of the Governor's address and the annual report of the State Board of Education as relates to skilled supervision of the public schools, at room No. 441, State House, on THURSDAY, March 8, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

WILLIAM TOLMAN, Chairman.
EDW. L. BROWN,
Mar. 2-2t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 1, 1900.

THE Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in report of the Metropolitan District Commission taken from the files of last year; and House Bill No. 924, accompanied by petition of Marcus C. Cook for legislation providing for a greater Boston, by permitting towns and cities adjoining to be annexed by concurrent vote, at room No. 436, State House, on WEDNESDAY, March 7th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

A. A. MAXWELL, Chairman.
A. P. RUSSELL,
Mar. 2-2t Clerk of the Committee.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, James McGrath and Henry McGrath, carrying on business at Quincy under the style or firm names of McGRATH BROTHERS and The Quincy Marble and Granite Works, was on the first day of January, 1900, dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business in the future will be carried on by the said Henry McGrath alone.

HENRY McGRATH,
JAMES McGRATH.
Quincy, Mar. 2. 1t

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OPEN Every Day in the week from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M. Sundays from 6 to 12 A. M. Four Rooms.

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CITY OF QUINCY.

Quincy, Feb. 15, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Assessors will meet at City Hall, on THURSDAYS of each week from 9 until 11 A. M., for the transaction of all business that may come before them for the ensuing year.

Per order of the Board,
JAMES THOMPSON,
Principal Assessor.
Feb. 15. 1p-2w

Married 35 years.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harris celebrated the 35th anniversary of their marriage Thursday evening, at their residence in West Quincy. Although the weather was inclement a large number of relatives and friends flocked to their home, to extend congratulations to the happy couple.

Among those present were:

Charles Leavitt, wife and family, Fred Leavitt and wife, John Ryan and wife Frank Merrill, and wife, John McGilvrey, wife and family, Fred Crowell, wife and family, Peter Barry and wife, Charles Hayes and wife, Samuel Jillett and wife, Mrs. Daniel Hayes and family, George Thayer and wife, William Badger, wife and family, Walter H. Ripley, wife and family, Mrs. John D. Mahoney and family, John Keast and wife, John Pendis and wife, Thomas Foley and wife, Mrs. Mathew Morrissey and family, Mrs. Richard Williams and family, John Watson and wife.

Mrs. John Ballou, Miss Lydia Perry, Miss Ursie Usher, Mrs. Peter Farrell, Miss Lizzie Farrell, Miss Jennie Burke, Miss Eleanor E. Caley, Miss May Sweeney, Miss Emma Sweeney, Mrs. John Farrell, Miss Margaret Farrell, Miss Lucy Barry, Miss Michael F. O'Brien, Miss Olive Grant, Miss Helen O'Brien, Miss Gertrude O'Brien, Mrs. Mary Desmond, Miss Sadie McDonald, Miss Florence Thayer, Mrs. Alexander Shirley, Miss Miller Shirley, Miss Mary Eagan, Miss Belle Eagan, Miss Nellie McNeilly.

James Fennessy, James McWilliams, Charles Wentzell, George Farnum, Albert Farnum, Fred Fuller, Joseph McNeilly James Ryan, Reuben Townsend, Master Frank Gooodhue, Albert Shackley, David Works.

From eight until ten o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Harris received, standing in the bay window amidst a profusion of potted plants and ferns. Miss Phoebe Harris and Miss Louise Mahoney acted as ushers. During the evening several vocal solos were rendered, and many quaint old songs were sung in chorus, old and young participating in them. The piano was presided over at different parts of the evening by Mr. George Ripley, Mrs. Charles Hayes and Miss Florence McGilvary. Recitations and club swinging also added to the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris received an abundance of presents, consisting of silver ware, cut glass, bric-a-brac and linen; also a beautiful black oak sideboard, the gift of their children.

Refreshments were served, and a jolly good time was enjoyed until the midnight hour, when after showering an abundance of good wishes on the happy couple, all departed for their respective homes, thoroughly satisfied with their evening of pleasure.

Amateur Photographs.

The annual amateur camera exhibition at the Y. M. C. A. rooms will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday evening of next week. All amateurs are invited to send exhibitions, which must be at the Y. M. C. A. rooms not later than Monday noon. The pictures will be judged Monday evening by the board of judges, who include F. A. Skinner, C. C. Bradford and George T. Magee. On Friday evening, Mr. T. J. Holcome will give a demonstration of printing on Velox paper. About thirty entries have thus far been received for the exhibition.

TODAY'S COURT.

Lawrence White was arraigned for drunken at Quincy. Case continued until Monday.

William Campbell was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Matt Keisala of Quincy was fined $5 for drunkenness and $5 for disturbing the peace.

Judge Lowell in the United States District Court, Wednesday, authorized Receiver Wing of the Globe National Bank to assent to an offer of compromise made by Sprague Brothers & Co. to their creditors. The offer is 40 cents on the dollar. The insolvent firm accepted drafts drawn by J. P. Squire & Co. amounting to $18,790.60. The receiver reserves the right to hold J. P. Squire & Co. for the balance of 60 per cent.—Globe.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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In moving from Hotel in the Briesler Estate to a House No. 3 Granite street, of less rooms, I have the following lot of Furniture, Bedding, etc., which I will sell at a Bargain.

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Feb. 24. tf

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Charles S. Jose has been confined to his home this week with a bad cold.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Memorial Church gave a very pleasant social Wednesday evening.

An enjoyable whist party was given by Granite Commandery of the Golden Cross, Wednesday evening.

Miss Lizzie Furnald, who has been confined to her home by illness for several days, is reported as convalescent.

Frank Jenkins of Atlantic has purchased a house on Billings street which he will move into with his family as soon as convenient.

Many young ladies and gentlemen of Quincy and neighboring places are working hard in the watch contest of the Wollaston Band.

The recent fair at the West Quincy Methodist church was a grand success, and netted a good sum. The success was due to the fact that all worked zealously.

Although Parker's field was flooded Wednesday, it scarcely had time to freeze over before the rain came with its deluge, and ruined all prospects of skating.

The body of John Barry of West street, who died at Denver, Col., Monday, arrived Thursday. The young man went to Colorado last December for his health.

Clarence Bayard, formerly of West Quincy, and a recent graduate of the Louisville (Ky.) Dental College, left this week for South Dakota, where he intends to settle.

The hall decorations at the High school alumni reunion, March 9, will be in charge of young ladies of the senior class of the school. Patterson furnishes the plants.

The young people of Atlantic held a Picnic social in Memorial Congregational church Wednesday evening. Sandwiches, cake and chocolate were served, and many new games introduced.

Guy Morrill of East Elm avenue has just purchased a handsome incubator which holds 360 eggs. He has set 300 of the pure Wyandotte and in a few weeks will be pleased to supply any one with chickens.

It is pleasing to note that Representatives Sheppard and Sprague were both against the stock watering bill for the Cape Cod canal as it passed the House. Unfortunately they were with the minority.

The old elm tree which has stood as a landmark in front of the Dr. French estate on Chestnut street was felled to the ground today. Some time ago the tree was split during a heavy storm and it was necessary to cut off the branches.

Walter, the seven-year-old son of officer Carl Nicol, fell on Water street Wednesday dislocating his right elbow and fracturing the bone above the elbow. The little fellow was running along the sidewalk at the time when he tripped and fell into the street.

The annual parish meeting of the Memorial Congregational Church, Atlantic, comes next Tuesday evening, Mar. 6, at 8 o'clock. The general public is cordially invited to be present. Good music will be furnished, and refreshments served without charge. It is hoped a large number will be interested in this meeting.

Word has just reached Quincy of the death in San Francisco, Cal., of Mrs. Johana Crowley. She was the widow of Flurence Crowley, the daughter of the late Michael and Elizabeth O'Connor, and the sister of Thomas O'Connor. She left Quincy in 1849 for California. Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Connor were among the first Catholic residents of Quincy.

Councilman William Gasset, Dr. Charles Monroe and Charles R. Cherrington who had planned to give a dance in Poland's hall, Norfolk Downs, February 22, have decided on the sixteenth of this month to hold their party. The question of whether to keep to the original plan, or to have Music hall, Atlantic, the scene of festivity, is yet under discussion.

There were two games of basket ball at Hancock hall on Wednesday evening. The first was between the Quincys and Everett, and was a tie. Upon the play off, however, Everett secured a goal, making the score 10 to 8 in favor of Everett. The second game was between the Quincy Adams and Weymouth High school, and was won by the latter by a score of 12 to 3.

Mr. John Shunk, the well known Wollaston newsdealer, died Thursday evening after an illness of about three weeks' duration. Mr. Shunk was born in Germany in 1844 and came to this country at an early age. By trade he was a wood carver and was for many years in the employ of Chickering & Sons. He had been a resident of Wollaston for a quarter of a century. He is survived by two sons and two daughters.

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Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

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This question arises in the family day. Let us answer it today. Try a delicious and healthful dessert prepared in two minutes. No boiling! ing! simply add boiling water and cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, R and Strawberry. Get a package at your today. 10 cents.

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Short Leg Lamb,	12 cts
Loin of Lamb,	10 cts
Leg of Mutton,	10 cts.
Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts
Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts
Rump Steak,	15 to 20 cts.
Round Steak,	16 cts.
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Beef Liver,	8 cts.
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A FIREMAN'S HOME.

Large Sums Raised for One in This City.

Quincy has obtained considerable prominence recently in Worcester, Lowell and elsewhere as the site for a proposed home for veteran firemen, which exists only on paper. The following dispatch of Thursday, from Lowell, to the Herald, will be read with interest:

Charles E. D'Arcy was arraigned in the police court this morning on a charge of larceny of $5 from John Dennis & Son. He pleaded not guilty, and the case was continued in $300 to March 10. Bail was furnished by C. H. Molloy.

D'Arcy was arrested in Worcester yesterday afternoon on request of the Lowell officers, it having been reported that an individual had been going about the city soliciting and obtaining funds for the establishment of a veteran firemen's home at Quincy. The thing had been denounced as a fraud by Chief Hosmer of the Lowell fire department and by W. T. Cheswell, president of the New England Firemen's League. The solicitor had obtained several hundred dollars, according to the reports sent to the Lowell police, and when they began to investigate the police found that a similar scheme had been worked in Rhode Island and several other places, and apparently by the same individual.

D'Arcy, it is alleged, was one of three men who came to Lowell about two weeks ago and registered at the American House. The other two, according to the hotel register, were John T. McTighe and Joseph S. Hunt. They had a neatly printed and cleverly worded circular, which they distributed, headed "Prospectus of the New England Veteran Home Firemen's Association incorporated under the laws of Massachusetts; Alexander T. Harwood, president; Isaac B. Paine, treasurer; office, 17 Merchant's row."

This circular recited that an association had been formed to furnish to veteran firemen in their declining years a home and comfort free from the restraints and embarrassments peculiar to public institutions.

"We owe the veteran firemen a debt," it said, and "it should be cancelled ungrudgingly and in a spirit which will not impress them with a sense of humiliation and dependence."

For this purpose, the circular went on to say, a fine location had been selected at Quincy, consisting of 40 acres of land. On this it was proposed to erect a building of 150 rooms, one or more of which might be furnished by local veteran firemen's association and occupied by such of their members as might be in need of care.

The circular further stated that all reputable persons of either sex might become members of the association on the payment of $1.

A thorough canvass of the city, was made, the solicitations being generally directed, however, to counting rooms, banks, mills and similar business houses, care being exercised to select those in which were concerned the wealthy and public-spirited men of the city. The project met with a ready response for, assuming the purpose to be bona fide, it was one which strongly appealed to the business men. One of the schemes also was the selling of space in an advertising souvenir.

The soliciting operations came to the notice of Chief Hosmer last week, and he immediately denounced the scheme as probably spurious, and wrote to President Cheswell of the New England Veteran Firemen's Association, who replied:

"I know nothing in regard to a home for the veteran firemen in Quincy. These same parties started this thing some time ago, and I inserted a notice in the newspapers warning people against them. I received a very interesting letter, as a result, condemning me for interference. The person signing the circular is Isaac S. Paine, 17 Merchants row, Boston. I believe it is a beat, and should be stopped."

The local publication of this letter brought the operations of the solicitors to a sudden stop and also brought out evidence hitherto unsuspected of the extent to which the thing had been carried on.

But the solicitors had left town on Saturday. Upon returning to Lowell the following Monday, two of them registered at the Richardson. They were D'Arcy and McTighe. Where the third man went is unknown. It is certain that he returned to Lowell with the other two however.

D'Arcy in court this morning was perfectly imperturbable. He claimed he had been doing nothing wrong, and that his operations were genuinely intended for the purpose claimed for them. Only one charge was made against him, and to that he pleaded not guilty.

According to the new custom in legal pleadings, larceny is made to cover a group of several offences, such as embezzlement, obtaining money under false pretences, etc.

The police asked for a continuance, expecting it is understood, to capture D'Arcy's partners, and the court set the 10th inst. for the hearing.

A bail bond was furnished by Undertaker Charles H. Molloy, who had known D'Arcy in other days.

THE MODEL CITY.

Everybody Will Be Anxious To Visit Quincy.

Board of Trade to Do Great Things for Us.

The Visit of a Western Governor and What He Saw.

(continued from yesterday.)

After one of the finest dinners it was possible to get up the party again resumed the trip. The next place of note was the new Baptist church built of Quincy Granite. "The Baptists" said the guide "were comparatively few in number in this city until the new church was built, since then they have been coming in large numbers and the same can be said of the Methodist denomination."

On the corner of Coddington and Washington streets stands the building of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co. It is unique in one respect as it is built of granite which came from each of the six New England states. This would seem appropriate as the business of the company comes from these states. The building like the company who own it is very substantial and rests on a solid foundation.

The guide noticed a gentleman coming out of the house opposite so he told the driver to stop a moment. The gentlemen appeared to be of but middle age in spite of his white hair and beard as he briskly approached them. The guide then introduced the westerners to Mr. Henry H. Faxon. "Gentlemen" said Mr. Faxon "I am glad to see you; been looking over the city have you?" "Yes" replied Gov. Blank "but I haven't noticed any liquor saloons."

"No sir" said Mr. Faxon "I cleaned them all out a number of years ago and as long as I live you'd better believe the rumsellers won't stand much show in Quincy." As he spoke he slipped into the hands of the two gentleman a number of circulars and "snap shots" for them to read.

"Well," said the guide "we must hurry." So they bid Mr. Faxon goodbye and told him they hoped some day to meet him in the west as he was needed there.

"Now" said the guide "I hardly know where to take you as there are so many things to be seen in this city. I would like to show you Quincy Point, with its many large factories and boat building establishments and its new steel bridge between Quincy and Weymouth. Also the seashore resorts at Houghs Neck, at Wollaston Park, Squantum and Atlantic. And the beautiful view from Wollaston Heights, the stand pipe on Third hill, built in the form of a castle, and hundreds of other things that are worth looking at. I could take you to West Quincy and show you the new St. Mary' church the large granite quarries and also the site of the first railroad in the United States but time will not permit so we will take in what we can near the center of the city before your train departs."

Resuming their journey the new Coddington school house claimed their attention. The guide exclaimed that all the Quincy school buildings were of brick or granite and on account of safety were only two stories high. The basements are used by the children on cold and stormy days only for games. The sanitary conditions are of the best, no children are now obliged to stand out in the cold or storm thereby endangering their health as was formerly the case. No doubt many of them contracted their death cold at such times.

The next point of importance was a few steps from the schoolhouse where the Boulevard extension crosses Coddington street. Turning to the left on the Boulevard they passed on across Greenleaf street to Butler road. Pausing here the guide pointed out the State Boulevard and the Merrymount Park, which he told the visitors were laid out much like Central Park in New York. Over toward the salt water near the John Quincy Adams farm a new boulevard stretched its wide way toward Houghs Neck.

Near the corner of Hancock street and Butler road stands the historic old house built over 200 year ago, the home of Dorothy Quincy, who became the wife of John Hancock. The High school building standing opposite was next pointed out by the guide, who explained that it had been enlarged three times since it was first built. "The granite in the old part" said he, "was the kind generally used in cellar walls. It was used in the school building to show the great variety of granite that could be taken from Quincy quarries.

Leaving the High school building the visitors passed by the Woodward Institute, at which place the guide told something of its history when both gentlemen exclaimed, "just the place for our daughters."

"No," said the guide, "it was built for Quincy born girls only, and hundreds of applications for admission from all parts of the country have to be refused every year." "The building said he, "is often taken by strangers to be some other kind of an institution, owing to its having the appearance of being partly underground. No doubt it will some time be remodelled, so it will indicate the grand purpose for which it was intended.

Next came the Adams Academy for boys, it stands on the site of the house in which John Hancock was born. The guide remarked that boys came here from all parts of the Union, as its equal for fitting boys for college could not be found. Four times it has been enlarged. A large corps of instructors are employed with Dr. William Everett as head master.

Passing under the tracks of the Boynton Bicycle R. R., which runs its trains from Boston to Fall River, at the rate of 100 miles per hour, our visitors arrived at the railroad station. They had been more than pleased, they said, with the manner in which they had been entertained, and were very profuse in their thanks to the guide. "It seems to me", said the Governor, "that we ought to be allowed to pay you for your services."

"No," replied the guide "as I told you at the start, I am not allowed to accept anything, as the Board of Trade consider it a privilege to escort strangers about, our beautiful city. As he spoke he handed each a neat souvenir card on which was printed, "Presented by the Quincy Board of Trade, H. M. Faxon, president, with the names of ex-Mayors Hall, Bates, and others as directors."

The souvenir contained fine engravings of John and John Quincy Adams, also of Henry H. Faxon and of the Board of Trade building.

"Your city will no doubt be repaid for the courtesy shown us," remarked the Colonel, "as we are contemplating the erection of a large public building in our state, and I have no doubt we shall send you large orders for granite.

The electric cars arrived and the visitors were gone, and "Old Quincy," was not forgotten and the "New Quincy" remained to grow.

Warren.

Rubber Trust Saved.

A petition has been circulated and is now in the hands of the proper authority for presentation to the City Council for a sidewalk on Billings Road, down to and along Rawson road to the Massachusetts Fields School. No greater demonstration of the need of this is necessary than to observe any of the residents of the Downs or Park wending their way, attempting to pull first one foot and then another out of the mud. It is said that the success of the rubber trust which was threatened with failure owing to the "poor man's winter," was made possible by the number of rubbers lost by the sectional qualities of the mud on Billings road,—street or sidewalk.

QUINCY BABIES OF 1899.

A Total of 712 or an Average of Very Nearly Two per Day for the Year.

Parents noticing errors of any kind in the births of 1899 as published in the Ledger, are requested to notify City Clerk Cleaves prompty, that corrections may be made before the City Book is printed.

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
August 2.	Albert Aberdeen,	Alexander and Annie
3.	Warren E. Cottrell,	Walter and Ella M.
4.	George Alfred Pitts,	Joseph and Agnes
4.	Berenice Edith Patten,	George and Ida
5.	Thomas Ferguson,	Patrick J. and Margaret
5.	John J. Gallagher,	Henry T. and Philomena
7.	Leon Morton Stoddard,	Arthur P. and Annie M.
9.	——— Cavanagh,	James and Garoline
9.	Agnes M. Smith,	William H. and Agnes
11.	Rose Fruth,	Frank and Rose
11.	——— Frouland,	Andrew P. and Annie
11.	Mary Francis Blaine,	John and Ellen
12.	Pearl Beatrice Barnes,	James M. and Gertrude
12.	Francis Stephen Kelliher,	Michael S. and Mary
13.	——— Berinato,	Giovanni and Ernistine
13.	Marie R. L. Fadette,	Frank E. and Adela
14.	Stillborn.	
14.	Florence D. Thompson,	Oscar and Amanda
15.	Charles Edwin Martin,	Peter and Helen
15.	Marguerite Marie Davis,	John and Carrie
16.	——— Phelan,	John J. and Mary E.
16.	Grace Margaret Vatcher,	Fenton and Margaret
16.	John Elmer Martzer,	John and Minnie
17.	Earl Crosby Cavanagh,	Calvin C. and Jennie E.
18.	Stillborn.	
18.	James D. Houlihan,	James and Annie
18.	Dorothy Hall,	Arthur W. and May
18.	Walter A. Edward,	Lewis and Emma
18.	Walter Burgess,	Lewis F. and Emma R.
18.	——— Ames,	Edward and Marguerite
19.	Stillborn.	
19.	Florence Olive Anderson,	John and Ellen
19.	Louis Nichol Curtis Jr.,	Louis N. and Sophia
19.	James Hicks Foskett,	Charles J. and Edith
20.	Illegitimate.	
21.	George Hudson Strobridge Soule, Jr.	George H. S. and Minnie
21.	——— Porter,	Charles and Agnes
21.	——— Porter,	Charles and Agnes
22.	Elizabeth L. Buckley,	William M. and Elizabeth
24.	May Blake,	E. Wilson and Eva
24.	George D. Gorman,	William and Kate
24.	Ruthie Barton Gorman,	William and Kate
25.	Edward J. Moriarty,	John J. and Agnes
27.	Stillborn.	
27.	Ruth Irene Osgood,	Frederic G. and Emily
28.	Kenneth Lars Osberg,	Frank and Annie S.
28.	Avis Augusta Newcomb,	Elmer E. and Margaret E.
30.	——— Crosta,	Felice and Baptisma
31.	Mabel Robinson Evans,	David J. and Mary A.
31.	Raymond Chester Hood,	Asa and Laura
31.	John Adams Coosa,	Stephen and Theresa

(To be continued.)

In Reply to Observer.

Editors Quincy Ledger:

Mr. Observer says that I ought not be so sanguine about the stone cutters being successful. Now, if he will point out to me one word in my article in the February issue the Granite Cutters Journal, where I even gave the smallest conceivable hint of the success of the granite cutters, then and not till then will I say that his use of the word, sanguine is appropriate in his remarks in your issue of February 28.

He also says my letter caps the climax. It may, but every word of it is true. It is a true statement of the demands of the granite cutters of today, and also a true history of the past, which no man can deny.

He also says, that I evidently forget that those same "numskulls are voicing the sentiments of their employers." Allowing that they are voicing the sentiments of their employers, is that any reason why they should give to the public a wrong idea, and misconstrued meanings of the bill of prices, as presented by the granite cutters? Not at all. I say right here that any one who is acquainted with the fact knows that there is a price bill that goes with the day bill that is to make it more plain when the granite cutters presented a scale of wages to be paid per day, they also presented a scale to govern those working by the piece.

Now, with this knowledge at hand, I say, any one who claims that the granite cutters were asking three dollars per day for all stone cutters, whether they could earn it or not, is a numskull, and if there is any honor or a spark of justice in Observer, he will admit I am justified in using the word numskull. To some more of Observers remarks I will simply ask him, and all those who are criticising my remarks, to take to themselves the words of Bobby Burns, the Scotch poet:

O wad' some power the giftie gie us
To see ourselves as ithers see us;
It wad frae mony a blunder and foolish notion free us.

I won't answer any more if they are not signed by the writer and his proper name.

F. R. Foley.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free)

Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

DIED.

NIGHTINGALE—In Quincy, Feb. 28, Mr. Jeremiah Nightingale, aged 88 years and 21 days.
Funeral from late residence, 169 Granite street, Saturday, March 3, at 2 o'clock, P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

SHUNK—In Wollaston, March 1, Mr. John Shunk of Centeral avenue.

McKENZIE—In Milton, March 1, Mrs. Margaret A., wife of Mr. Adam P. McKenzie, aged 43 years, 1 month and 16 days.

IVORY SOAP PASTE.

In fifteen minutes, with only a cake of Ivory Soap and water, you can make a better cleansing paste than you can buy.

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DIRECTIONS FOR MAKING.—To one pint of boiling water add one and one-half ounces (one-quarter of the small size cake) of Ivory Soap cut into shavings, boil five minutes after the soap is thoroughly dissolved. Remove from the fire and cool in convenient dishes (not tin). It will keep well in an air-tight glass jar. COPYRIGHT 1898 BY THE PROCTER & GAMBLE CO. CINCINNATI

MILTON.

Mr. Shields of the Lower Mills was severely scalded Monday morning by the bursting of a twelve-inch steam pipe. He died that evening from his injuries. He was 69 years of age.

The ladies of the East Milton Congregational church will hold a colonial reception and sale this evening. The entertainment will be by pupils of the Belcher school, under the direction of Miss McDonald.

The first of a series of private dancing parties under the management of Josiah Babcock, Jr., was held Monday evening at Ellsworth hall. It was attended by fifty couples.

The membership of the Unquity club, has now reached seventy-five. The charter list will be kept open until it reaches one hundred.

The fire department was called out Wedneday night to extinguish a brush fire near the Town Hall.

A regular business meeting of the Thursday Evening club was held this week. Next week a musical entertainment will be provided for the members.

Pierce Bros., who recently opened a grain store on Granite avenue, have moved back to Mattapan.

A missionary rally was held at the Baptist church, East Milton, Wednesday evening. Addresses were made by Miss Ella MacLaurin of Boston and Miss Clara Cushman of Newton.

Rev. A. E. Winship gave a lecture Thursday evening at the Belcher school on "Rascals and Saints.

The Parker Anniversary.

Much interest is being manifested by the citizens of Quincy in the coming celebration by the Quincy Teachers Association. The expenses will be larger than either the treasury, or the Association, or the contributions of the teachers can meet. Therefore it will be necessary to ask those interested in the schools and in the good name of this city to help. At least one hundred dollars must be raised. Three men have already contributed one-fourth of this amount.

The following letter has been recieved from Columbia University, New York.

December 8, 1899.

Superintendent H. W. Lull, Quincy Mass.

Dear Sir:—I am highly honored by the suggestion contained in yours of the 8th, and if I can manage my work here so as to accept the invitation to be present at the 25th anniversary of the beginning of Colonel Parker's work in Quincy, to be celebrated on April 20th, next, I shall be most happy to do so.

Yours very truly,
Nicholas Murray Butler,
Faculty of Philosophy.

Real Estate Sales.

City of Quincy to Patrick Carey et al, (2), $33.

City of Quincy to Charles L. Allen, $52.

Charles L. Allen to Ellen B. Edwards, $1.

Luther G. Jones to Delaney A. Roberts, $1.

William H. Donnelly to James A. Donnelly, $1.

William D. Ross to Emma E. Ross, $1.

Elias Larkin to O. C. R. R. Co., $1.

George E. Batchelder to Nathan G. Nickerson, $1.

Alfred L. Picard to George R. Phelps, $1.

Hattie H. Walker to Eldora F. Besse, $1.

Hattie H. Walker to Janet W. Williams, $1.

George F. Watt to Alice D. Place, $1.

Maria Harvey, by mtgee. to Mary S. Alden, $543.

Alline E. Arean to O. C. R. R. Co., $1.

—The british House of Commons voted on February 16 for the £13,000,000 called for in the supplementary army estimates.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

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FOUND—On Water street, a bag of granite tools. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying for this ad. by calling at the Police station. Feb. 28-tf

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CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.

Quincy, April 25. tf

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New York, July 24, 1899

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a.m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a.m.
New Moon	30	3:30 p.m.			

An Insult.

Dragon (reading criticism of pantomime)—They don't give a line about me, and this man calls himself a dramatic critic!—Nuggets.

Accident on the Fitchburg.

Fitchburg, Mass., March 2.—A fast freight train, west-bound, ran into a washout one mile east of Shirley at 10:30 last night, and at least three persons were considerably injured. The engine left the track and went down an embankment. Those injured are Engineer Titus, Conductor Kultz and Brakeman Willman.

Mortgage Registered For $1,000,000.

Fall River, Mass., March 2.—There has been placed on record with the registry of deeds in this city a mortgage of $1,000,000 on the King Philip mill property to secure the issue of bonds recently ordered by the stockholders. The B. M. C. Durfee Safe Deposit and Trust company of this city is the mortgagee.

Called to Washington.

Berkeley, Cal., March 2.—Professor Bernard Moses has left for Washington in response to a telegram received last night from Senator Perkins to consult with President McKinley in regard to his anticipated appointment upon the new Philippine commission.

Philadelphia's Contribution.

Philadelphia, March 2.—Mayor Ashbridge yesterday sent to Senator Hanna a check for $25,000 for the Republican convention, making one-half the sum pledged by the city. Mayor Ashbridge said the full amount would be raised within a short time.

Bridge Partly Destroyed.

Wiscasset, Me., March 2.—Four spans of a bridge over the Sheepscot river, between this place and Edgecomb, were carried away by the ice which had been broken up by heavy rain. All travel between the two towns has been suspended.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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IT MAY BE SHELVED.

Senate Likely to Pass Foraker Substitute For House Puerto Rican Bill.

It Favors Strengthening of Policy of Autonomy.

Gossip Has It That Congress May Wash Its Hands of the Whole Matter.

Washington, March 2.—The Puerto Rico bill was brought into the senate yesterday and at once referred, by request of Senator Foraker, to the committee on Pacific islands and Puerto Rico, of which he is chairman. Legislation and treaties in which the tariff question is touched are not commonly allowed to go to any committee other than that on finance without a contest from the finance committee. No such contest was made in this case, probably because the members of the finance committee, bearing in mind the popular uprising against the spirit of the house bill and the feeling that the Republican party has damaged itself by the course of the house, were not anxious to draw upon themselves a like fire of condemnation.

JOSEPH B. FORAKER.

Mr. Foraker's committee, unless all signs fail, will take the bill which he has already framed, giving Puerto Rico a civil government and imposing tariff duties equal to 25 percent of the Dingley rates, and will substitute it for the house bill by striking out everything in the latter after the enacting clause, but will reduce the 25 to 15 percent. There may be a few other modifications, but all in the direction of strengthening the policy of autonomy on the island. There will not be free trade unless the spirit of things in the committee changes wonderfully from what is understood today.

The senate, if it passes anything on the subject, will probably pass the Foraker substitute, and then it will go back to the house. As the house has indicated no desire to provide a civil government for Puerto Rico, the chances now favor the failure of the Foraker substitute there, and that would mean, of course, the lack of any legislation at this session.

Such an outcome would be more welcome to the president than any course which would be direct responsibility upon him of completing the overthrow of his own proclaimed policy. Meanwhile, an effort will undoubtedly be made to work up a sentiment in the senate in favor of a bill permitting the issue of a loan for Puerto Rican account, and an internal revenue system for the sinking fund for the payment of the principal.

The same reports are afloat in the senate wing of the Capitol as were heard in the house wing last week, that congress will wash its hands of the whole Puerto Rican matter, and by law turning the future control of the island, including the tariff, over to the president. This is the last thing the president desires. But congress could, after the failure of all direct legislation for Puerto Rico, inject a paragraph into one of the great appropriation bills covering this subject. This may be done as a last resort.

Representative Littlefield of Maine had a short conference with the president yesterday. On leaving the White House he said that he had simply called to recommend two men for appointment, and the subject of the Puerto Rican bill was not touched upon. He added, however, that he considered the passage of the bill a grave political mistake which would cost his party dearly.

After being under consideration for nearly 10 days, the bill providing a form of government for the territory of Hawaii was passed by the senate yesterday without division. Mr. Cullom has had charge of the measure.

Mr. Clay (Ga.) delivered a speech on the Philippines. It was a carefully prepared argument in favor of the adoption of the Bacon resolutions, declaring it to be the policy of the United States to turn over the islands to the Filipinos as soon as a stable government could be established by them, under the protection of this country. At the instance of Mr. Foraker the Puerto Rican tariff bill was made the unfinished business, and will be considered as soon as the conference report on the financial bill shall have been disposed of next Tuesday.

The Democrats scored their first victory of the session in the house on the motion to take up the contested election cases of Aldrich vs. Robbins from the Fourth Alabama district. On two separate votes the Democrats, with the aid of two Republicans, Mr. Mondell of Wyoming and H. C. Smith of Michigan, beat the Republicans upon the question of consideration. An agreement was made to consider the Loud bill relating to second-class mail matter March 20, and notice was given that the Wise-Young contested election cases would be called up next Tuesday. A bill was passed to grant an American register to the ship Windward, in which Lieutenant Peary will make an attempt to reach the north pole.

PASSENGER TRAIN WRECKED.

Four Persons Killed and Seven Injured In an Accident at Plainville, Conn.

Plainville, Conn., March 2.—The south-bound passenger train on the Northampton division of the N. Y., N. H. and H. railroad, due to leave Plainville for New Haven at 6:55, but which was nearly 1½ hours late, ran into a washout about two miles from the station. The train went over an embankment. Four passengers were killed and seven were injured.

The body of one passenger killed has been recovered, the other is still in the wreck.

The dead were taken to Farmington by a special train, accompanied by Medical Examiners Osborn and Wright. The injured were later taken to the Hartford hospital.

The wrecked train was made up of engine, baggage and mail car, combination car, passenger car and the pay car in the rear. The train was nearly 1½ hours late and was proceeding cautiously when it struck the washout.

The two unknown passengers killed were in the smoker. There were no women aboard the train.

The scene of the wreck is ordinarily a small rivulet, the waters of which flow through a spacious culvert. Yesterday, however, the water assumed greater proportions, owing to the heavy rain. There were about 150 mail pouches in the wrecked car and but 75 have been accounted for.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 2.—The house yesterday declared in favor of the phonetic system of spelling, a bill to that effect having been introduced by Representative Fitts. The committee on judiciary had reported against the bill.

Without any debate the house passed to be engrossed the bill to permit companies to parade with harmless imitations of firearms.

The bill to make minors responsible for their contracts was rejected.

In the senate the house bills requiring the use of fans or blowers in certain workshops and factories, and for a highway from the Lyman school for boys in Westboro to State street in Westboro were refused admission and were referred to the next general court.

Ta ked of Republican "Masters."

Shreveport, La., March 2.—William J. Bryan received an ovation from a large crowd here yesterday. He severely scored the administration for the passage of the Puerto Rican tariff bill, denouncing it as the first step toward an imperial policy. The Republican congressmen who were whipped into line on that measure, he charged, would vote for anything for this country if ordered by their masters to do so.

To Become a Congregationalist.

New York, March 2.—Professor Arthur C. McGiffert of the Union Theological seminary, author of "A History of Christianity In the Apostolic Age," and the cause of no little doctrinal unrest in the Presbyterian church at this time, has decided to withdraw from that church and join the Congregational body. This action will relieve the general assembly from consideration of a famous heresy case.

"Uncle Alvin" Is Dead.

Pittsburg, March 2.—Charles L. Davis, the well-known character actor and owner of the Alvin theater of this city, died last night, aged 52 years. He had been sick for several weeks with peritonitis and paralysis of the throat. Mr. Davis came of theatrical parents and went on the stage at the age of 5 years. Mr. Davis was known throughout the country as Alvin Joslin, the New England farmer character.

For the "Men Behind the Guns."

Washington, March 2.—Secretary Long has returned to the house military committee with his approval the draft of a bill submitted to him, appropriating $20,000 to provide for medals for the sailors who participated in the battle of July 3, off Santiago. The measure is so framed as to avoid invidious distinctions and the renewal of old animosities.

De Castellane's Deductions.

Paris, March 2.—Count Boni de Castellane has an article in The Gaulois today in which he draws an analogy between British and American imperialism, and says: "If imperialism should triumph definitely in the United States the Latin, Germanic and Slav nations will have to defend themselves in the future against a union of all the Anglo-Saxon forces."

Puerto Rican Bill Condemned.

Portland, Me., March 1.—At the regular monthly meeting of the Portland board of trade it took occasion to emphatically endorse the views expressed by Congressman Littlefield on the Puerto Rican bill. Resolutions condemning the Puerto Rico bill and favoring free trade with that island were unanimously adopted.

Exhibits Reach French Port.

Rouen, March 2.—The United States auxiliary cruiser Prairie, loaded with United States exhibtis for the Paris exposition, arrived here yesterday. Commander Mackenzie called on the prefect, the commander of the Rouen army corps and various other notabilities of the city.

Memorial Makes Serious Charges.

Washington, March 2.—A memorial against the passage of the bill making Adjutant General Corbin a major general has been sent to senators and representatives. It makes some very serious charges, which are indignantly denied by Corbin's friends.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Since Wednesday night the storm has moved eastward from western Tennessee with steadily increasing intensity. There have been general and heavy rains except in northern New England, where there was snow and rain. The weather will clear today in the New England states and will be followed by fair weather, with much lower temperature, except near the Maine coast, where snow will continue. Storm signals are displayed along the Atlantic coast from Wilmington to Eastport.

FRAUDULENT USE OF MAILS.

Charges Which Are Lodged Against Three Prominent Brokers of Chicago.

Chicago, March 2.—Three prominent members of the Chicago board of trade were arrested yesterday by federal authorities on the charge of "bucket shopping." The men are James Nicol, first vice president of the board of trade; Henry O. Parker, former vice president of the board, and Calvin A. Whyland, president of C. A. Whyland & Co. All are charged with using the mails to defraud, in connection with the firm of McLain Bros.

Charles R. and Albert O. McLain, members of the board of trade, who announced their retirement from business several months ago, were indicted by the federal grand jury yesterday, charged with fraudulent use of the mails, and with carrying on a business in the nature of bucket shopping and defrauding correspondents in several states. Their case will be called in court March 10.

The brokers on the board of trade had hardly learned the news of the indictment of the McLain brothers when the deputy marshals walked in and placed the three members mentioned under arrest. The prisoners were taken before United States Judge Kohlsaat and gave bonds in $5000 each. They were released, to appear on or before March 10, to plead to the charges against them.

All three defendants are well known on the board and their business methods have heretofore been unquestioned. They all have been in the commission business for years and have established a large country trade.

It is claimed by the postal authorities that while the McLains carried on the active correspondence, which is said to have been in the nature of bucketshopping, the other brokers, for a share in the profits, permitted their names to be used and made the frauds possible.

The Public Deb'.

Washington, March 2.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business Feb. 28 the debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to $1,118,886,059, a decrease since Feb. 1 of $6,750,168. This decrease is largely accounted for by the increase in the amount of cash on hand. There are demand liabilities outstanding amounting to $799,094,217, which leaves a net cash balance in the treasury of $298,362,823.

Burial of Ninety-six Soldiers.

Washington, March 2.—The bodies of 96 soldiers who died in Cuba since the end of the Spanish war were buried with military honors at Arlington cemetery yesterday. A detachment of soldiers from Fort Myer acted as an escort of honor and fired the last salute over the graves. The ritual for the dead of the Catholic church and the Episcopal service were read.

What New Cabinet Proposes to Do.

Victoria, B. C., March 2.—The new premier, Mr. Martin, has almost completed his cabinet. The chief planks of the policy upon which the new cabinet intends to work are the public ownership and operation of railways, the cancellation of the alian exclusion law and the retention of the principle of the eight-hour law.

Receiver Asked For.

Montgomery, Ala., March 2.—A petition has been filed in the city court in equity, asking for a receiver for the Standard Building and Loan association of this city. The association has been in existence nine years, and has an authorized capital of $30,000,000.

Killed Partner and Kimself.

Cuba, N. Y., March 2.—Edward Mead shot and instantly killed Bert Wixson, his partner in the wagon making business, at Bolivar yesterday. Mead then shot himself in the head, dying almost immediately. The men had quarreled over business matters.

Wreckage Washed Ashore.

Wickford, R. I., March 1.—The Narragansett Pier life saving crew yesterday found wreckage of an unknown craft, consisting of the hatch, hatch combing and part of the bulkhead. The latter was painted lead color, and the hatch was marked 40.

Poor Show For Creditors.

New York, March 2.—A meeting of the creditors of Anthony W. Dimock, formerly a well-known Wall street broker, was held yesterday. The schedule showed liabilities of $1,292,736, and assets of $25.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Rev. William Livingston, who has been appointed to succeed the late Dr. McGlynn as pastor of St. Mary's church, Newburg, N. Y., is well known as a poet and lecturer. Most of his poems urge charity to the unfortunate.

J. H. Harrison, 29, was suffocated by smoke from a kerosene lamp at a house at Adams, Mass.

Charles Burns of Cincinnati and Owen Zeigler of Philadelphia fought six fast rounds to a draw before the Milwaukee Athletic club.

George Kidgell, a freight brakeman, was killed at Gardner, Mass., while uncoupling a car.

The carriage shipments from Amesbury, Mass., for the month of February were 406, against 294 for the same month in 1899.

Consul Mahin reports wholesale movements toward the formation of industrial trusts in Austria.

Lewis L. P. Atwood, real estate broker, Boston, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are $167,251; assets, $79,655.

The insolvent broker firm of Dillaway & Starr, Boston, has been petitioned into bankruptcy by three women creditors, whose aggregate claims are less than $1600.

Charles E. Bonte of New York has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities, $107,932; no assets.

L. F. Mendell, a merchant doing business in Boston, committed suicide, his body being found suspended from a rafter in his barn at Plainfield, Mass.

The Yale Courant medal for literary excellence has this year been awarded to D. L. James of Kansas City. His winning contribution was entitled "My Masterpiece."

ARTISTIC CLOSETS.

REMODELING THAT IS DESIRABLE IN HOUSES BUILT LONG AGO.

Plans For Transforming Old Fashioned Shallow Closets—Two Arrangements on Pleasing and Convenient Modern Lines.

In many houses built years ago are to be found closets extending from the floor nearly to the ceiling, inclosed by a door and generally filled with shelves. These closets, in many cases, are shoal affairs, the shelves extending

FIG. I—REMODELING AN OLD CLOSET.

out nearly to the door, while the width of the closets is not much greater than the doorway.

The accompanying illustrations show a plan for remodeling these closets along more pleasing and more convenient lines. The door is removed and in the one case a complete writing desk service is introduced. The lid, paneled on the outside, is supported by side chains when let down. Within this inclosure are two small drawers and numerous pigeonholes. Above are a couple of bookshelves, which may have a pretty silk draw curtain in front of them. Below are drawers and a closet that will be found very convenient.

In the case of the other suggested treatment the lower part of the closet space is made a receptacle for large mounted photographs or other unframed pictures, thus made readily accessible. Above are drawers for smaller photographs of paintings that are now so commonly to be found in cultured homes. Over these are shelves for books, covered by a draw curtain and

FIG. II—REMODELING AN OLD CLOSET.

an open shelf at the top where hand some jugs, vases or bits of fine old china can be displayed to advantage.

The foregoing items are offered by The Ladies' World, not as directions to be arbitrarily followed, but as suggestions that can be utilized in transforming one of these unattractive old closets into something pleasing and useful.

Tomato Cream Soup.

Tomato cream is a favorite soup for which the Boston Cooking School Magazine gives this recipe: Scald one quart of milk with half an onion, five or six cloves, a bit of bay leaf, a sprig of parsley and two-thirds a cup of stale bread crumbs. Remove the seasoning and pass the bread through a sieve. Cook two cups of tomatoes with two teaspoonfuls of sugar 15 minutes. Add one-fourth a teaspoonful of soda, pass through a sieve and add to the bread and milk. Add five tablespoonfuls of butter in bits and season with salt and paper.

Cauliflower With Cheese.

Trim off the outer leaves and soak, head downward, in salted water. Place in a saucepan, head up, cover with boiling salted water and boil gently but steadily until tender when tested with a fork, then drain. Break off the branches and put in layers in a baking dish with salt, pepper and grated Swiss or American cheese. Pour over all about a pint of white sauce, cover with a thick layer of buttered bread crumbs and place in a hot oven until browned. Serve as a course with saltine wafers.—Table Talk.

Musical Taste.

"I am not educated in music, but I know when I like a piece," says many a one. Then try to be honest and learn to know whether your likes are founded in the canons of good musical taste. There is a right and a wrong principle of judgment, and every earnest person should try to base his opinion on sound principles.—Etude.

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Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,
A READER

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Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

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Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

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Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

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r *6 12 abc		6 32	*5 53 ihgfedcba		6 22 r
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r 7 26 ad		7 45	8 28 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 02	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 7 56 ad		8 15	10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 45	12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	1 28 cba		1 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	2 28 cba		2 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 32	3 28 cba		3 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 32	4 28 cba		4 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 32	4 58 cba		5 19 r
r 1 12 abcd		1 32	5 15 da		5 36 r
r 2 12 abc		2 32	5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 3 12 abc		3 32	5 45 da		6 06 r
r 4 12 abc		4 32	5 58 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 32	6 15 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 32	6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abcd		7 32	6 58 cba		7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 07	7 28 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 32	8 28 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 9 34 abcdefghi		10 02	10 28 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 32	10 58 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r

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r 7 42 abc		8 02	6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	8 58 cba		9 19 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	12 43 cba		1 04 r
r 9 33 a		9 51	4 28 cba		4 49 r
r 1 27 abc		1 47	5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 5 12 abc		5 32	6 58 cba		7 19 r
r 7 12 abc		7 32	8 28 fedcba		8 53 r
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d, Neponset.	i, South Boston.
e, Pope's Hill,	r, Quincy Adams.

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	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
d	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
d	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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def	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
defghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
def	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

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At fifty chides his infamous delay,
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In all the magnamity of thonght
Resolves, and resolves; then dies the same.
—Young.

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Mrs. John R. Graham gave a matinee whist party at her residence on Washington street, Monday afternoon. Twelve tables were in play. Prizes for the best scores were awarded to Mrs. W. Austin Winslow and Mrs. Wilson Tisdale. Confectionery and light refreshments were served.

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A number of Quincy ladies attended she Daughters of Revolution whist Friday afternoon at the Vendome, Boston.

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The Massasoit Whist Club members met last evening at the home of Alfred Clark, Braintree.

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Miss Edith Marie Cote entertained a few friends at whist last Saturday evening at her home on Butler road. Souvenirs for the best scores were awarded Miss Alice Bacon Hultman and Mr. Trumbull. Light refreshments were served.

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The Ivaloo club held their regular weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Amasa Thayer on Washington street, Braintree, Thursday afternoon.

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The last of the monthly meetings of the Wheaton Seminary club which have been held all winter at the Vendome, Boston, will be on Saturday, March tenth. Current Event with subjects to be announced later by the programme committee will be followed by music by Miss Purrington. An extra social meeting may be held in April and the annual business meeting will be held in May.

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Switzerland from 1450 to 1600 will be the subject discussed by the Unity club at the Wollaston Unitarian vestry next Friday evening. There will be papers on: The Burgundian Wars, Zwingli, Calvin the Engadine and mountain climbing.

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At the Gentlemen's Night at the Braintree Club last evening, Hon. F. A. Hobart was the winner of the prize, a fifty ride ticket between Boston and South Braintree.

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The Commercial club of Hyde Park had a very successful masquerade party in French's opera house in that town Tuesday evening.

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The Junior Friday club will assist Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burke in receiving this afternoon and evening at their home.

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Miss Ethel Hersey entertained her little friends at her home on Washington street, Thursday evening, from six until nine. Thirty were present in spite of the stormy weather, and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served and each little guest was presented with a souvenir during the evening. Dancing was in order. Miss Ethel had many beautiful presents.

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The Old Maid's whist club of Braintree were entertained by Miss Susie Clark at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Whitman on Thayer place, Tuesday evening. The lucky winner was Miss Annie M. Brooks.

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The approaching wedding of Miss Anna Glidden and Mr. Harry Pray both of Quincy Point has been announced. Their friends cordially extend their best wishes.

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Miss Edith Randall will give a talk on Holland at Unitarian church, Tuesday, March 6, at 3 P. M. The proceeds are for the Charitable Ten Circle of King's Daughters, and it is hoped a large number will be present.

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Founder's day was observed at Howard Seminary, West Bridgewater, Friday, by a concert in the evening, when Miss Marie Ware Laughton read from "King Henry V.," with music by 12 members of the Boston Symphony orchestra, under the leadership of Max Zach. The principal, Miss Sarah E. Laughton, entertained many from Boston and vicinity.

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Miss Olive Pratt of Brainsree entertained a large number of her friends from Randolph, Quincy, Holbrook and Braintree at her home on Franklin street Tuesday evening. Whist was th feature and the prizes were awarded to Miss Annie Hobart and Miss Blake, Thomas Good and George Hardwick. A light collation was served during the evening.

One of the prettiest luncheons of the season, was given by Mrs. Alexander Fryer at her home 16 Edison street, Wednesday from 3 until 6 o'clock P. M. The charming hostess received her guests in her usual gracious manner and after greetings were exchanged whist was enjoyed until 4.30. Mrs. George Wheeler of Braintree captured the first prize, an elegantly bound copy of "When Knighthood was in Flower," Mrs. Fred Stecker of Dorchester was the recipient of the second, a box of Page & Shaws' confectionery, and Miss Sarah Shaw of Braintree was consoled by a dainty piece of bric-a-brac. The guests were then invited to the dining room where an elaborate luncheon was served, after which several vocal selections were delightfully rendered, by Mrs. Helen Allan Hunt and Miss Mazie Hastings. Among the prominent society people present, were Mrs. George Wheeler, Mrs. Horace Drinkwater, Miss Elsie Drinkwater, Mrs. Laura Smith, Mrs. Curtis, Miss Mollie Parker, Miss Anna Weld, Miss Sarah Shaw, Miss Kate Raycroft, Mrs. Lincoln, Miss Florence Pray, Miss Mazie Hastings, Mrs. Helen Hunt and Miss Clara Edgecombe.

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The Hyde Park Historical Society met in its new quarters in the library building Tuesday evening with Mr. Charles G. Chick in the chair. The society received the gift of a fine crayon of the late Wallace D. Lovell.

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The Philergians of Braintree met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Eugene Dyer, Washington street. A large number were present.

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Mrs. John C. Randall who has been very ill is convalescent.

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Mrs. Louis E. Whicher of Brookline who was so prominent in her entries in the New York dog show last week, is to be congratulated upon the success of her prize winning puppies as Cricket was awarded a second and Teddy Roosevelt fourth prizes at the opening of the show last week Tuesday morning. Mrs. Whicher is one of the best judges of Boston terriers in the country and owns a number of valuable ones. It was her dog Taffy, father of the prize winning puppies, who last year at the dog show held in the old public library building so easily outdid others in the large number of votes he received as the most popular dog in the show, for which he was awarded a large silver loving cup.

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The Literary Club of Braintree will meet Monday evening, March fifth with Mrs. M. E. Morrison, Middle street.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Brainard and daughter Miss Marian of Hyde Park, left this week on a trip to Florida.

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Miss Alice Hirtle of Beach street, Norfolk Downs, entertained a jolly party at whist last evening. Six tables were in use, friends being present from Malden, Boston, Atlantic and Wollaston. Miss Lillian Bowles was the winner of the ladies' first prize and Mr. Clyde Saunders the gentleman's. Miss Hirtle and Mr. Austin Sutherland won the consolation prizes. After whist, dancing and music were enjoyed. Dainty refreshments were served during the evening.

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The Junior Friday club will meet on Monday with Miss Florence Emery.

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Quincy Forresters attended a whist party and dance of St. Johns court of Hyde Park on the evening of Feb. 23.

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Miss Delia Wetheral of Wollaston has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Weston P. Alden at Randolph.

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Mr. and Mrs. George W. French of Randolph are passing the winter in Boston.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burke have returned to Adams street from the Westminster, Boston.

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At Tufts College, Tuesday evening, was given a mystery play, The Pageant of the Shepherds. It was a great success, and very interesting, being the first performance of the kind given in this part of the world.

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A reception was given by the New England Women's Club on Thursday afternoon, in honor of Miss Margaret J. Evans, dean of Carleton College, Minnesota. Miss Julia Ward Howe, Mrs. Edna Dean Cheney, and Miss O. M. E. Rowe, assisted Miss Evans in receiving the large number of guests.

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The Friday club met yesterday with Miss Edith Randall.

Randolph has a very successful Unity club, which met this week on Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Franklin W. Hayden of Main street. Mr. Henry A. Belcher contributed a paper and there were interesting remarks by Rev. W. S. Jones. Mrs. Edgar C. Furber, Miss Frances Sharpe and Miss Mamie Hayden contributed piano solos.

COL. PARKER'S WORK

Reported As Saying It Was All Wrong in Quincy.

As Quincy is about to celebrate the new era in education which began in this city 25 years ago, it is somewhat of a drawback to learn Col. Parker's opinion of his work then. The leading editorial of Popular Educator for March is given in full:

"And now it is currently reported that Colonel Parker says that his work in Quincy was 'all wrong.' We can hardly credit it. But if the Colonel thus thinks, in what state of mind does it leave those who studied and toiled with him in those days, who loyally held up his hands and followed, often servilely, his methods! In what a plight does it place publisher and editor, pamphleteer and pilgrim!

"But we do not believe that the work done by the Colonel in Quincy was 'all wrong.' We were not so much inclined as one or two of our contemporaries to accept as gospel truth everything that Colonel Parker said in those earlier days; indeed we were brought to task now and then because we expressed an honest doubt whether all the glitter was evidence of unalloyed gold. But we were very glad, and are now, to acknowledge the debt the educational world owes to Colonel Parker for what he did in the schools of Quincy.

"The reform which stands out most prominent is the increase in the amount and kind of reading given to children. If the Colonel had done nothing else than this, he would be entitled to high honor. Probably there is not a town or hamlet of any size in the entire country that is not giving its boys and girls a very great amount of well-selected reading, and to Colonel Parker is largely due our thanks. This virtue in the Colonel's work we saw early; and it has been our endeavor from that day to this to help along the blessed movement by sending out from our presses thousands and thousands of volumes of selected and original matter for boys and girls—reading that shall refine and purify at the same time it instructs. No, Colonel, your work at Quincy was no 'all wrong,' although some of it received a trifle more praise than it deserved.

The Cochato Club.

At a meeting of the Directors of the Cochato Club of Braintree, at the clubhouse Tuesday evening Feb. 20, the following persons were elected to membership: William E. Howe, Quincy; L. Thurlow Torrey, South Braintree; William G. Curtis, M. D., Wollaston; James J. Killilea, East Braintree; Russell Lane, Braintree; Eliza E. Weeks, Braintree; Florence L. Perry, Braintree; Russell G. Hunt, Weymouth; George H. Lane, Braintree.

The selection of a janitor for the club was put into the hands of the House committee and the President of the club.

L. W. Spaulding and E. Stanwood Hollis were appointed members of the bowling committee.

Owing to unexpected circumstances the time of opening the clubhouse will occur on Friday evening, March 16, 1900, as previously announced.

The opening will be entirely informal and the regular activities of the club will be instituted on the opening night. Of course members will be admitted, as always, on their member's ticket, but others who wish to be present can do so only by invitation of members, and tickets admitting such visits will cost one dollar. A collation will be served and the Symphony orchestra of Boston, will be present to furnish concert and dancing music.

The membership now exceeds one hundred fifty and applications for membership are constantly being received.

George H. Holbrook, builder, finished building the Cochato club house last Wednesday afternoon, February 28, the exact day on which he contracted to finish the same. Anyone who examines the building must be convinced that Mr. Holbrook has done a most creditable job, the clubhouse being one of the finest examples of building construction in the town. The building committee and all others concerned seem to be highly satisfied with the character of his work.

Peter Ness is now painting the walls of the rooms for the house committee.

WAITING FOR MONDAY.

It May Bring Settlement of Granite Trouble.

Cutters at Work on Unfinished Jobs.

Apprentices Also at Work in Many of the Yards.

There is nothing new in the strike situation today, and no change is looked for until after Monday night's meeting of the conference committee.

There will be a meeting in Boston tonight of the executive committee of the New England Granite Manufacturers' Association, when the action of the Barre Association will come up for ratification. It will then, probably be definitely known whether the terms of settlement at that place were an average of 35 cents an hour, or a minimum price of 35 cents per hour.

Barre is Quincy's greatest competitor in the granite industry, and the action taken there will have a great weight toward an early settlement in Quincy.

Many are asking the question how can a settlement be made, other than that demanded by the Constitution of the National Union, but the general public and the business men in other lines do not care a snap how it can be done as long as it is done. The main object is to have the trouble settled at the earliest possible moment. After that the question of how it was done will make a good subject for debating societies.

The one or two severe cold days last week, which prevented the cutters from working, prevented a few of them from completing the stones upon which they were at work before the first of the month, and the local Cutters' Union, at a meeting held yesterday, granted these men permission to return to work and complete their stones. There were but few of these, and they are at work today finishing up. At best this will take less than a week, but it is hoped that before a week from today a settlement will have been reached, that all the men may return to work.

There are apprentices at work in nearly every yard, but they are few, so that an almost death like stillness prevails in the yards that up to Thursday have resounded with the merry sound of the hammer.

The New Depot.

It will be good news to Quincy people to learn that within a few weeks a gang of men will be at work on the new depot for Quincy. It is understood that plans for the depot have been perfected and that it is the intention of the railroad officials to begin work as soon as the frost is out of the ground. It is understood that the new depot will be located on the site of the present depot.

It is also understood that it is the intention of the railroad to depress the tracks through Quincy. The depression will probably commence somewhere near the Atlantic depot so that when they pass through Quincy proper they will be low enough to abolish the grade crossing on Saville street at the Quincy depot and on Water street at the Quincy Adams depot, and the new depot at Quincy will be constructed with that plan in view. Whether the depression of the tracks will come this year is not known but as it is planned, it will be necessary when buiding the new depot to have that in mind.

Probate Business.

The following wills have been filed in the Norfolk registry at Dedham for probate:

Abbie C. Holden of Foxboro, Nancy J. Roper of Medway, Joseph E Hall of Milton, Harriette R. Chickering of Dedham, Lisette C. Shaw of Braintree, Lawrence J. Morris of Brookline, Maria Moore of Braintree, Sarah R. R. Rivers of Milton, Sarah Ann Veazie of Quincy, Thomas Ebbs of Dedham.

Letters of administration are petitioned for on the estates of Sarah Allison of Quincy, Nathan Crane of Canton, Margaret Leary of Weymouth, Daniel Courtney of Stoughton, Fanny R. Farwell of Brookline, Henry W. Fuller of Dedham, Nathan A. Tolman of Randolph, Mary B. Perrin of Brookline, Sallie A. Harrington of Weymouth, George M. Colburn of Westwood.

—Three men were badly injured, two perhaps fatally, in an explosion in Masten & Wells' fireworks factory at Newton Upper Falls Monday. The building, a small wooden structure, was badly shattered.

DRY LOCO WEED.

I hear it now as I heard it then
  Along the sandy reaches,
Within a wandering whisper
  Of the crooning, southern beaches—
That lonesome sound along the ground
  That runs the island o'er,
  A tiny musketry to roar,
A promise gone to seed,
The rattle of the loco weed
  That grows along the shore.

A fanfare brave the silence gave
  Athwart the treeless spaces,
Like warning signal of the snakes
  That coil in driest places,
That lusty sigh beneath the sky—
  A cheerful lisping lore
  Of solitudes the hares explore,
Afar from hunters' greed—
The rattle of the loco weed
  That grows along the shore.

I love it now as I loved it then,
  A sound of winnowing wind,
At work among the drying herbs
  That starving cattle find.
A cadence low, the warm stars know,
  When day has wandered o'er,
  A blithe complaint of sunshine more
Than any hint of peed,
The rattle of the loco weed
  That grows along the shore.
—Grace Adelaide Luce in "Land of Sunshine."

The Schooner That Turned Squatter.

Captain Rowell, Being Wrecked, Concluded to Make the Best of the Situation.

Leaping seas lifted the schooner Raven high on the beach one night when a spring gale churned Lake Michigan. The Raven was owned, navigated and now, in the flower of her sailing days, beached by Captain Ebenezer Rowell. Cape Cod was the place of the captain's nativity, and he had sailed all sorts and conditions of waters, from the Erie canal to the Arctic ocean.

He asserted, however, with a flow of explosive language that was certainly no part of his Puritan inheritance, that he never ran into quite so much "dirt" anywhere else as when there was a norther screaming down this long lake, breaking the water into foam from Skilligalee to Grosse point. Now the indignant lake repaid his tarry epithets by flinging him farther up on the land than any boat ever went before.

Captain Rowell had characteristics that marked him as a man apart. His long mustache drooped and mingled with a short beard well shot with gray, and when he wore his dingy sou'wester he looked very like a middle aged walrus. The captain had a wooden leg, bound at the bottom with triple bands of brass. One of Farragut's surgeons took charge of the leg of flesh for which this wooden substitute did duty after the battle of Mobile Bay.

The skipper of the Raven also had a pipe that was not without celebrity. It was burned to ebony blackness, and, upon the word of reliable mariners, was declared to emit such penetrating fumes that the Raven could not clear from a Wisconsin port without the fact immediately becoming known in Michigan, if the wind were right.

But now the Raven, her commander, wooden leg, pipe and all, were cast up on the beach. Captain Rowell had been trying to make port and had missed the harbor entrance—a narrow passage between two piers, as easy to sail into in a storm as the neck of a bottle. As his boat went flying in through the breakers the captain raged and beat a tattoo on the deck with his wooden leg, having no gratitude in his heart for the wind and waves that were landing him on soft sand instead of banging the Raven against the rocks that were equally handy. The schooner settled easily on the beach, with the skipper clinging to the taffrail and the two Scandinavians who constituted the crew gripping at the shrouds.

Morning showed the seriousness of the case. The Raven lay at the innermost point of a cozy bight, with a couple of hundred yards of sand between her and the bluffs that rimmed the bay. A little way to the north a long breakwater was thrust into the lake, the visible evidence of harbor work in which government engineers were engaged. One effect of the building of this breakwater had been to arrest certain lake currents and make them deposit great quantities of sand along that part of the shore on which the Raven stranded. In consequence, new land was forming rapidly at that point, and the people of the town were beginning to speculate as to the use to which it should be put.

It was a singularly effectual rush of the water that carried the schooner to this resting place, and Captain Rowell knew very well that to get her back into the water would be expensive and difficult. He was the more disgusted with fate because he had been cast away on the shore of his home port, where neighbors would want to know the why and wherefore of this extraordinary navigation.

One of those who came next day to look at the schooner, so far removed from her ordinary element, was a lawyer acquaintance of the captain. In speaking about the changes that were going on in that part of the coast, he referred to the rapidity with which the land was encroaching on the lake there and gave it as his opinion that there was doubt about the right of owners of property on the bluffs—between which and the lake a railroad right of way intervened—to claim the accretion.

"In fact," said Lawyer Flanders, "I believe that this is government land, and anybody who squats on it will have a fighting chance, at least, to establish title to the whole strip." Whereupon Captain Ebenezer Rowell pricked up his Yankee ears and adroitly cross questioned the lawyer until he had a fair notion of the legal conditions affecting this stretch of weed tufted sand, not lovely to look upon, but destined to be very valuable. He announced that night that he intended to defer preparations for floating the Raven.

The next day he brought Maria, his wife, down from their cottage and, having got the Raven properly braced on an even keel, installed Mrs. Rowell in the cabin. "We'll live here awhile, Mariar," said the captain. And Maria, who had sailed under Ebenezer's orders for 40 years, thought this no time to ask questions, but began to set things in order. The schooner Raven had squatted on unclaimed land.

Now, in the course of time the dwellers on the bluff, inhabitants of stone houses set in terraced lawns, looked down on this marine squatter and were displeased. They paid little attention at first, but the steady issue of smoke from the Raven's cabin stove and the accumulation of Maria's flowerpots savored of permanent occupation. Autumn came, then winter, and the Raven was still on the sands.

The next spring, a year after the schooner went on the beach, certain rich men took steps to formally assert title to the natural increase of land, on a portion of which the Raven lay. Then came lawyers, writs and constables, whom Maria turned over to Ebenezer, and with whom Ebenezer dealt through the medium of his friend, Lawyer Flanders.

In the first court to which the men who owned the land on the bluff took the matter, Ebenezer won. Title was not proved, and the skipper of the Raven, so far as this tribunal was concerned, was confirmed in his right as a claimant of government land. An appeal failed to reverse the judgment, and, although the rich men declared their fixed purpose to carry the case to the highest court in the land, Ebenezer considered the victory won.

Thereupon, under the advice of the farseeing Flanders, he began the most wonderful improvements on his land that ever were seen on that coast or, perhaps, any other. To repay some small annoyances that he had been subjected to, he caused to be erected a staring sign, where every dweller on the heights might read: "Captain Rowell's Shipyard."

I found the captain there one evening walking about his queer domain, pipe alight and puffing like a tug. Half a dozen cottages of remarkable architecture had sprung up about the Raven.

"Snug anchorage," said the captain, with a comprehensive wave of his pipe in the direction of these new possessions. "Mariar an I are landlubbers now. Yes, we've squatted on guv'ment land an cal'late to live here. Mr. Bingham, up on the hill yonder, an some o' the other shore folks got after me in the courts, but I beat them. Tried to bother me with the charge o' puttin up shanties within the fire limits an sent a lubber down here one day to pull my houses down. You see, every house in this here shipyard is a boat, built boat shaped an registered at the custom house."

The captain had, in truth, built as he said. The architecture did not appeal to one's sense of beauty, whether the structures were considered as houses or boats, but any one of them, properly bottomed, might be set afloat and made to serve as a scow or a tow barge. By way of tenants the captain had a few of his sailor friends, a fisherman and a laborer who liked the situation because it was near the railroad yards where he worked. The shipyard was paying expenses.

"Yes," Captain Rowell went on, "the Raven has done pretty well for me. 'Bout the best cruise I ever made was the one that ended with this here wreck. It's made me a rich man. But I was tellin you 'bout that attack on my fleet. They sent the fire marshal, an he says, says he, 'Them shanties is in the fire limits, an I'm ordered to pull them down,' Then I gets out on the forrad deck o' the Raven, an I says, says I, quite like as though I was whoopin in a blow outside the point: 'Ship ahoy, there!' Every one o' them shanties is a boat an registered in the Yewnited States custom house. Any man that tears down one o' my boats is a pirate, an Uncle Sam 'ud rather hang a pirate than eat pie.'

"That fire marshal looked at my shipyard carefullike then an kinder opened his eyes. He went round behind one o' those craft, an when he seed her name an port o' hull painted there, plain as on any steamboat in the harbor, that settled him. He went back to the lawyers, an they've been figgerin ever since on how to make this here fleet put to sea. I'll keep 'em figgerin," added Ebenezer confidently, "until my title to all this new land's as solid as Spectacle reef."

Conceive a double row of buildings which upon front view appeared to be canalboats, gabled windowed and clapboarded, with a little picketed inclosure behind each one, and you have the shipyard in mind. At the end of the street, nearest the water, lay the Raven, dismantled with respect to rigging, propped with timbers and kept immaculately painted and scrubbed, as a flagship should be. Thus the fleet lay, a squadron to be depended on in any kind of weather.

To the shipyard came sightseers, small boys and even the Salvation Army. Ebenezer Rowell was a friend of religion, although his language at times might give rise to a contrary opinion, and he welcomed the Salvation soldiers to the beach. He even performed on an accordion one night in honor of the open air gospel meeting and was assured that the Army band could do no better.

The excellent impression thus made was almost effaced by the captain's conduct on another occasion. Six men in tall hats came down to the beach one night, followed by a lot of lake front loungers, and began to sing gospel hymns. The captain was gratified. He never quite approved of the Salvation Army costume, and here, it seemed, was a delegation of soberly clad ministers come to preach without any sound of brass and tinkling cymbals.

One of the clerical looking men began to address the crowd. In the beginning his harangue was not unlike that of the average street preacher, but he imparted gradually and in small installments the information that this was a missionary party from Utah sent out to teach the doctrines of the Church of Latter Day Saints.

"Mormons!" snorted Ebenezer, and into the crowd he stumped with a peremptory order for the meeting to disperse and the missionaries to climb the hill. Expostulation only moved the captain to boiling wrath, and he volleyed and thundered such dreadful language that the six tall hats moved off, leaving Ebenezer in possession of the field, but with a shattered reputation for piety.

When small boys offended on his premises, the captain would roar: "Hi, there; go ashore, you little powder monkeys! I'll take you all out to sea an maroon you!" This would be followed by wild scampering across the sands, for the boys were divided in opinion as to whether marooning meant boiling in oil or hanging at the yardarm.

For six years Ebenezer and Maria lived in the shipyard, drew rent and paid lawyers. The lake currents kept adding to their sandy domain, and as the beach widened displeasure grew in the fine houses on the hill. The expanding acres to which the skipper of the Raven laid claim gave rise to visions suggested by possible uses to which the land might be put when the mariner saw fit to sell, if his title ever arrived at a state of perfection that warranted anybody to buy.

The shipyard was bad enough, but a factory, a thing of smoke and smell and chimneys, would be worse. So the hill folk managed to keep a lawsuit imminent above the captain's head that he might not become too well established in his belief that he was lord of the shore.

In the extreme of their disgust aid came to the enemies of the captain from an unexpected source. The town upon whose hospitable front the Raven had become a squatter decided to establish a system of parks.

It was agreed with entire unanimity that all the water frontage possible ought to be secured for this purpose, a proposition that directed instant attention to Captain Ebenezer Rowell's contested territory. All the machinery of lawyers, courts, writs and bailiffs was once more set in motion, and Ebenezer and Maria had to form a new line of battle.

Indeed they had come upon evil days, for the discerning lawyer who had been their chief defense in the earlier years of their occupation was dead, and they had to intrust the fortunes of the shipyard to strangers. The aggressive city hustled Ebenezer from one court to another, summoned him, examined him, made him depose, affirm, deny, give bond and generally feel the pangs of litigation until he declared himself "worried outen his vittles."

He smoked three times his normal allowance of tobacco and told Maria that he was sorely tempted to put to sea again. A little later he gave proof that this was an idea that had some grip on him, for he set men to work calking the Raven's gaping seams and getting the schooner into something like sailing shape again.

One evening Captain Rowell returned and found the shipyard in a tumult. A case had just gone against him in one of the courts, the judge having declared that title to the land was vested in the city, and the municipal officers lost no time in following up this victory. Policemen descended, and the sheriff came, and with them sundry stout fellows having in charge teams, timbers, crowbars and other tools sufficient to make Maria tremble.

She bewailed the absence of Ebenezer, but came part down the steps that led up the Raven's side and gave an imitation of the captain in a bad temper. The sheriff said such language was shocking, but she refused to listen to the writ. Before Ebenezer appeared to defend the premises from invasion one of the structures that the sailor called a boat when he talked to a constable and a house when he conversed with a tenant had been hoisted from its anchorage and placed on skids.

One without occupants had been selected by way of a beginning, and the Bird of Freedom, as letters done in the highest style of the sign painter's art announced the clumsy affair, was well on her way toward the street at the foot of the bluff when Ebenezer came snorting upon the scene. He did not stop to parley with the sheriff, but dived into the cabin of the Raven and presently emerged on deck with a rifle in his hands.

It was a weapon that had been purchased in the early stages of the fight for possession of the lake front, but by a singular oversight Ebenezer had neglected to provide himself with ammunition. However, nobody stops to inquire with any particularity into the condition of a gun when that gun is in the hands of a man whose hostility is undoubted, and the whole attacking force stampeded at the sight of the Winchester.

Nearly all night the captain kept watch, rifle in hand, but when Maria questioned the efficiency of a gun that wanted cartridges he concluded to go to bed and risk the further kidnaping of his scows.

It was shortly after this incursion that I saw the captain again. The shipyard showed almost as many signs of disorder as though it were really a place where boats were built. The Bird of Freedom, the Albatross (all the captain's scowhouses were given the names of birds) and the rest were either in ruins or in process of being plucked. The Raven showed unmistakable signs of an impending voyage.

She had been shored up, painted and rid of all the accumulation of steps, platforms and flowerpots that made her look like something that belonged neither on land nor sea. The captain was rather melancholy, but energetic in respect to ship chandlery and repairs.

"Yes," he said, "I'm goin sailin once more; compromised with the city." This he said as cheerfully as a man might announce the date of his own hanging. "Compromised," he went on; "that's what they call it. I gives the city the land, an the city gives me the vally o' these here craft. No, I ain't as rich as I used to think I was when I stuck on a hundred thousand every time a storm heaved up a fresh lot o' sand, which happened pretty reg'lar.

"Fact is, if the guv'ment keeps extendin that pier into the lake an upsettin the cal'lations o' nature in p'int of currents, sand'll keep pilin up until this lake's plum cut in two. I'm sick o' this bilin, roisterin, bangin body o' water. I'm goin to sail the Raven down the lakes to the St. Lawrence, take her out to sea an go back to Cape Cod, where Mariar an I cal'late to spend the rest o' our days."

It was a laborious undertaking to get the Raven into the water again. She had lain on shore so long that she had to be, in a large measure, rebuilt before she was fit to sail, but finally the captain pronounced her as good as new and fine enough to exhibit to those keen critics of things nautical, the inhabitants of Cape Cod.

So I went down one night to see him and Maria set out on their long voyage. There was a flattening of noses against the window panes in the houses on the hill, whose satisfied owners saw the trim lines of the schooner slant across the darkening waters. The captain was at the wheel, and as he sailed away into the gloom I could get glimpses of his cheerful pipe, glowing like a binnacle lamp and pointing as nearly as might be in the direction of Cape Cod.
—New York Evening Post.

How Oleomargarine Is Made.

Margarine was first prepared by M. Mege Mouries. In this process 1,000 kilograms of ground fat from freshly slaughtered cattle is mixed with 300 kilograms of water, one kilogram of potassium carbonate and two sheep's or pigs' stomachs cut into pieces and heated at 45 degrees C. by steam for two hours. The fat rises and, after being skimmed, is run off and heated at from 30 to 40 degrees C., with 2 per cent of salt, the clear fat being then poured off from the sediment and cooled at from 20 to 25 degrees C.

The granular solid product is cut into pieces, packed into linen and exposed to hydraulic pressure at about 25 degrees C., with the production of a solid cake of stearin and a liquid oleomargarine, which is passed through cylinders and washed by a shower of water. Of the melted oleomargarine 50 kilograms is mixed with 25 liters of cows' milk and 25 kilograms of water in which has been macerated 100 grains of finely ground mammary gland of the cow. Annotto is added and the whole churned for about two hours and the product kneaded and washed.

In the method employed in the United States, Austria and some parts of Germany pepsin is not added, the original finely ground fat being subjected to a temperature below 50 degrees C. for some time. The oleomargarine is mixed with sour milk and a small quantity of bicarbonate of soda and annotto and is churned. After about 15 minutes it is cooled in ice and then kneaded to eliminate the water, then returned with more sour milk and is ready for sale.

Knew What She Wanted.

There was a tall and haughty young woman in a provision store this morning, a pretty girl, who wore a smart tailor gown and an air of great importance.

"Have you a nice roundhouse steak?" she asked the butcher sweetly, when he came forward to wait upon her.

The man's face assumed a beefy hue itself, and he looked well nigh apoplectic as he replied, "No, miss, I haven't a round steak."

"Then send me a porterloin. About seven pounds will be enough, I should think."

"Tenderloin is the best cut, miss; suppose you take that?" suggested the clerk, his face growing still redder.

"Kindly send me what I ordered," said the young woman with great dignity. "My mother-in-law is entirely conversant with the cuts of beef, and I'm quite sure that's the name she told me, and send ten pounds of rice with it."

Then she walked out of the shop with the pleased smile on her face of one who has found housekeeping the merest child's play, while the spectators murmured "Bride!" to each other under their breath.—Baltimore News.

One Thing That Won't Stop.

Maria Mitchell, who has been called the "Mother of the Stars," when professor of astronomy and director of the observatory at Vassar was an inspiring teacher, and, in spite of her brusque manner and severity, was adored by her pupils. Every spring just before the commencement she gave a "dome party" to the girls. Small tables were placed around the large telescope in the observatory, and roses from Miss Mitchell's own garden brightened the atmosphere. Nonsense poems were a feature of these breakfasts, and the astronomer was proud of her skill in writing them. She was not without a keen sense of fun, in spite of her constant and absorbing duties, as was shown by her dryly consoling observation to an awestricken student whom she was leaving one day in charge of the instruments of the observatory. Looking back at the worried face of the girl, Miss Mitchell said:

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SNOW, RAIN AND WIND.

New England Treated to a Great Variety of Foul Weather.

Tides Swept Up Rivers Far Into the Interior.

Mills Stopped In Southern Portions and Whole Counties Snowbound In North.

Boston, March 3.—The Maine coast apparently bore the brunt of the storm just passed, and reports indicate that it was felt more severely and over a greater area than the famous November, '98, disturbance of the elements.

Coming on the very heels of a heavy fall of rain in southern New England and of two or three feet of snow in the interior, with rivers swollen beyond their banks by recent rains, the tides swept up rivers and into indentations in the coast line until their onrushes were like tidal waves.

Water in such rivers as the Kennebec and Penobscot rose on the full of the tide until previous high marks had been washed over, and piers were lifted from their foundations and strained by the waves until they had been made useless.

An idea of the height of the waves was seen at Bar Harbor, where the water front was swept so wildly that the sea wall of granite was torn up, stretches of the famous board walk driven up on the lawns of fashionable residences, private landing piers broken up, and which is more striking yet, the crest of Hardy's Point washed by the surf. In fact, the Mount Desert island shores have not known such a washing as those of the tides yesterday.

The city of Bath was twice isolated from its environs, and the police officers became boatmen at the morning tide to rescue people in houses on water front streets. At Rockland water rushed into lime quarries, kilns and storage sheds, which are unusually well protected, and two lime fires occurred. Portland harbor was a boisterous place all Thursday night and yesterday, but shipping held tight anchorage and the losses were not heavy.

Coastwise shipping suffered little inconvenience, as the bad weather of the week has kept the fleets in the many harbors from Vineyard Haven to Eastport. A fishing schooner planted herself on the sands of Cape Cod, and Frank Jones' steam yacht Sagamore went ashore at Sullivan, Me., but was floated on the next tide with little damage.

In southern New England the high tides prevented the surcharged streams from emptying quickly into the sea and the backwater stopped scores of mills and made idle for indefinite periods thousands of mill help.

The weather in southern New England has been clear with falling temperature, but in northern New England a snowstorm raged, changing to rain last night. Whole counties are snowbound, railway traffic tied up, and no signs of relief in sight. No greater contrasts of weather could be experienced than have been New England's lot since last Sunday.

Death of Congressman Epes.

Washington, March 3.—Congressman Sydney Epes of Virginia, who was operated on for appendicitis yesterday, died at Garfield hospital at midnight. Mr. Epes was ill but a short time, having attended the session of the house on Wednesday. He was born in 1865, was a journalist and had served in the legislature of Virginia in the Fifty-fifth congress until unseated by the Republicans, and in the present congress. He was a Democrat.

Expansion and Finances Ignored.

Salt Lake City, March 3.—The Republican state convention met yesterday to nominate a candidate for congress to fill the vacancy caused by the exclusion of B. H. Roberts from the house of representatives at Washington. J. T. Hammond was nominated for representative in congress. A platform was adopted which endorses the McKinley administration. It says nothing of expansion or the financial question.

Rhodes Wins Noble Championship.

Durham, N. H., March 3.—The championship at wrestling, catch-as-catch-can, was won by Benjamin D. Rhodes, the New England champion, over Jack McPherson, the Canadian champion, here last night after three bouts of hard wrestling. Throughout the contest both men showed considerable science. The winner takes the double championship.

To Be Replaced by Natives.

Washington, March 3.—Steps have been taken by the war department for the return to the United States of the entire Fifth regiment of cavalry, now distributed at different posts in Puerto Rico. So far as possible, the vacated posts will be occupied by native troops recruited in Puerto Rico.

The Modest Duke of Veragua.

Berlin, March 3.—The Lokal Anzeiger publishes an interview with the Duke of Veragua, in which he abuses the "Yankees" because the United States government has not continued his pension of 30,000 pesetas as a descendant of Columbus. He says: "They do not act like gentlemen."

Job printing at the Ledger office.

HEALTHFUL BUSINESS CONDITIONS.

Good Demand For Cotton and Wool—Bright Outlook For Boot and Shoe Trade.

New York, March 3.—Bradstreet's says: Stormy weather has retarded the development of spring trade at many markets, interrupting telegraph and railway communications and naturally checking the movement of merchandise. In prices aggressive strength is still the feature of the cotton and cotton goods market, while metals remain steady. Food products, however, have weakened, and some raw materials, like wool and hides, are quotably lower. Bank clearings totals and advices from distributive markets point to the aggregate actual business of the country as a whole being equal to February a year ago.

That underlying business conditions are in a high degree healthful will be gathered from the fact that business failures for February are at a minimum as regards the number for that month, and liabilities only slightly exceed those of the same month a year ago, while assets have shrunk to a phenomenally low percentage.

There was a large demand and heavy advance in the price of raw cotton this week. Spot cotton reached 9 7-16 cents at New York and is well above 9 cents at most southern markets, a gain of fully 3 cents a pound as compared with a year ago. Spring demand and shipments of cotton goods have been heavy and further advances in finished products of cotton manufactures are noted at all markets.

Woolen goods have continued in good demand for fall delivery, but the finer grades of raw wool have again weakened.

Nearly all the cereals are lower in price on the week, cutting of flour prices and reports of heavy snow in the west neutralizing reports of crop damage and late advices of improving foreign demand.

Hides have weakened slightly, and heavy sales at concessions are noted, but leather remains firm, and the outlook in the boot and shoe trade for spring business is reported encouraging.

Business failures for the week were 173, against 170 in this week a year ago, 232 in 1898.

Friday's Hangings.

New Iberia, La., March 3.—Reuben Cateley and Hypolite Brown, negroes, were hanged yesterday for the murder of Martial Sorrel, a storekeeper near Oliver, La., last August. Charles Brown and Henry Green, principals in the murder, were also to have been hanged yesterday, but Governor Foster respited them.

Talboton, Ga., March 3.—Will Leonard, a negro, who murdered Francis Dean and wife, was executed here yesterday. On his way to the gallows he stopped and addressed a crowd of 30,000 negroes, advising them not to do as he had done.

Fone Meets Sacred Collegians.

Rome, March 3.—The pope yesterday received the members of the sacred college and the Roman prelates, who presented the pontiff with congratulations upon the occasion of his birthday. After thanking the prelates for their wishes as to his health, the pope referred to the holy year celebrations and the demonstrations in honor of Giordano Bruno (the Italian philosopher), attributing the latter to the work of satan, and concluded with expressing his keen desire that blood would cease to flow in South Africa.

Sweeney Badly Punished.

New York, March 3.—Pat Sweeney of Manchester, N. H., met defeat at the hands of George McFadden of this city in the arena of the New Broadway Athletic club last night, but he put up one of the gamest and manliest fights ever seen in the ring. It was an interesting contest up to the final moment, when Sweeney's seconds were compelled to throw up the sponge in the 21st round. McFadden showed very few marks of punishment, but Sweeney's face was badly battered.

Creditors Object to Bankruptcy.

Boston, March 3.—A largely attended meeting of creditors of Dillaway & Starr, bankers and brokers, was held yesterday. A statement of the firm's affairs showed their assets to be $133,300, and claims against them aggregating $519,800. The desirability of not allowing the firm to go into bankruptcy was pointed out and a committee was appointed to examine into the condition of affairs for the benefit of the creditors.

Defense Rests In Cross Case.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 3.—After two days' proceedings in the trial of Charles Cross, 17 years old, who is charged with the murder of Mrs. Sarah King, an aged woman who lived in the outskirts of Stamford, and who employed Cross as chore boy, the state rested its case yesterday and the defense commenced immediately. Insanity is the claim made by the defense. An adjournment was finally taken until next Tuesday.

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GAVE FEEBLE CHEERS.

Soldiers at Ladysmith Unable to Do More When Relieving Army Entered.

Boers Left Ammunition and Provisions Behind.

Roberts Facing a Reformed Boer Army, but Has Ample Troops to Cope With Enemy.

London, March 3.—Winston Churchill, who accompanied the Ladysmith relief column, telegraphing his experiences, says: "During the afternoon of Feb. 28 the cavalry brigades pressed forward under Colonel Burn-Murdoch toward Bulwana hill and under Lord Dundonald in the direction of Ladysmith. The Boers fired on both with artillery from Bulwana.

"About 4 o'clock Major Gough's regiment, which was in the advance, found the ridges surrounding and concealing Ladysmith apparently unoccupied. He reported the fact to Lord Dundonald, who determined to ride through the gap with the light horse and carbineers.

"The rest of the brigade was sent back to General Buller's picket line. It was evening when we started. About an hour of daylight remained. We galloped on swiftly, in spite of the rough ground, up and down hill, through scrub and rocks and dongas until we could see the British guns flashing from Wagon hill; but on we went faster, until suddenly there came a challenge from the scrub, 'Who goes there?'

"The relieving army," we replied; "and then the tattered and almost bootless men crowded around, cheering very feebly. Even in the gloom we could see how thin and pale they looked; but how glad they were."

The war office has received the following dispatch from General Buler, dated Ladysmith, March 2:

"I find the defeat of the Boers more complete than I had dared to anticipate. This whole district is completely clear of them, and, except at the top of Van Roenen's pass, where several wagons are visible, I find no trace of them.

"Their last train left Modder Spruit station about 1 o'clock yesterday and they then blew up the bridge. They packed their wagons six days ago, moving them to the north of Ladysmith, so that we had no chance of intercepting them; but they have left vast quantities of ammunition of all sorts, herds, grass, camp and individual necessaries They have got away with all their guns except two."

General Buller, accompanied by his staff, arrived at Ladysmith at 11:40 a. m. yesterday. He entered the town unnoticed, as more cavalry was coming in during the morning. The news of his arrival soon spread, however, and General White and his staff at once went to receive him. The two generals met amid scenes of tremendous enthusiasm, and General Buller had an immense reception.

Lord Roberts, at Osfontein, six or eight miles east of Paardeberg, faces the reformed Boer army from 5000 to 6000 strong. This may be merely a corps of observation, ready to retire on a prepared position. Doubtless it is receiving accretions from the late beslegers of Ladysmith and from other points. Whatever the force may be Lord Roberts has ample troops to cope with it.

As a heavy rain is falling on the veldt and the grass is improving, this will be a good thing temporarily for the Boers.

Lord Roberts has surprised observers by the excellence of his transport during the first advance, and he is likely to do so again, although military men here think he must wait for some days before going much farther.

The Boers, presumably, will use this delay for all it is worth, pulling their resources together. Dr. Leyds gives out the opinion that the British entry of Bloemfontein is daily expected, as Commandants Dewet and Delarey had been instructed to retard the advance of Lord Roberts only until the concentration under General Joubert had been accomplished.

No adequate explanation is yet made of the 50,000 reinforcements that are preparing for Roberts, but such as are advanced tenatively suggest either that the Cape Dutch have become more restive, or that the imperial government has a hint of foreign suggestions as to the future status of the allied republics.

The admiralty board has telegraphed to the Cape commander an expression of admiration and thanks on the part of the lords of the admiralty to the marines and blue jackets engaged in the war, for the "spcendid manner in which they have upheld the traditions of the service and have added to its reputation for resourcefulness, courage and devotion."

Newspapers Consolidate.

Bangor, Me., March 3.—The Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, which has been in existence since 1834, this morning published its last edition, the paper having been merged into the Bangor Daily News. The Whig is one of the oldest papers in New England. The News came into existence in 1899, and came into the hands of its present owners in 1895. They are Messrs. E. H. Blake, J. C. Towle and J. N. Towle.

Girded on Duke of Wellington's Sword.

London, March 3.—Lady Louisa Madelina Tighe died at Woodstock yesterday. She was a daughter of the Duke of Richmond and was born in 1803. She danced at the famous ball at Brussels the night before the battle of Waterloo, and girded on the Duke of Wellington's sword when he started for the field of battle.

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FILIPINO BANDITS DISPERSED.

Twenty-four Killed, Thirty Wounded, and Many Taken Prisoners by Americans.

Manila, March 3.—Colonel Anderson, with the Thirty-eighth infantry, employing the insurgents' own tactics, has ambushed the enemy near Batangas. Through spies, Colonel Anderson learned that a detachment of insurgents would pass a certain road. He posted his soldiers concealed among the trees lining the road, and when the enemy arrived the Americans volleyed unexpectedly, killing 24 insurgents, wounding 30 and capturing several. Some arms and ammunition were also captured. The effect of this blow has been salutatary. The enemy in that locality are dismayed.

Acting on information brought here by a boatload of Spanish prisoners who escaped from the insurgents, the transport Alava, with 50 marines from the cruiser Brooklyn, was sent to the gulf of Gagai, on the south coast of Luzon, and rescued 50 Spanish prisoners and 10 Americans. One hundred bandits, as the rebels are now called, surprised 10 men of the Third cavalry at Namacpacan, in the province of La Union, north Luzon. They killed one of the cavalrymen, and captured the horses and a supply train. Troops are now hunting a gang of 80 of these bandits in the mountains. Thursday 25 bandits crossed the Pasig at Maudalogan and raided Santa Anna, four miles from Manila. They were dispersed by residents of the town. Brigadier General Funston recently marched a force from San Isidro to Baler, the scene of Lieutenant Gilmore's capture, for the purpose of garrisoning that place. He returned to Manila by water, and reports everything quiet along the east coast.

Faith In Husband Is Absolute.

New York, March 3.—Blanche C. Molineux, the wife of Roland B. Molineux, last night issued a statement absolutely denying "the infamous insinuations contained in a recent article, written, I regret to say, by a woman." She says that she knows that her husband is wholly innocent of the crime with which he is charged. In speaking of the district attorney's reference to her in the trial she says that her suffering has been naught compared to the anguish which fills her heart, "because of the atrocious injustice, the result of cowardly persecution, which one man, brave, calm, courageous, is enduring today; that man my noble husband, in whom my faith, my trust, my confidence is absolute."

Gives Rise to Alarming Rumors.

Sydney, N. S. W., March 3.—It has developed that the premier has received a cablegram from Mr. Chamberlain, marked confidential, with a request that its contents be communicated to the other premiers. Secret cabinet meetings have been held in all the colonies, to consider the dispatch. The premier of New South Wales has asked Mr. Chamberlain's consent to publish the text of the message, and Mr. Chamberlain has replied that he is consulting with the war office regarding the request. Meanwhile alarming rumors are in circulation.

Train Struck Snow Shovelers.

Montreal, March 3.—A fast Halifax express on the Canadian Pacific, while driving through a storm, dashed into a gang of snow shovelers who were working on the track at La Cadia. One shoveler was instantly killed, and two of his companions were seriously injured.

Bishop Objectionable to Cubans.

Washington, March 3.—Cuban leaders called at the war department yesterday and strongly objected to the presence in Cuba of Bishop Sbaretti. It was with some difficulty that they were made to understand that the executive had no power to interfere in such matters.

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Thursday,	42	41	50	40	27
Friday,	41	39	41	42	54
Saturday,	35	45	41	40	52

New Advertisements Today.

Board of Harbor and Land Commissioners.
Hearings—State House (2).

Good Afternoon.

It is a pleasure to print the letter today of Mr. Eugene H. Sprague, of the Boston firm of Sprague Bros. Mr. Sprague is a resident of Quincy, and one of our Representatives in the Legislature. We have known him from a young man, and have been pleased at his progress. Many of the markets of Quincy and the South Shore have purchased their meats of his firm and all agree that they have been used all right in every respect; reliable goods and reasonable credit. The facts are undoubtedly as represented in the letter, and the firm will continue to have the confidence of business men, even in a larger degree, if possible, than in the past.

The statement of Martin E. Hawes, at the hearing at the State House Tuesday on the petition to rebuild the Quincy Point bridge, in relation to the number of Weymouth people who had seen that bridge within a year, was a little broad and needs a grain of salt for digestion. Mr. Hawes in the course of his remarks said, "I venture to say that 10,000 of the population of Weymouth have not seen the bridge for a year." Weymouth's population by the census of 1890 was 10,886 and in 1895 it was 11,291. If Mr. Hawes was correct that 1,000 had not seen the bridge, it would leave but 1291 that had seen it. No one who stops to think a minute would swallow that statement without a good pinch of salt. When it is remembered that nine out of every ten people of East Weymouth, Weymouth Centre, Weymouth Heights and North Weymouth who visit Boston during a year come to Quincy via. the street cars, and must therefore see the bridge, it will readily be seen that Mr. Hawes was way off.

Its a good idea and Quincy should adopt it. The common council of Boston has concurred with the aldermen in passing an order "that the city collector collect no bill for water furnished by the water department to any city or school department, and that the water commissioner withdraw and cancel all such bills and hereafter make no bill and collect no charge for the use of water by any city or school department."

In Quincy we notice that water rates are charged up against the almshouse, cemeteries, city stables, fire stations, public library, schoolhouses, and other departments, including the Water department itself. All these departments should have a reasonable amount of water free of charge.

The Norfolk County Commissioners are opposed to the county helping to rebuild the bridge over the Weymouth Fore river but they this week passed a decree laying out and locating a new High street, from Nahatan street in Westwood, through the woods in the towns of Dover and Walpole to a point near the post office in Medfield. The work of making the improvement in this portion of the highway is delegated to the respective towns through which it will run. The street will be sixty feet wide, and the work must be completed within eight months' time. It should be remembered that Quincy never expects anything from the county for its streets, although the city pays one-tenth of the county tax, because the city charter provides that the City Council shall have sole authority over all streets of Quincy.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Here is one that rivals the 20th century argument. A bank hires money for four per cent. and loans it at five. Does it gain one per cent. or 25 per cent? Think it over.—Biddeford Record.

☞ The State director of drawing has a scheme for a more beautiful Boston. This is more sensible than the "Greater Boston" idea which in the interests of politicians and a few business men is thrown in the faces of Boston's suburban population at regular intervals.—Brockton Enterprise.

☞ By the will of P. D. Armour, Jr. just filed in the probate court, $8,000,000 goes to his widow and two sons. There are no charitable bequests. It seems to be another case of having much money and no appreciation of the suffering some of it might alleviate, the good some of it might do.—Providence Telegram.

☞ The latest good work of the Salvation Army is providing a woman's home on Pleasant street in Boston where a clean night's lodging may be had for ten or fifteen cents a night. That the Salvation army never turns any homeless persons from its doors is shown by the fact that a separate room is provided for intoxicated women who shall come to the home. The Salvation Army is a mighty power for good in Boston.—Somerville Journal.

☞ So the House killed all hostile amendments to the Boston, Cape Cod and New York canal bill and passed it to a third reading with its $12,000,000 stock watering project and all. Now what will the Senate and Governor Crane do? The plan to cut a canal across Cape Cod goes back to the days of Washington and more recent attempts began in 1882, while the one which really resulted in a mile of ditch began in the fall of 1883.—Old Colony Memorial.

☞ The child is entitled to his scientific inheritance. In other words, he is entitled to go out into nature, to love it, to come to know it, to understand it; and he is entitled to go out into it, not only as the early Greek and Oriental thinkers went, with fear and trembling and wo ship, but he is entitled to go out into it armed with all the resources of modern scientific method and all the facts acquired by modern research. He is entitled to know how it was that we have passed from the world known to the heroes of the Iliad to the world as we know it today. He is entitled to know how the heavens have declared their glory to man, and how the worlds of plant and animal and rock have all come to unfold the story of the past and to enrich us with the thought and the suggestion of the intelligence, the design and the order that they manifest. There can be no sound and liberal education that is not based in part upon the scientific inheritance of the race. The learning of the multiplication table, the learning of the necessary preliminary definitions, the learning of the necessary methods of research and practice—all these are the lower steps of the ladder, the needful steps by which we must mount; and yet they are the steps from which how often we fall back without having gained any vision whatever of the land to which they are supposed to lead! The scientific inheritance is one of the very first elements of a modern liberal education, because it is that element which presents itself earliest to the senses of the child. It is the element with which he comes in immediate sense-contact; to which he can be first led; from which he may be made to understand and draw lessons of the deepest significance for his life and for that adaptation which is his education. —Prof. Butler.

Sprague Bros.

Editor Daily Ledger:

As the statement in the Ledger and the Boston papers of yesterday, makes it appear that Sprague Bros. & Co., have failed and are compromising with their creditors at 40 cents on the dollar, it seems proper that I should make a statement of the facts.

Sprague Bros & Co. started in business in 1886 in a very small way, and with almost no capital, and since that time have had very pleasant business relations with J. P. Squire & Co. and today are the largest distributers of their goods outside of their own stores, in Boston. In these years we have received many favors from them; for the past five years we have given them many notes, not for goods purchased, but for their accommodation.

On Dec. 15, the date of the Squire failure, the Globe and three other banks held these notes, for an amount which was seventeen thousand dollars, ($17,000,) in excess of our entire indebtedness to the Squires, and we have, with the assent of the Squire assignee, agreed to pay to all the banks, on all the notes, 40 cents on a dollar; on $17,000 which we have never received a dollar of benefit and on Feb. 28, we paid in full every dollar, of all other liabilities. We have not assigned and do not intend to do so.

Very truly,
Eugene H. Sprague.

Boston, Mar. 3, 1900.

FIREMEN'S HOME.

Investigation Proves That There Is a Massachusetts Corporation.

It now turns out, says the Herald, that the New England Veteran Firemens' Home Association is, as G. E. D'Arcy represented it to be, a Massachusetts corporation, organized "to acquire real estate for founding a home in New England for indigent members of the volunteer fire departments of the New England states by subscription entertainments, and other means," and the treasurer of the corporation says that, acting under the instructions of the directors, he authorized Mr. D'Arcy to solicit subscriptions and take advertisements for a certain book to be published under the auspices of this corporation.

In view of this condition of affairs, it is difficult to see how Mr. D'Arcy is guilty of a criminal charge in soliciting these subscriptions.

It appears that the New England Veteran Firemens' Home Association has no connection with the New England Veteran Firemen's Association, and out of this fact grows the misunderstanding which resulted in the arrest of D'Arcy. But there is an incorporated body known as the New England Veteran Firemen's Home Association. as a Herald reporter found on investigation at the State House. It was organized March 28, 1898, with no capital stock and no shares. Its purpose has already been stated. The list of incorporators is: John Lavis, Isaac S. Paine, Charles F. Bosworth, Edwin G. Schuler, Alonzo L. Slawson, Gilman Tying, Matthew Walsh, Charles R. Bennett, Charles H. Flagg, William F. Morehouse, Alex. T. Harwood, Daniel J. Virgin, Alex. T. Harwood was chosen president, Alonzo L. Slawson secretary and Isaac S. Paine treasurer.

All of the incorporators are reputable men and all of them are veteran firemen. Mr. Paine the treasurer, has been known for nearly 40 years in connection, with restaurants in the vicinity of the markets. He was considerably surprised when he was shown a dispatch announcing the arrest of D'Arcy.

"This is the first I've heard of it," he said. "Mr. D'Arcy was authorized by me to take up subscriptions in behalf of a book to be published for the benefit of the home project. The statements in the prospectus are true. We are duly incorporated and we have selected a building site in Quincy. I do not mean to give you the impression that we have actually bought a site or have even taken an option on one, but we have one in view which we can have when we get the necessary money to pay for it.

"We organized about two years ago. The suggestion was made that there ought to be a home for indigent veteran firemen, and we took the matter up. We obtained the use of Faneuel Hall, to give a fair, and had our tickets printed, but we didn't give the fair because we didn't have the money.

"The trouble with Mr. Cheswell is he's sore because he was not consulted about the home. If we had gone to him and let him run it, it would, in all probability, have been all right. The suggestion was made that we might get the nucleus of a fund by getting out a book, just as the railroad men and other organizations do, and I was authorized to make a contract with some one to do this for us. Mr. D'Arcy does this work. He is a man I've known for many years, and supposing that he was all right, I gave him the necessary authorization. He was to get 40 per cent. of the gross subscriptions, I think, and out of that he was to pay his traveling expenses and the cost of publishing the book. He started out two months ago, I should think. We depended upon his honor and his records to make a proper accounting of the money he received.

If he took checks he was to make them payable to me. Thus far I have received only one check.

"I am sorry that any notoriety has grown out of the case. Our purpose was an entirely honest one. We realized that the project was a big one for a few men to handle, and it was my intention to suggest, as soon as he got the book out and obtained a fund to act as a nucleus, to turn the money and the project over to some one of the large fire associations like the Barnicoats, to continue and manage the work."

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The First Schoolmaster.

The following is an abstract from an address by Charles Francis Adams, July 29, 1858, at the opening of the New Town Hall, Braintree.

The first schoolmaster employed by the town seems to have been Benjamin Tompson, third son of the first minister. He was a physician besides an occupation not without its value to eke out the scanty subsistance furnished by his school. How much that was may be understood from the following vote of the town.

3 March 1678 "At a public Town meeting it was voted on the affirmation that Mr. Benjamin Tompson schoolmaster shall have this year for his salary, the rent of the town's land made up thirty pounds; and that the town give him a piece of land to put a house on upon the common, to be set out by Joseph Crosby and Christopher Webb, not exceeding an acre and a half or thereabout; and, in case he leave the town, the land to return to the town, they paying for his building and fencing as it is then worth; but if he die in the town's service, as school master, the land to be his heirs forever. It was also agreed that every child should carry into the school master half a cord of wood besides the quarter money every year."

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2 March 1696 "It was voted by the inhabitants of Brantry convened, that Mr. Benjamin Tompson, having many years kept a grammar school in the said town, should. besides the income of the town land and rent thereof, have ten pounds added by way of salary for keeping the grammar school for the year 1696, he acquitting and fully discharging the town from all former debts and arrearages to this day on that account excepting what he may or can obtain in any of the rates or constable's hands which is yet due."

It seems, from the the following vote that the first school house had already become old. Mr. Whitney, who gathered much from the tradition of his time, says that the first school house was near the meeting house of that day. This would be a little to the north of the Second Congregational Meeting House in Quincy, at this day.

22 October 1697 Voted, then, that a new school house should be built in the road between Clement Cox his house and Gregory Belcher's, hard by the white oak tree: the dimensions of the house to be twenty foot long, the width sixteen feet, and seven feet between joints," Gregory Belcher's was on the land to the Eastward of the county road, at the foot of Payne's hill in Quincy. A few months later the good people changed their minds, and voted the old school house good enough to remove to this place. It may naturally be inferred that it was not more spacious than the one ordered to succeed it.

7 March 1698 "It was then and there voted, that the old school house should be removed to the place allotted at a former town meeting, October 22, 1697, or on the land of the Frenches, if attainable, or near to the best convenience."

A year passes over and then comes a new order. The old school house shall not be removed, but the new one shall be built in the place indicated.

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(Continued next week.)

Police Officer Run Down.

Inspector McKay had a narrow escape from serious injury this noon while trying to stop a running horse of F. B. Washburn & Co. of Brockton. The animal, which had been left alone for a few minutes in front of the Department store on Hancock street, became frightened and ran. He crossed the sidewalk in front of the Granite bank, taking the team with him, and then dashed across Granite street on to the sidewalk in front of Fostello's fruit stand. Inspector McKay, who was near at hand, made a grab for the animal's head as he turned into the street again. Unfortunately he failed to grab the horse, and the rear wheel struck him, throwing him violently to the ground. He was taken into Hartwell's news stand, and it was at first thought he had fractured some of his bones. He, however, escaped with a severe shaking up. The horse, after leaving the sidewalk, continued his mad career up Granite street, and was later stopped.

—Monday will be town meeting day in Braintree, Weymouth, Milton and other towns.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Miss Nora Sullivan of Linden street is quite ill with the grip.

The Wollaston W. C. T. U. will meet on Friday March 9, at 3 o'clock at the Methodist church.

Mr. P. L. Jasen, baggage master at Atlantic Depot, is confined to the house with a severe cold.

A telegram was received in this city to-day, stating that Charles Flowers was improving but very slowly in Colorado, and would not be able to travel for some days,

Norfolk County is to have one less deputy sheriff. Since the death of Charles E. Jenney of Hyde Park Deputy Sheriff William Wragg of Needham has moved to that town, and no appointment will be made.

On account of the recent storm, by which trains on the Vermont roads were delayed, the funeral services of Miss Emily S. Lee at Bethany church on Friday was delayed, and the burial with prayer service at the grave took place this forenoon. Rev. E. N. Hardy offered the prayer.

It is curious sometimes how things happen. Last Tuesday the late Frederick Souther and Stephen B. Colby, one of his neighbors were at work together thawing out a pump that had become frozen. That night Mr. Souther died of heart disease and Mr. Colby had a paralytic shock. Both cases happened about the same time and were attended by the same physician.

E. J. Qualey, while driving down Hancock street this morning, got too close to an electric car, which he attempted to pass near the residence of Dr. Welch, and as a result his team was overturned and one of its shafts broken. He had passed the head of the car, which was moving in the opposite direction, and would have got by safely had not another team crowded him onto the car.

Among the Magazines.

In the March number of McClure's Magazine, Mr. Walter Wellman tells another story from his recent extraordinary experiences in the Arctic. The same number contains another of Tighe Hopkins' stories of prison life, and one of Shan F. Bullock's humorous stories of the Irish fields. Cy Warman describes a journey he lately took over the new railroad across White Pass into the Klondike, and Captain Joshua Slocomb tells how he sailed the torpedo boat "Destroyer" from New York to Brazil.

"A March Pot-Pourri," by Lucy Keeler, is the opening article in the March issue of Table Talk. It is interestingly written and will entertain as well as profit its readers. "About the House" is a third paper of series of articles on this subject. It is written by a practical housekeeper.

"The Return of the Business Woman," by Edward Bok "The Anecdotal Side of Mr. Beecher" "College Girl's Larks and Pranks" "The Modern Son and Daughter" "Where the Founder of the Kindergarten was born" are among the notable features of the March Ladies' Home Journal. "The Autobiography of a Girl" "The Theatre and Its People" and "The Parsons Butterfly," are continued, and "Edith and I in Paris" and "Her Boston Experiences" are concluded. Howard Chandler Christy contributes the first of his American Girl series of drawings, showing her at church, and A. B. Frost humorously pictures "The Country Store as a Social Center."

The American Monthly Review of Reviews for March discusses the war in South Africa in its various phases, the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, the Puerto Rican tariff, our situation in the Philippines, the steamship subsidy bill, the Kentucky disorders, Governor Roosevelt's administration in New York, the approaching Presidential campaign, and many other timely topics.

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	3.	Lucy May Shay,	Albert P. and Louise G.
	3.	Elsie M. Lindorf,	August F. and Huld a
	4.	Arturo Rizzi,	Peter and Catherine
	4.	Illegitimate,	
	4.	David W. Anderson,	David and Emily
	5.	Edner Marie Jocobson,	Ole and Annie
	5.	Addie May Nutting,	Fred C. and Mary
	5.	Louise Sullivan,	Daniel M. and Abigail L.
	6.	Hugh Golden,	Bryan and Mary
	6.	David Pierce Ashley,	Chester and Sophronia
	6.	Helen Hayden Collins	Timothy B. and Eva G.
	7.	George Daniel Pitts,	George and Margaret
	7.	Clarence S. Maxwell,	Frederick A. and Alma M.
	7.	Stillborn.	
	8.	James Hilton Marr,	James and Henrietta
	8.	John W. Croke,	Charles and Florence
	9.	Morton G. Anderson.	Nels and Selma
	9.	Jennie Levowitch,	Joseph and Estella
	9.	John Adelo Capistro,	Antony and Rosie
	10.	James Francis Foley,	Patrick and Bridget
	11.	John Joseph Minihan,	John P. and Mary E.
	12.	Myrtle Marion Sass,	Frank C. hnd Meta D.
	12.	Robert Ray Taylor,	Thomas and Mary
	12.	Annie C. Peterson,	Alexander and Catherine
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	15.	Stillborn.	
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	17.	Elmer Leonard Geist,	Earl and Edla
	17.	——— Moore.	Patrick and Mary
	20.	Florence H. Simpson,	William E. and Carrie
	20.	——— McKay,	Daniel and Delia
	20.	Erick Curtis Lewis,	Linwood and Marie J.
	23.	Erick Y. Nelson,	Andrew and Anna
	24.	Alice and Mary Ford,	Daniel J. and Alice May
	15.	Gladys Kingman,	Howard G. and Nellie M.
	27.	——— Chini,	Alexander and Olympia
	27.	Elizabeth Mary Coughlin,	Timothy J. and Julia
	27.	——— Magoun,	Charles and Catherine J.
	28.	——— Seppia,	Seppia and Fannie
	29.	Herbert Frederick Rhines,	William and Mary
	30.	Thomas W. Mayo,	Thomas and Harriet
	30.	Sandbloom,	Frank and Emily
	30.	Catherine Effie Ross,	Archibald and Margare

(To be continued.)

TO LET.

Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a plattorm outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

Any of the above will be let at very reasonable figures.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Durgin & Merrill's Block,
Quincy, Mass.

—Dean academy, Franklin, has been closed this week, on account of the prevalence of scarlet fever.

DIED.

HUDSON— In Cohassett, Mar. 1, Harriet Hudson, aged 85 years.
MYRA—In Quincy, March 2, Donald E., son of Mr. George and Mrs. Lelia L. Myra, aged 4 years, 7 months and 7 days.
RIPLEY—In Hingham, Mar. 1, Mr. Joseph Ripley, aged 80 years.

Braintree Caucus.

Thursday evening, in the Town hall, was held the regular Citizens' caucus to nominate candidates for the town offices for 1900, to be balloted for next Monday at the annual town meeting. The heavy fall of rain and the miserable walking, did not keep those interested away. There were 300 present.

Hon. F. A. Hobart, chairman called the meeting to order, and the following are the nominees for the offices:

Selectmen,—Ansel O. Clark, William W. Mayhew and J. Parker Hayward.

Town Clerk,—Henry A. Monk.

Treasurer,—Benjamin F. Dyer.

Water Commissioner, — James T. Stevens, 3 years.

School Committee, — Thomas A. Watson, 3 years; Rev. C. F. H. Crathern, 3 years.

Moderator,—Hon. Frank A. Hobart.

Tree Warden,—Frank A. Bates, Union street.

Auditors,—Daniel Potter, Charles H. Hayward and Charles J. Jordan.

Trustees of Thayer Public Library,—Robert E. Belcher.

Fence Viewers,—Charles S. Hannaford, Charles A. Belcher and Alverdo H. Mason.

Constables, — William H. Moir, Horace F. Hunt, Thomas Slavin, Christopher T. Bailey, J. H. Lyons, John Kelley, William Maybury, Henry Dugan, Jr., Benjamin J. Loring, Albert H. Hobart, Charles A. Hobart, John Gallivan, James R. Qualey, Albert E. Drollett, David C. Haseltine.

S. F. Pratt, P. C. Spring, H. M. Storm and J. H. Simmons were chosen to sort and count the ballots at the caucus.

Upon the motion of John Kelley, that ballots be cast for nominees for selectmen who shall serve also as highway surveyors, overseers of the poor and assessors, the following were recorded:

William E. Wilde,	55
Louis W. Thayer,	66
Albert E. Avery,	104
William C. Harrison,	138
William W. Mayhew	146
Ansel O. Clark	169
J. Parker Hayward,	178

The caucus proved to be as expected, a hot time. A great deal of fault was found with the selectmen on account of the Town reports not being circulated before the caucus, but they are not to blame, for they gave out the contract to Pratt & Pratt, Jan. 29, and their copy was all ready at that date.

Braintree Reports out Late.

Pratt & Pratt of Braintree, who had the contract fon the Braintree Town Report, had their work done by F. F. Green of Quincy, and there has been considerable comment on the late hour at which the reports were received etc. The following letter is self explanatory.

Editor of the Observer;

At the Citizen's caucus last evening the statement was made that the printing of the annual report had been delayed because the printer was obliged to wait for the copy of the school report. I should not think it necessary to reply to such a statement if its purpose and the nature of its source were understood.

All the copy of the superintendent's report except about a page and a half was given to the printer as early as February 9 and the substantial part of it including all of the statistics some days earlier. On February 9th the printer told me that he was in no hurry for the remaining page and a half of the superintendent's report and the special report of the estimates of expense of the School Committee and that these could be given to him after the regular meeting of the Committtee on the afternoon of Feb. 14. They were handed to him on February 16.

The proof copy of the school report with the exception of one set or table of statistics was given to me on Saturday mornng Feb. 24, at about 9 o'clock as I was starting for Boston. I read and marked the proof copy and gave it to the printer at 6 o'clock on the same day. The printer told me that he had been unable to secure the return at that time of the proof copy of a department report which precedes the school report by a number of pages indicating that that report even had not been printed at that time.

Reference to the last year's will show that even the School Committees' special report of estimates this year was given to the printer about one week earlier than the whole of the school report last year and yet the printer of that year's report was not delayed. The printer this year received the copy of the school report earlier than the Selectmen said in January it would be needed and earlier than some of the department reports that preceded the school report in the whole volume of reports.

The statement was incorrect, unfair and harmful.

Very truly yours
Irving W. Horne.
Braintree Mass., Mar. 2, 1900.

☞ Kentucky continues to exhibit the peculiar ideas of self-government prevailing in that state. The spectacle is not a complimentary one to the state or nation.—Brockton Times.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

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" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

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WANTED.

WANTED—Man Competent to take charge of and manage large granite quarry, located near Little Rock, Arkansas. An opportunity will be given manager to invest a few thousand dollars in quarry if he so desires. Address, GEORGE H. MEADE CO., Little Rock, Arkansas. Jan. 26-30t

WANTED—A partner in the Granite Business in Quincy. Must be fast Stone-cutter, not over 40 years old. Address Ledger Office. Jan. 24-tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also half-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises.
Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET—Furnished Room with furnace heat and bath room. Apply at 27 Chestnut street, cor. Cottage ave.

TO LET.

SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.
CLARENCE BURGIN,
Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

TO LET.

Up Stairs Suite in a Modern House Just Built.

Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address L. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314.
Dec. 28. tf

B. F. CURTIS,

49 Elm Street, Quincy.

TO LET.

Half House of 5 rooms on Baxter Place. City water. $8.50 per month.

Half House of 6 rooms on Elm Place, near Universalist church. South side, in good repair. $12.50 per month.

FOR SALE.

In moving from Hotel in the Briesler Estate to a House No. 3 Granite street, of less rooms, I have the following lot of Furniture, Bedding, etc., which I will sell at a Bargain.

Four Chamber Sets, 10-foot Extension Table, Wardrobe, Lot of Mattresses, Gasoline Stove, Carpets, Bed Springs, etc. etc. Also, A fine Lot af Canaries, Males and Females.

ALEX. E. NASH,

Nash's Hotel, 3 Granite Street.
Quincy, Mar. 2. 6t

First-Class Dressmaking.

MRS. GEORGE A. CHELIUS of Boston will be pleased to meet the ladies of Quincy and vicinity at *No. 6 Coddington St., March 8, 1900.* Feb. 26-1m

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By FRANK A. LOCKE.

20 years a tuner in Quincy. Boston office, Hallet and Davis Piano Rooms, 179 Tremont street, Quincy office, at Linscott's the jeweler. Wollaston office, at Nash's Real Estate office. Telephone, residence. Feb. 26-1y

Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,
A READER

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ALSO.

HAD VISIONS OF RATS

AND TO MAKE MATTERS WORSE THE ANIMALS WERE RED.

Which Naturally Disturbed the Mind of the Gentleman Who Saw Them and Made His Life Anything but a Pleasant One.

"It was a most peculiar dilemma," said the young man who told the story, "one of those miserable situations in which a fellow can't explain himself for fear of being misunderstood, and"—

"But what was it, exactly, that happened?" interrupted a friend from across the table.

"I was just going to tell you. A couple of weeks ago I rented a suit of three rooms in an old building not far from the Hotel Royal, one of those ramshackle barracks that were once handsome mansions, you know, and precisely adapted to the picturesque, semibohemian snuggery I had been longing for several years to establish on that side of town. Well, I moved in, and everything went all right until the afternoon of the second day, when I was smoking a corncob pipe in the rear room, which overlooks a very quaint bricked courtyard, and happened to notice a red rat on top of the cistern"—

"'A red rat!' exclaimed his listeners in astonished chorus.

"'Did you say red rat or dead rat?' asked the man across the table.

"'I said red rat and meant red rat,' replied the narrator. 'The rat I saw was abnormally large in size and bright vermilion in color. Naturally I was somewhat startled. In fact, I got such a sudden move on me that I fell over backward, and when I picked myself up the rat was gone. I tried to argue that the thing was an optical illusion, probably some scrap of red paper which the wind had carried to the cistern top and blown off again, but it was no go. I remembered the beast too distinctly.

"'I went to bed trying to solve the enigma,' continued the young man, 'and got up still thinking about red rats. Of course it was absurd, yet the incident so preyed on my mind and disturbed my train of thought that I found myself unable to do some writing which I had mapped out and was particularly anxious to complete. I kept a close eye on the old court, and after three or four days had elapsed I was beginning to think it was all a dream, when I again saw the red rat—this time with a companion equally large and equally red. The two creatures were sunning themselves at the end of my own back gallery, and I saw them through a window not 20 feet away. There was no earthly chance for a mistake. They were large, live rats, the exact shade of old fashioned red flannel. I glared at them perhaps a minute, and then a door slammed somewhere, and they both suddenly vanished down a drainpipe.

"'That visitation determined me to solve the mystery or perish in the attempt, and I rushed bareheaded down to a little store on the same block.

"'"Excuse me," I said to the proprietor, "but did you ever see any red rats around here?" I must have looked pretty wild. Anyhow, he burst out laughing.

"'"Only once," he said. "They wore little tin caps and carried blue parasols."

"'"Oh, but seriously!" I insisted.

"'"You'll find it serious," said he, "unless you quit drinking."

"'That discouraged me. I went quickly back to my room and tried to view the situation philosophically.

"'"There are some red rats about the premises," I said to myself. "I don't know where they came from or how they acquired that peculiar color, and what is more I don't care. I will dismiss them from my mind."

"'But that was easier said than done. I hate a mystery and was haunted by the horrible fear that I was the victim of a hallucination. Do what I would, those infernal red rats galloped through my brain morning, noon and night. I went into a store to get a cigar and paralyzed the clerk by asking him for an imported red rat not too dry, and a correspondent wired to know what the dickens I meant by writing him that red rats were certain to drop five points before the close of Monday's trading.

"'Finally I couldn't stand it any longer, and, although I had seen nothing more of the rats, I decided to quit the rooms. That was last Thursday, and when I told the landlord I wanted to go he was astonished and pressed me hard for a reason.

"'"Well, to tell you the truth," I said at last, "I don't like the color of the rats in that house. They don't match the furniture."

"'"Oh, the red rats!" he said, laughing. "Are there still some of them left?"

"'"Yes," I fairly yelled, "and for goodness' sake tell me quick what you know about 'em!"

"'"Why, there were two German feather dyers on the third floor last spring," he said, "and just for fun they caught a lot of rats and dyed them red. It killed most of the lot, but three or four seemed to get fat on it, and I've seen 'em running around lots of times. Surely they haven't scared you out, have they?"

"'Then I lied abjectly and told him no; that it was something else and let him talk me into staying. The red rats don't bother me now. In fact, I find them rather decorative. Come down and take a look at them some time."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Held It In His Own Name.

Crimsonbeak—Who was the first man mentioned in the Bible to have real estate in his own name?

Yeast—I'm sure I don't know.

"Why, Lot."—Yonkers Statesman.

MEN OF MARK.

Dwight L. Moody prided himself on the fact that not one expert shorthand reporter out of 50 could make a verbatim report of his sermons.

Charles L. Tiffany, the founder of the Tiffany establishment in Union square, New York, recently celebrated his eighty-eighth birthday anniversary.

Archbishop Patrick J. Feehan of Chicago makes a fad of the cultivation of flowers. In the season he spends all his spare time in his private garden, attending to his plants.

Former Senator Edmunds of Vermont is said to walk a mile every day over the marble corridors at the capitol in Washington. He has resumed the study of law and has a large practice "on the hill."

Alan Arthur, the son of the deceased president, is rarely seen in New York. He travels a good deal, but makes his home in Paris. He is a man of wide culture, an accomplished linguist and a most agreeable gentleman.

Tennyson Jones and Byron Brown are two worthy citizens of a Georgia settlement. Recently on a wager Tennyson devoured two baked possums at a sitting. Byron is distinguished by having consumed seven boxes of sardines in as many minutes.

Ex-Senator Matt W. Ransom, now 73 years old, raised on his estate, near Weldon, N. C., more than 1,000 bales of cotton this season. He has not sold any of it. After George Vanderbilt, General Ransom is the largest landowner in North Carolina.

The multimillionaire Collis P. Huntington, founder of Newport News, said recently, "Virginia is a state for which I have more honest regard and affection than for any other state in the Union, because it has treated me with a consistent and uniform fairness and liberality."

Senator Vest is a Missourian almost by mistake. He was on his way to California in 1853 to practice law there, was snow bound at Georgetown, Mo., and, not being too well supplied with money, decided to practice there for the rest of the winter. He did so well that he gave up the Pacific slope plan.

Alderman Coughlin of Chicago, better known as "Bathhouse John," is one of the most conspicuous advocates of the Boer cause in Chicago and gives evidence of the fact by wearing a Boer hat, which resembles the golf hat, except that its band is of heavy cloth, representing the colors of the Transvaal republic.

Frederick D. Underwood, second vice president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, was while superintendent of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway most popular with his employees. He never forgot a face and, having a good memory, knew by name many of the men to whom he himself was personally unknown.

Dr. D. K. Pearsons of Chicago, who has already given away $2,500,000 of his fortune to colleges and charitable institutions, is preparing to dispose of the remaining $1,500,000 in the same way, with the provision that he receive an income of $30,000 a year for himself and wife during the remainder of their lives. Dr. Pearsons will be 80 years old in a few weeks.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

Never plant a tree unless you are willing to take care of it.

Prune annually, and the cutting off of large limbs will be unnecessary.

There is no use in planting out an orchard unless the ground is well prepared.

It is best to plant out young trees not more than 2 years old rather than older ones.

One advantage with apples is that the market for them is not local, and they can be held for an indefinite period for good prices.

The cause of moss appearing on the stems of apple and other fruit trees is wet, cold, undrained land or a very humid climate.

Cut all apple and other limbs close in pruning. Such wounds heal sooner and make the healthiest trees. Long knots left in pruning are unsightly and injurious.

So far as the growth of the tree will admit, plant deep. By deep planting the roots will get more moisture and will be firmer in the soil and will not so readily blow over.

THOUGHTS FROM RUSKIN.

We are not sent into the world to do anything into which we cannot put our hearts.

No more dangerous snare is set by the fiends for human frailty than the belief that our own enemies are also the enemies of God.

Twenty people can gain money for one who can use it, and the vital question for individual and for nation is never "How much do they make?" but "To what purpose do they spend?"

Whenever money is the principal object of life with either man or nation it is both got ill and spent ill and does harm both in the getting and spending, but when it is not the principal object it and all other things will be well got and well spent.

THE COOKBOOK.

A dirty coffeepot will spoil the strongest infusion; so wash and dry the coffeepot each day after use.

Lettuce or celery may be kept fresh and crisp for several days by wrapping in a cloth wrung out of cold water and then pinning the whole in a thick newspaper.

When you have finished frying, allow the fat to cool a little, then pour it through a gravy strainer into the proper bowl. Thus any loose crumbs, pieces of batter, etc., are taken away at once.

Try potatoes (boiling) with a sharp thin bladed knife. They will not slip apart as they do when they are tried with a fork, which acts like a wedge, and they will not show where they are pierced.

DROPS OF WATER.

The huge geysers in the great Yellowstone park are said to be slowly becoming exhausted.

Recent observations indicate that the time is not very far away when the Dead sea will be nothing but a dry salt mine.

The reason why the Great Salt lake in Utah is growing smaller, according to Professor James E. Talmage, is that the volume of water from its four tributary rivers is being more and more diverted by irrigation.

STYLES OF TODAY.

LINES THAT DOMINATE FIGURE AND FASHION.

The Point In Front—Curves All Relegated to the Back—Gathered Skirts. A Pretty Theater Waist—Sleeves of All Sorts.

A noticeable feature of all the latest models in waists is the point in front at the waist line. If it is not cut on the bodice itself, the belt is arranged to form a decided dip down directly in

USEFUL FOR USING UP REMNANTS.

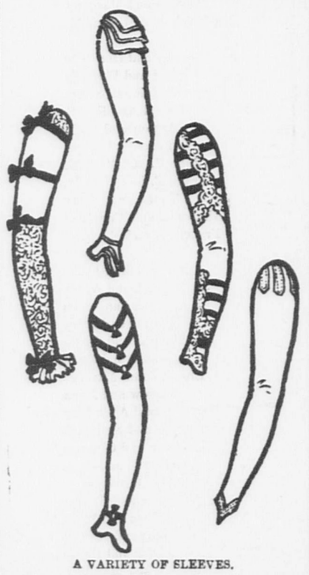
front. This may portend nothing more than a renewed ambition to emulate the long, straight line from the bust to the hem of the skirt, or it may be a premonition of long pointed waists and their accompanying panniers.

The old idea of curving in at the waist line directly in front is entirely out of it this season, and everything which can be done, in the way of standing correctly, in the mode of fitting and special shaped corsets, to emphasize this outline is not neglected by the woman who has any ambition for stylish effect. All the curves are properly relegated to the back and hips, and if they are perfect from fashion's standpoint they are not at all pronounced, but just enough to give a graceful outline.

The skirt with a box plait in the back is especially desirable for evening growns, and a fan shaped plaiting for gauze or net inserted at either side of this plait from the knee down gives the train a very pretty flare.

Rumors and shadows of gathered skirts have been floating around for some time, and they have materialized already among the gauzy evening gowns. Some of the latest models show the gathered skirts, but so far they are chiefly confined to evening dresses.

A pretty model shown for a theater waist is a useful one for using up rem-



A VARIETY OF SLEEVES.

nants, as the jacket can be of one material, the draped front, sash and upper sleeve of another and the lower sleeve of jetted lace. Crepe de chine and heavy lace for the bolero is a great combination. Scarfs with fringed ends are very popular for evening gowns of all kinds. Lace fichus for house gowns are quite the thing in black or white.

Evening sleeves are a diversified appendage which range in size from a mere strap over the shoulders to the limit of full length, according to the New York Sun, from which these illustrations and items of latest fashions are gleaned.

A Pretty Knitted Edge.

Pearl Lace.—Cast on 8 stitches; knit across plain.

1. Slip 1, knit 1, over once, narrow, knit 2, over once, knit 2.

2. Knit 5, over once, narrow, knit 2.

3. Slip 1, knit 1, over once, narrow, knit 2, over once, knit 1, over once, knit 2.

4. Knit 7, over once, narrow, knit 2.

5. Slip 1, knit 1, over once, narrow, knit 3, over once, narrow, knit 2.

6. Knit 7, over once, narrow, knit 2.

7. Slip 1, over once, narrow, knit rest plain.

8. Slip and bind 3, knit 3, over once, narrow, knit 2.

Repeat from first row.

No. 100 linen thread is used for this edging.—Ladies' World.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Henry Maillard, Sr., a wealthy confectioner of New York, died at Paris. He was about 84 years old. Mr. Maillard's wife died in Paris on Feb. 13.

Fire damaged the residence of former Mayor Goodwin of Biddeford, Me., to the extent of $6000.

The house and farm buildings, known as the old Sawyer place, at Methuen, Mass., were burned to the ground, caused by the dropping of a lighted lamp. Ten pigs were burned to death. Loss, $4500.

Reports from St. Pierre show that the French residents there are more bitter than ever against the British residents, especially with respect to the British successes in South Africa.

The offer of Canada to garrison Halifax by the Canadian militia and allow the regulars to be sent elsewhere has been accepted.

President Young has issued a call for a reconvening of the annual meeting of the National league and American association of professional baseball clubs to be held March 7.

Fishing schooner Mandego, ashore at Orleans, Mass., is badly waterlogged, so that there is little show of saving her. The cargo of fish is being unloaded and will be shipped to Boston by rail.

Strike Assuming Vast Proportions.

Chicago, March 3.—President O'Connell of the Machinists union issued orders yesterday calling out all the machinists in the city who were working for firms who had not signed the union agreement. Over 1000 quit work. Nearly 6000 men are now out of work. Before the end of next week it is expected that a large proportion of the 33,000 members of the Building Material Trades council will be on strike. The council voted to order sympathetic strikes in all factories which furnished material to non-union contractors.

Heavy Expense In Clark Investigation.

Washington, March 3.—Just before the adjournment of the senate committee on elections yesterday both the prosecution and the defense in the investigation of the election of Senator Clark announced that they had concluded the presentation of testimony in the case. The argument is still to be heard. The investigation began on Jan. 5, and up to date 100 witnesses have been examined. Their testimony will fill between 2400 and 2500 pages. The expense to the government has so far been about $27,000.

An "American Raad" Incorporated.

Albany, March 3.—The American raad, for the assistance of the South African republic, was incorporated yesterday by the secretary of state. It is organized to raise funds for the relief of the widows and orphans of those killed in the South African war, and to assist the South African republics and their citizens by all lawful methods consistent with the neutrality laws of the United States.

Root Starts For Cuba.

Washington, March 3.—Secretary Root left Washington yesterday for a flying trip to Cuba. The main object of the trip is to enable Secretary Root to confer personally with General Wood. It is inferred that, notwithstanding the apparent serenity of conditions in Cuba, General Wood is apprehensive as to the future, owing to the extreme gravity of important questions that are pressing from all sides for immediate decision.

Two Drowned and Captain Missing.

Philadelphia, March 3.—With the arrival here of four shipwrecked sailors came the first news of the foundering of the schooner Golden Sheaf, with a cargo of coal. The mate and one seaman of the vessel were drowned, and it is feared that the captain was also lost, though the rescued sailors think he may have been saved by an unknown bark, which was nearby.

Defense Rests In "Sapho" Case.

New York, March 3.—The "Sapho" hearing was resumed by Magistrate Mott in his private room yesterday. The defense rested its case after testimony that the play was not improper and the case was adjourned till Monday, when District Attorney Gardiner will sum up for the prosecution.

For Benefit of Science.

North Adams, Mass., March 3.—Dr. Immanuel Pfeiffer, who has conducted a sanitarium here for some time, announces that he will soon begin a 21 days' fast, in the interest of science.

Forty-one Ballots Required.

Salem, Mass., March 3.—Frank A. Newell was re-elected city treasurer in joint convention of the city council last night, on the 41st ballot. The contest against him has been on the charge that he did not properly collect the taxes.

☞ Carpets Cleaned—Taken up and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE

Who are injured by the use or coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

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If you think you are making the most of your opportunities and do not advertise liberally in the Quincy Daily Ledger, which reaches most of the families of Quincy, Wollaston, Atlantic, Norfolk Downs, Quincy Point, Quincy Neck, South and West Quincy. It also circulates in Weymouth, Braintree and Milton.

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Choice Geese,	12 cts.
Choice Fowl and Chickens,	13 to 15 cts.
Short Leg Lamb,	12 cts.
Loin of Lamb,	10 cts.
Leg of Mutton,	10 cts.
Rump Roast of Beef,	13 to 15 cts.
Good Roast of Beef,	8 to 10 cts.
Rump Steak,	15 to 20 cts.
Round Steak,	16 cts.
Good Steak,	2 lbs. for 25 cts
Beef Liver,	8 cts.
Pigs Feet and Tripe,	8 cts.
5 lb. Box Good Butter for	$1.35

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WAS QUICKLY PASSED.

President Submitted a New Puerto Rican Measure to the House.

Democrats Were Completely Taken by Surprise.

All Moneys Collected Upon Puerto Rican Goods to Be Used For Relief of Island.

Washington, March 3.—President McKinley sprung a surprise on congress yesterday in sending a message recommending the appropriation of $2,095,455 for the immediate needs of Puerto Rico, this sum having already come from the revenues of the island.

Not more than four or five leaders of the house appear to have known anything about it. Even Mr. Grosvenor professes that it came as a surprise to him. Probably Cannon, Payne and Dalzell were in consultation concerning it, but whether they inspired the move or whether it was the president's own thought does not yet appear clear.

The bill was as follows: "Be it enacted, etc., that the sum of $2,095,455, being the amount of customs revenue on importations by the United States from Puerto Rico since the evacuation of Puerto Rico by the Spanish forces on Oct. 18, 1898, to Jan. 1, 1900, together with any further customs revenue collected on importations from Puerto Rico since Jan. 1, 1900, or that shall hereafter be collected under existing law, shall be placed at the disposal of the president, to be used for the government and benefit of Puerto Rico until otherwise provided by law; and the revenues herein referred to, already collected and to be collected under existing law, are hereby appropriated for the purposes herein specified out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated."

The message came like a bolt out of a clear sky to the minority. They were at first inclined to hail it with delight as a reproof of the majority for the passage of the Puerto Rican tariff bill on Wednesday. The Republican leaders, however, had a bill ready to carry the president's recommendations into effect. Mr. Cannon asked immediate consideration for the bill, and this was given.

It was only when the debate opened, it having been agreed that 20 minutes should be allowed on a side, that under the lead of Mr. Bailey of Texas the Democrats began lining up against the bill because it placed no limitation upon the president's discretion in the use of the money. The bill was passed by a vote of 162 to 107, 13 Democrats, two Populists and two silver Republicans voting with the Republicans in the affirmative.

Subsequently the Aldrich-Robbins contested election case from the Fourth Alabama district, which the house twice refused to consider Thursday, was taken up, 136 to 129, and was debated for the remainder of the day.

Consideration of the Puerto Rican tariff bill, embodying substantially the provisions of the house bill, and, in addition, providing for a territorial form of government for Puerto Rico, was begun in the senate yesterday. Mr. Foraker (Rep., O.), chairman of the committee on Pacific islands and Puerto Rico, was in charge of the measure.

Mr. Teller (Col.) proposed an amendment providing that the purpose of the bill was simply to establish a temporary government in Puerto Rico for the purpose of enabling the people of the island later to establish a permanent republican government, in which there should be accorded the people the right of self-government, the adoption of a constitution and the establishment of a permanent form of government, not interfering with the sovereignty of the United States over the island. This amendment was followed by another by Mr. Stewart (Nev.), striking out the provision levying a duty on Puerto Rican goods, and providing that they should be admitted free into the United States.

A spirited debate was participated in by Messrs. Foraker, Teller, Stewart and others. Mr. Foraker contended that the duties levied on Puerto Rican products were necessary, because the island was in need of revenues. Every dollar levied as duties would be turned into the treasury of the island, and the committee held that this was the only practicable means of securing the needed funds.

Mr. Stewart strongly upheld the policy of the president, as announced in his last annual message, of giving free trade to the Puerto Ricans.

An hour and a half of the session was devoted to consideration of the Quay case, Mr Hoar (Mass.) presenting an able constitutional argument in favor of the seating of Mr. Quay on the ground, mainly, that it was the intention of the framers of the constitution that the senate should at all times have its full quota of members.

Noted Horse Breeder Dead.

New York, March 3.—Charles E. Bates died at his home here yesterday of pneumonia. Mr. Bates was best known because of the prizes which he had taken at the horse show and as a breeder of fine horses. He owned a large stock farm in Ohio, where most of the horses that he dealt in were bred. From this farm they were brought to New York city and sold.

Lighter Man Knocked Out.

Peoria, Ills., March 3.—Ed Dunkhorst of Syracuse knocked out Jack Hogan of Lima, O., in the sixth round of what was to have been a 10-round contest here last night. Hogan was 30 pounds lighter than his opponent.

Despondent Farmer Kills Himself.

Newburyport, Mass., March 3.—Benjamin F. Perkins, a Newbury farmer, 65 years of age, committed suicide last night by cutting his throat with a razor. Despondency is the supposed cause of the act.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK FOR SETTLEMENT.

Textile Operatives Confident That Manufacturers Will Yield to Their Request.

Fall River, Mass., March 3.—Members of the Textile Council, representing the operatives of the city and the executive committee of the Manufacturers' association, acting for the mill men, met in conference yesterday to discuss the draft of a sliding scale offered by the textile representatives for the consideration of the manufacturers. The scale submitted by the operatives had for its basis an 80-cent margin between cotton and cloth, this figure giving 19 cents a cut for weaving regular 64x64's. The scale previously under discussion was that offered by the manufacturers and based wages on a margin of 75 cents and offering 18 cents for weaving a cut of cloth. There was a difference of about 5 percent between the two propositions and the conference was held for the purpose of adjusting the scale.

After a short discussion the manufacturers asked for time to consider the operatives' scale, stating that they would notify the textile body when they were again ready to confer. The present is an opportune time for the operatives, and it looks as if they might secure the adoption of their rate. The present margin between cotton and cloth exceeds the 80 cents named in the council's list, and with a continued strong market for cloth and relatively strong demand for the production of the mills the outlook for a mutually satisfactory settlement is bright.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 3.—Perhaps the most pronounced sensation of the legislative session of 1900 developed yesterday before the committee on mercantile affairs, when Samuel L. Powers, representing the New England Telephone and Telegraph company, arose in the telephone hearing and instead of making the usual exhaustive reply to the arguments for state supervision, stated that his company would welcome the proposed departure. He was perfectly content, he said, that the policy of the state as to supervision or competition should be settled by the committee "without intervention on our part."

The senate passed the following bills to be engrossed: To regulate the taking of herring and mackerel in Mill and Plum island rivers; to the appointment of certain Newton officials; to extend the civil service law to Natick fire and police forces; to incorporate the Old Kirk Cemetery association.

Without debate the house accepted the adverse report on the petition of David B. Andrews for the seat in the house from Nantucket.

The house passed to be engrossed, by 83 to 31, without debate, the resolve for a system of reformed spelling in public documents.

Signs of ar Uprising.

Mobile, Ala., March 3.—The following has been received from the Mobile Register's Havana correspondent, under date of Feb. 24: I have inside information that there is to be a rising on the island before long. Lately there has been great demand for spurs, machetes and hammocks, the three principal implements of Cuban warfare. Several of the stores have sold out their entire stock of these goods.

Other Powers Not "Sounded."

Washington, March 3.—The secretary of state authorizes a contradiction of the printed statement that the state department has secured the assent of other powers to the provisions of the pending canal convention. No proposition in relation to the subject matter of this convention, he says, has been laid before any other country

Thought to Be the Planet Mercury.

Portland, Me., March 3.—The impression is gaining ground that the wreckage seen near Yarmouth, N. S., came from the Elder-Dempster line steamer Planet Mercury, which sailed from this port for Bristol, Eng., on Feb. 17. The New York underwriters are said to be firmly convinced that such is the case.

Work For Boston Navy Yard.

Boston, March 3.—Orders have been received at the navy yard to furnish anchors and anchor chains for the six cruisers of the Chattanooga rate. Each of the vessels will take three anchors of 600 pounds each, one stream anchor of about 3500 pounds, and two kedges and about half a mile of chain.

Dr. Peters Becomes a Baptist.

New York, March 3.—Rev. Madison C. Peters, formerly pastor of the Bloomingdale Reformed church, was baptized and formally received into the membership of the Cavalry Baptist church last night. Dr. Peters will preach tomorrow in the Clarendon Street church in Boston.

Cleveland's Lecture Prepared.

Princeton, N. J., March 3.—Ex-President Cleveland has already prepared one of his lectures which will be delivered before the university students this spring. Mr. Cleveland will go to Florida next week on a pleasure trip, and it is expected that he will return about April 1.

Chinese Empress Dowager's Latest.

London, March 3.—The Shanghai representative of The Times says: A private telegram from Pekin asserts that the empress dowager has issued orders to viceroys and governors to seek out and arrest all Chinese prominently connected with the reform movement.

Ice Causes a Blockade.

St. John's, March 3.—Ice floes now blockade this port, easterly winds having carried the ice along and closed the entire northeast coast. If the present winds continue no shipping will be able to enter or to leave port for some days.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The heavy snowstorm which extended over northern New York and northern New England has been followed by fair weather in all districts east of the Rocky mountains. This snowstorm was the most severe of the present season. Fair weather will prevail in New England, with slight changes in temperature. Storm signals are displayed on the Atlantic coast from Cape Cod to Eastport.

COMMODIOUS DWELLING.

Designed For Erection on a Narrow Plot of Ground.

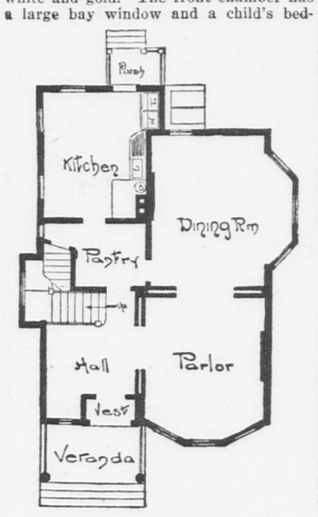
[Copyright, 1900, by George Hitchings, architect, 1090 Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn.]

A house suitable for a suburban town, where narrow building lots are the rule, is here presented. The house has a frontage of 24 feet and is arranged to contain on the first floor a large reception hall,

FRONT ELEVATION.

parlor, dining room and kitchen, with butler's pantry; also a veranda on the front.

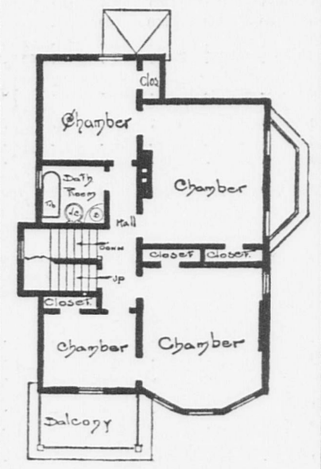
The second floor has four bedrooms and a large bathroom, with tile floor and tile wainscoting about five feet high. The woodwork of the bathroom is finished in white and gold. The front chamber has a large bay window and a child's bed-



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

room in connection with it. Each bedroom has a large closet. There are two large bedrooms in the attic, as well as a storeroom, making in all ten rooms and a bath.

The exterior is covered with white pine bevel siding, with the exception of a belt course of shingles below the second story windows. The roof is covered with cedar shingles stained brown. The belt



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

course is also stained brown, and the siding is painted a chrome yellow, with white trimming.

The foundation is built of good hard burnt brick, 12 inches thick below grade and 8 inches above grade. The cellar floor is concreted. Heights of ceilings—cellar, 7 feet; first floor, 10 feet 6 inches; second floor, 10 feet; attic, 8 feet.

Trees and Shrubs.

Bushes add to the moisture of the soil, and when near the house wall they should be removed if the soil be permeable to water only slightly. Through thickets of bushes any excess of ground water does not evaporate as quickly as through uncovered turf. While a few high trees, suitably placed, serve to intercept the fiercest rays of a tropical sun, shade trees over and about a house in cooler climates are undesirable, since they lessen the healthful force of the sun and wind. As a windbreak for a house in an exposed or level situation trees are desirable to the northward and northwestward or otherwise disposed so as to afford shelter against the bleakest winds in cold localities. Like surfaces of water, trees appear to intercept "malarial" air currents. Thus it may not be well to remove a grove or thicket lying between habitations and a malarial swamp or river bottom.—Selected.

Extra Compensation.

The terms of a contract providing that no claim for extra compensation should be allowed unless the extra work was done upon the written order of the architect and the amount computed by him, also that the measurements and estimates of the architect are to be conclusive on both parties, together with other similar terms, may be waived by the acts and conduct of the parties to the contract.—Williams Versus Mears, 5 Lack. Leg. N. (Pa.), 104.

Must Satisfy Both.

A contract with a portrait painter to take and pay for a painting provided that it was satisfactory cannot be construed to mean that it should be taken if satisfactory to the painter merely because that was his understanding of the contract.—Barry Versus Rainey, 57 N. Y. Supp., 766.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For Week Beginning March 4. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—How God pays men.—Math. xix, 30; xx, 1-16.

"Many that are first shall be last, and the last shall be first" (Math. xix, 30). This truth is illustrated immediately by Christ by the parable of the laborers in the vineyard.

THE PARABLE.

The kingdom of heaven is likened unto a householder who early in the morning hired laborers for his vineyard, who agreed to labor for a penny a day. At the third, sixth, ninth and eleventh hours he hired other laborers on condition that he would pay them what was right. When the day's work was done and a settlement was made, "they received every man a penny." The first hour laborers complained that they had been unjustly treated in that they received no more than those who had labored but one hour. But the householder insisted that he had paid them the bargained price for their labor and claimed further the right to do as he pleased with his own.

THE INTERPRETATION.

This is conceded to be one of the most difficult of Christ's parables to understand and explain. It is unnatural and seems at least to be unjust until understood. The householder is God. The vineyard is the church. The steward is Christ. The laborers are God's servants in the church. The wages are God's final rewards when life's day is done. But two questions need to be answered: 1. Whom do the different laborers represent? Whoever they may represent, they cannot represent the same persons at the different periods in their lives. Therefore there can be found here no encouragement to any one to put off serving God till late in life with the hope of being as fully rewarded as if he had served God throughout his entire life. The laborers represent at least different persons called at different times in the church's history and who responded to the first call. For instance, they may represent the Jews, who were called first, and the gentiles or different periods in the life of the church since Christ's time. 2. Why were all paid alike, since some worked longer than others? The best explanation seems to be that the difference resulted from the different spirit in which the labor was performed. The first laborers made a bargain. They were to get a penny for the day's labor. They worked for wages and hence could not justly complain. The others made no bargain. They were to receive what was right. They left the matter of pay entirely to the householder. They confided and trusted in him. They represent not the labor of the hirelings, but the labor of confidence and of love, which always receives the greater reward. The hirelings received hireling wages. The confiding, trustful laborers were paid in the spirit in which they had labored. Can we wonder, therefore, that it was larger than the former?

THE APPLICATION.

How does God pay men? Not in proportion to the time or quantity of labor performed, but in accordance with the spirit in which the labor is performed. The man who labors for wages will receive his wages, and the one who, forgetful of rewards and wages, out of a heart full of gratitude and love, renders unto God a life of loving, grateful service will be rewarded in the same spirit. Can we doubt as to which will receive the greater reward?

THE PRAYER MEETING.

Have a catechetical meeting. A number of important and interesting questions can be asked upon this parable and topic. Distribute the questions at least a week before the meeting and have the leader ask them in regular order, so as to bring out the explanation and application of the parable.

Bible Readings.—Gen. xv, 1; Ps. i, 1-6; xvi, 1-11; Mal. iii, 8-18; Matth. v, 11, 12; vi, 19-21; xxv, 31-46; Acts iii, 1-10; I Cor. i, 27-31; Eph. iii, 8-10; Col. ii, 1-3; Rev. ii, 10; iii, 14-22; vii, 9-17.

Modern Self Sufficiency.

A dominant characteristic of the time is self sufficiency. One meets with it everywhere. We look down upon culture of the last generation. We are so much wiser than our fathers that it is needless to talk of what they said or did. Even over religion affectation has placed a sort of directing goddess. We must bridle our emotions. Fervid speech is no longer conventional. To say nothing prettily is a great achievement. The Bible itself needs revision. The prophets are old fashioned; even the New Testament is antiquated. So we are listening, in lieu of sermons, to lectures on Tennyson, Longfellow, Shakespeare and Count Tolstoi. Well, Isaiah and the prophets can calmly wait, but the opinion of those old fashioned preachers upon some who claim to be their modern successors would be of absorbing interest.—New York Examiner (Baptist).

Future Punishment.

I do not believe the punishment will be any greater in the next world for what we do and perhaps not so great as for that which we do not do. A poor, unfortunate being, born of depraved parents, knowing nothing but sin of the worst kind, surely is not as responsible for his condition as one born of good parents amid Christian surroundings. If we sit with our hands folded, puffed up with silly pride, afraid of the opinion of society, afraid to lend a helping hand, afraid to love them and afraid of their love, surely God is more displeased with us, with our foolish pride, than He is with them in their sin and ignorance.—Martina R. Adams Nixon.

The Birds of Sadness.

You cannot prevent the birds of sadness from flying over your head, but you may prevent them from stopping to build their nest in your hair.—Catholic Universe.

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

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Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

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r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
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r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

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r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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a, Wollaston, f, Harrison Square.
b, Norfolk Downs. g, Savin Hill.
c, Atlantic. h, Crescent Avenue.
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a. m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a. m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a. m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a. m.
New Moon	30	3:30 p. m.			

BRAINTREE.

The most exciting roll off of the season at the Kenwood alleys took place Tuesday evening, with a large number present. McDonald won over Hollis by two pins, the former's score being 247 pins and the latter knocked over 245.

George D. Willis got quite a scare Tuesday. He was in a building on Spring lane Boston, when the explosion of a steam pipe jarred the whole building.

J. F. Sheppard & Sons have about 700 or 800 tons of ice in their houses left over from last season, and the rumor that they are to go New Hampshire for ice is denied by them.

A social will be held March 7, at 7.30 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Arnold, Middle street, under the auspices of the Universalist Y. P. C. U.

The local branch of the Old Colony Grocers and Provision Dealers Association will hold a business meeting and supper at the Hampton house next Wednesday evening.

The Republican town committee met Tuesday evening in the Selectmen's room and organized for the year 1900 with C. C. Mellen, chairman; H. M. Storm, secretary; and Will W. Mayhew, Treasurer. William C. Harding's resignation was read and accepted and Benjamin Hawes, Jr., was elected to fill the vacancy.

The 4th annual reception of Class 27 of the First church Sunday school will be held in the chapel of the church on Wednesday evening, March 7, from 8 to 10 o'clock. No printed invitations will be issued this year as everybody is cordially invited to attend. It is the sincere desire of the class that all its friends will be present on this occasion.

Mrs. William Bowditch of Allen street, who has been so seriously ill, is slowly improving.

It is reported that J. F. Sheppard & Sons will erect at once an ice house on the shore of Hinkydory lake.

G. H. Arnold marketed this week from his immense greenhouse handsome strawberries almost as large as hens' eggs.

Mrs. Atherton Hunt of Pine street entertained the Weymouth and Braintree Whist Club on Tuesday afternoon. A delightful little lunch was served after which the prize was awarded Mrs. Willard Dow. Mrs. George E. Williams will be hostess at the Club's next meeting.

Friday morning during the absence for a few minutes of the members of the family of Henry Moody of Norfolk square, a sneak thief entered their rooms, rifling the pockets of a suit of clothes belonging to Mr. Moody's son, Lewis, and leaving the apparel on the floor with the pockets turned, minus about fifteen dollars. A pocketbook containing two or three dollars was also taken from the dining room. The thief in his hurry left the front door wide open. Some two weeks ago, the same house was entered from the rear door and a pocketbook with about a dollar in change and a child's safe containing five dollars was taken while the family were in the next room. Officer Dugan was immediately notified and is at work on the case.

ITEMIZED SCHEDULE OF MUNICIPAL DEBT.

The following statement is from the annual report of the City Auditor for 1899:

TITLE.	DUE.	RATE.	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	TOTALS.
Plumbing Wollaston and Coddington Schoolhouses,	Jan. 1,	3 1-2		$250	$250	$250	$250	$250	$250	$250	$250	$250	$250	$2,500 00
Land, Wollaston Engine House,	Jan. 1,	3 1-2	.	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	1000	5,500 00
Purchase of Hose,	Jan. 1,	3 1-2	.	500	500	500	500	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000 00
Poor Department,	Jan. 1,	3 1-2	.	1500	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,500 00
Schoolhouse, Whitwell street,	Mar. 1,	3 1-2	.	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	40,000 00
Drain, Lincoln and Willard avenues,	Mar. 1,	4	200	200	200	200	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	800 00
Pleasant and School streets,	Mar. 1,	4	200	200	200	200	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	800 00
Billings road and West Elm avenue,	Mar. 1,	4	500	500	500	500	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000 00
Permanent sidewalks,	Mar. 1,	4	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	.	.	.	.	.	6,000 00
Hancock street,	May 1,	4	4000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4,000 00
Beale street,	May 15,	4	.	2000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000 00
Common street,	June 1,	4	1200	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,200 00
Hancock street,	June 1,	4 1-2	2000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000 00
Hose house, Ward Two,	June 1,	4	1000	1000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,000 00
Paving Copeland street,	July 1,	4	1000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	.	.	.	15,000 00
City stable,	July 1,	3 1-2	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	.	.	4,500 00
Schoolhouses, Wards Four and Five,	July 1,	4	7500	7500	7500	7500	7500	7560	7500		.	.	.	52,500. 00
East Elm ave., $500 Payne street, 1000 Putnam street, 200 Garfield St. drain, 500 Engine and hose houses, 975 Furnace brook wall, 500 Drain and catch basin, Ward 6, 475 Crescent street, 3500	July 1,	3 1-2	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	.	.	.	.	7,000 00
Hancock street paving,	July 1,	3 1-2	1000	1600	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	2000	.	.	10,000 00
Grade crossings, $500 Billings road, 3000 Quarry street, 7500 Permanent Sidewalks, 8000 Paving east side of Hancock street, 11,000 Willard street, 1,500 Trafford street, 500 Payne street, 300 Beale street, 1,500 Nightingale Ave., 500 Goddard St. and Federal Ave., 200	July 1,	3 1-2	2000	3000	3000	3000	3500	4000	4000	4000	4000	4000	.	34,500 00
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Miller Stile road, $1,200 Tide gate, Almshouse, 300 Whitwell street, 500 Brook road, 400	Aug. 1,	4	500	500	400	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,400 00
Permanent sidewalks,	Aug. 1,	3 1-2	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	.	.	9,000 00
Hancock and Granite Sts. widening, $1,200 Old Colony St. drain, 500 Widening Hancock and School Sts., 1,434 Finishing room in John Hancock schoolhouse, 550 Additionals for City stable, 1500	Aug. 1,	3 1-2	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	.	.	4,500 00
Health loan,	Aug. 15,	3 1-2	300	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	300 00
Hook and ladder truck,	Aug. 15,	3 1-2	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	400	.	2,200 00
House connections,	Aug. 15,	3 1-2	2000	2000	2000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6,000 00
Heating Adams and Quincy schools	Sept. 1,	4	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	.	.	.	.	.	6,000 00
Rebuilding Adams St.,	Sept. 1,	4	500	500	500	500	500	.	.	.	.	.	.	2,500 00
Miscellaneous fire,	Sept. 1,	3 1-2	850	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	850 00
Rebuilding Adams St.,	Oct. 1,	4	1000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,000 00
Culvert at Washington and Canal streets,	Oct. 1,	3 1-2	500	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	500 00
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Schoolhouse land, Whitwell street,	Nov. 1,	3 1-2	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	.	5,000 00
Fire alarm boxes and changing No. 3 circuit, $875 Willard wall, 200 Madison street, 600 Wiring almshouse, 150 Footway, Beale street bridge, 275	Nov. 1,	3 1-2	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	300	.	2,100 00
Chemical, Ward One,	Nov. 21,	4	.	1800	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,800 00
Central fire station,	Dec. 1,	4	3000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3,000 00
Water street paving,	Dec. 1,	4 1-2	5000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5,000 00
Land for High schoolhouse,	Dec. 1,	4 1-2	10000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10,000 00
High schoolhouse,	Dec. 1,	4 1-2	8000	8000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	16,000 00
Land for schoolhouse, Ward Five,	Dec. 27,	4	3600	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3,600 00
Land for schoolhouse, Ward Four,	Dec. 27,	4	3000	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3,000 00
			$70,950.98	46,305.61	29,450	27,550	27,150	26,650	24,650	16,150	15,150	11,450	6,750*	$323,206 59

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Skated Into an Airhole.

Clarence Dow, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dow of Braintree, had a narrow escape from drowning Wednesday. With several other boys he was skating on the ice on the meadows between River and Union streets., and went with other boys on the ice south of Union street to see if the ice was better there.

In passing under the limbs of a tree he skated into an air hole.

He clung to his rail kite which kept him from going under, until help came to him. He succeeded in attracting the attention of his companions who were quite a distance away. Albert Qualey crawled out to him, with Haven Belcher's assistance, and Clarence was pulled out, in a completely exhausted condition. A man going by on the road came to his aid and started him for home on the run, Haven Belcher going with him.

It was a bitter cold day with the thermometer registering ten above zero and Clarence's clothes froze solid, but Belcher kept him on the run all the way to his home, almost a mile.

By the prompt and thoughtful treatment by Mrs. Dow, the boy did not take cold, and went skating the next day.

Belcher and Qualey should each be awarded badges by the Humane society for their presence of mind and bravery.

—Rev. Dr. Henry van Dyke, the well-known author, has just been given $30,000 by his former parishioners in New York for the purchase of a house.

TODAY'S COURT.

Edward Fuller was fined $5 for drunkenness at Milton, and David Gustafson $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

The continued case of Thomas Murray of Weymouth for drunkenness was called and was continued for another month.

The continued case of William Woodward, for assault on John O'Rouke at Braintree, was called and he was given until March 17 to raise his fine of $8.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial next Tuesday at the civil session of the District court:

112—Graves vs. McIntosh and tr.
43—Vinton vs. Cunningham.
307—Hunt vs. Buttimer and tr.
308—Hansen vs. Buttimer and tr.
309—Owen vs. Buttimer and tr.
310—Mosher vs. Buttimer and tr.
353—Backus vs. Mahoney.
7—National Mt. Wollaston Bank vs. Cavanagh
28—Miller vs. Stuart.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

1ST SUNDAY IN LENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, — Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Holy Communion and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School and Confirmation class at 12 M. Choral Evening Song and address at 7 P. M.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Teachers' meeting at chapel on Tuesday evening at 7.30, conducted by pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Human mirrors." Bible School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening service at 7.30. A twenty-minute praise service, the new singing books being used, followed by an address. Subject: "The Hero of Darkest Africa," with reference to the British-Boer war.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 P. M., by pastor. Sunday School at 3.45 P. M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Our Union: How does it benefit the town directly or indirectly?"

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Communion at 11.45. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Subject: "The Sea of Galilee." Rev. Edward Norton will preach. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. Benjamin F. Parliman of Haverstraw, N. Y. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Fort Square — Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "The result of fear." Sabbath School and Bible class at 11.45 A. M. Exposition of the Sabbath school lesson at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "Lessons from David." Mid-week service Thursday at 7.30 P. M. All cordially invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street—Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "The glorious future of the children of God." Lord's Supper at the close. Sabbath School and pastor's Bible class at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Snubeams for weary toilers."

WOLLASTON METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Waterhouse, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon with celebration of the Lord's Supper. Sunday School at 12 M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. People's service at 7 P. M. Grand gospel praise meeting, after which the pastor will preach on the topic: "Occupied or no room for Jesus!" Everybody welcome.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Preston Gurney, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "New cloth in an old garment." Sunday School at 12.10 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Missionary.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "A portrait of Jesus from three points of view." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "How God pays men." Friday evening service at 7.30 o'clock. All welcome.

Keith's Theatre.

An unusually fine program has been prepared for the entertainment of the patrons of Keith's Boston theatre during the week commencing March 5. The eniment actor, Robert Hillard, will be the star attraction, supported by his excellent company, presenting the one-act play, "The Littlest Girl." Some of the others are; Al. W. Filson and Lee Errol, in the laughable farce, "A Tip on the Derby", Smith and Fuller, novelty musicians, just returned from a successful European tour; Schuyler sisters, a trio of clever vocalists; the Tennis trio; Indian club jugglers; Mattie Nichols, "coon" singer; Silver and Emerie, ring performers, and Jules Keller, equilibrist. It will be the last week for "The Girl with the Auburn Hair," the delightful act that has given so much pleasure to so many thousands during the last month. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Milton Royle, in their new comedy sketch "Tripp' Troubles,' are underlined for the week of March 12.

—The Dedham public library has 16,660 books, and loaned 33,131 last year.

New Books.

List of books recently added to the Thomas Crane Public Library:

Adams, O. F. Archbishop's unguarded moment, and other stories.		363 34
Anderson, Edward. Camp fire stories: sketches of the union army in the Southwest.		211 43
Arber, Edward, *editor*. English garner. Sv.		109 1-8
Bemis, E. W. *editor*. Municipal monopolies: papers by American economists and specialists [Library of economics and politics].		65 76
Brady, C. T. For the freedom of the sea: romance of the war of 1812.		296 46
Bullen, F. T. Log of a sea-waif: recollections of the first four years of my sea life.		145 34
Butterworth, Hezekiah. Treasure ship: tale of Sir William Phipps, the regicides, and the inter-charter period in Massachusetts.	j	743 16
Clark, Henry Scott, *pseud*. Legionaries: story of the great raid.		258 63
Cram, W. E. Little beasts of field and wood.		503 37
Douglas, R. K. China. [Story of the nations].		346 5
Earle, Alice M. Child life in colonial days,		391 49
Ford, P. L. Many-sided Franklin.		427 41
Hearn, Lafcadio. In ghostly Japan.		111 40
Henty, G. A. No surrender! tale of the rising in La Vendee.	j	287 46
Henty, G. A. Roving commission; or, through the black insurrection at Hayti.	j	287 47
Henty, G. A. Won by the sword: tale of the thirty years' war.	j	287 48
Hoyt, Deristhe L. Barbara's heritage; or, young Americans among the old Italian masters.		310 20
James, William. Talks to teachers on psychology, and to students on some of life's ideals.		502 64
Lefebure, Ernest. Embroidery and lace.		486 16
MacManus, Seumas. In chimney corners: merry tales of Irish folk lore.		86 46
Meigs, W. M. Growth of the constitution in the federal convention of 1787.		342 33
Meyer, F. S. Handbook of ornament.		476 62
Munsterberg, Hugo. Psychology and life.		552 66
Norris, W. E. Giles Ingilby.		328 49
Pier, A. S. Pedagogues: story of the Harvard summer school.		356 44
Pierson, Clara D. Among the farmyard people.	j	502 62
Pierson, Clara D. Among the meadow people.	j	502 60
Pyle, Howard. Merry adventures of Robin Hood.	j	742 4
Seawell, Molly E. Lively adventures of Gavin Hamilton.	j	228 45
Shakespeare, William. New variorum edition, edited by H. H. Furness. Vol. 12. Much adoe about nothing.		827 34
Sienkiewicz, Henryk. Knights of the cross. 2 v.		209 40.41
Stockton, F. R. Vizier of the two-horned Alexander.		208 50
Tadd, J. Liberty. New methods in education: art, real manual training, nature study. [Natural education series.]		504 38
Thompson, E. S. Trail of the saddle hill stag.		246 18
Wright, Mabel O. Wabeno the magician: sequel to "Tommy-Anne and the three hearts."	j	457 20

Castle Square Theatre.

The pronounced success made by the production of "The Firm of Girdlestone" at the Castle Square theatre has led the management to retain it as the attraction at this theatre for a second week, and the further opportunities to enjoy the performance of this play will, without question, be fully improved. The adapters of Conan Doyle's thrilling story have succeeded most happily in putting the stage version into such a shape that it appeals directly to audiences and holds the attention from the beginning to the end of the play. All of the strong dramatic scenes of the story are retained and the plot is developed most skilfully. The various members of the company in the cast have made distinct successes in their several characters, and the staging of the play is admirable in every way, a particularly striking and realistic bit of stage craft being shown in the shipwreck scene. On Monday, March 12, an elaborate revival of "The Prisoner of Zenda" is announced and the usual distribution of chocolate bon bons will be made at the Monday matinee.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

FIGHTING IS GOING ON.

Brabant and French Meet the Boers and Engage In Encounters.

Army Under Joubert Collecting at Abraham's Kraal.

Cronje Thanks Britishers For Kindness and Consideration Shown Prisoners.

London, March 5.—Dispatches from South Africa show that fighting is going on both in Cape Colony and the Orange Free State.

General Brabant reports that he attacked and captured some Boer positions near Dordrecht, and the operations show that Boers still remain in considerable force in northern Cape Colony.

General Brabant's advance was most satisfactory. After marching and bivouacking over night the force reached the strong intrenched positions which they occupied and now hold, the Boers being on the opposite hill. The British remained in the captured positions, although the Boers brought two guns into action and made a determined effort to retake them. The British losses are six killed and 18 wounded.

The chief interest, however, centers in Roberts' operations in the Orange Free State, and news of heavy fighting may now be expected at any moment.

General French found a large force posted in a strong position on a kopje within a few miles of Roberts' camp at Osfontein. He opened fire and the Boers replied with a heavy gun.

The dispatches also show that the Boers are collecting a large army at Abraham's Kraal, a position 30 miles east of Paardeberg. Joubert is said to be concentrating the whole of the Ladysmith forces, with large numbers of the Free Staters, at Abraham's Kraal, and this movement would indicate that Roberts will meet with fierce resistance before he is allowed to reach Bloemfontein.

The war office gave out the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated Osfontein, Sunday, March 4:

"General Cronje, on behalf of his party, and Commandant Wolmarans, on behalf of 4000 other prisoners, who have all now left Modder River, asked the British officers to thank me for the consideration and kindness with which they have been treated.

"General Clements reports that his advanced troops held Achtertang and that railway communication would be opened to Joubert's siding today. The enemy is still in force at Norval's Pont bridge.

"Colonel Baden-Powell reports that all was well at Mafeking on Feb. 15, and that the enemy's activity was being met everywhere by actual activity on the part of the defenders.

"The position is unchanged at Osfontein, except that frequent heavy showers have materially improved grazing to the benefit of the horses and transport animals."

The Standard says: We believe that negotiations for England's acquisition of a port in Portuguese East Africa, giving easy access to Rhodesia, are on foot and are likely to succeed in view of the turn the war has taken.

Abraham's kraal, as shown on the war office maps, is a group of three kopjes situated at the junction of Kraal spruit with Modder river. It is a natural point of concentration, which the Boers could make exceedingly strong, but, after the proofs of the mobility of the army of Lord Roberts, it may be doubted whether they will make a really serious attempt to bar his advance there.

A noticeable feature of all the recent operations at the theatre of war has been the active employment of colonial forces, which is in marked contrast with the policy adopted at the beginning of the war. The Australian colonies have decided to provide the 2500 men Mr. Chamberlain recently asked for.

It is now seen how near Ladysmith was to starvation and the exhaustion of ammunition. The town could hardly have withstood another Boer assault, or have held out much longer. The Daily News has a dispatch from Ladysmith which says that the supplies on hand were only enough to provide full rations for four days. The town might have held out another week, but scarcely beyond that.

Spenser Wilkinson, in The Morning Post today, merely reviews the small events announced in the dispatches from the front, and expresses the opinion that the Boers can place more than 40,000 men to oppose Lord Roberts by a complete abandonment of Natal. He says: "Without that the Boers must keep two strong rear guards, one at the crest of the Free State passes and the other at Biggersberg. General Buller is between them, and can threaten either at his discretion. He can, therefore, compel them to keep a disproportionate force on the two lines, or to leave one or the other open to his advance."

Drowned Herself In Bath Tub.

Wellesley, Mass., March 5.—Mrs. Magoun, aged 33, wife of the president of the Magoun Leather company of Boston, committed suicide by drowning in a bath tub, at the home of her mother. Mrs. Magoun, who belonged to a wealthy family, was married last October.

MANY DROWNING ACCIDENTS

Reported as a Result of Persons Venturing Upon Ice Which Was Unsafe.

New York, March 5.—Albert and Henry Hennes, aged 6 and 8 years, respectively, sons of Bernard Hennes, were drowned while playing on the ice at Grasmore, S. I. The boys and their brother, John, 14 years old, broke through the ice. All three were quickly taken from the water by men who were near the scene. John was revived, but his brothers were dead when found.

Hudson, Mass., March 5.—Hugh Reardon, 7 years old, was drowned Sunday by going through thin ice. His brother Herbert, 8 years old, and his cousin, Eddie, aged 6, were also precipitated into the water. Herbert is in a very precarious condition and may not recover.

Lawrence, Mass., March 5.—Arthur Herbert Dimery, 14, was drowned in the mill pond at North Andover Sunday while playing hockey on the ice. The body was recovered.

Bellefont, Pa., March 5.—Edward and Fred Keller, aged 18 and 14, sons of Jacob Keller of Pine Grove Mills, were drowned by breaking through the ice into 10 feet of water. Edward at first got out of the water, but seeing his brother likely to drown, plunged to his rescue, and sank with him.

Dr. Talmage on War.

New York, March 5.—Rev. Dr. Dewitt Talmage occupied the pulpit of the Marble Collegiate church yesterday. The speaker said: "Nothing stirs the blood like the deeds of the heroic, but the brave deeds of military life will soon give way to the braver deeds of sacrifice in helping one another. There are many people listening to me who will hear the last cannon roar in the cause of war. War is unnecessary, the present war and the last war as well."

Discharges Precipitated a Strike.

Lynn, Mass., March 5.—Forty-two cutters employed at the shoe factory of Harney Brothers have struck work for an increase of wages. The firm discharged two of the cutters who had been active in a movement for an advance, and the strike followed. The increase demanded amounts to about ½ cent a pair on work given out in lots of 18 pairs or less.

McKinley Talks to Ohioans.

New York, March 5.—At the Ohio society's banquet on Saturday night President McKinley's reference to the maintenance of the gold standard, the open door and the absence of entanglements caused great applause. When he said 75,000,000 men could not fail to establish liberty and justice and good government in the new possessions there was tremendous applause.

Winter's Cabinet to Resign.

St. John's, March 5.—The cabinet of Premier Winter will probably resign within the next 48 hours. The premier has thus far been unable to make any combination that would enable him to carry on the government for the purposes of the pending session of the legislature. It is believed that Mr. Bond will be unable to form a ministry from the opposition ranks.

Strong Temperance Argument.

Lexington, Mass., March 5.—Professor Edward Cummings of Harvard university, in a mass temperance service Sunday night, presented statistics showing the effects of license. "Labor statistics," he said, "show that 85 percent of all the crime in Massachusetts is due to liquor, and it costs the state $5,000,000 annually for the arrest and maintenance of criminals."

Three Children Cremated.

Olympia, Wash., March 5. — John, Charles and Emma, aged respectively 5, 7 and 9, children of Charles Wenger, living near here, were burned to death Saturday night. The parents were absent from home, and an elder sister was left in charge of the house and children. She was badly burned in attempting to rescue her brothers and sister.

Textile School Faculty Criticised.

New Bedford, Mass., March 5.—There was a largely attended pro-Boer meeting here last night. Resolutions were adopted condemning the action of the faculty of the textile school in holding a big dinner in honor of the relief of Ladysmith and demanding an investigation. The dinner was represented as under the school auspices.

Succumbed to Lung Trouble.

New York, March 5.—Martin Mahon, proprietor of the New Amsterdam hotel, and the chief figure in the Fayne Moore badger case, died at Redlands, Cal., of lung trouble. Mr. Mahon has not been in good health since the trial of Fayne Moore. He left the city on the advice of his physician.

Both Were Probably Drowned.

New Haven, March 5.—William Buck, aged 32, single, and Oscar Turcotte, agd 50, married, are suposed to have been drowned while duck hunting. The men started on a duck hunting trip and later the overturned boat, oars, coats and other paraphernalia were found off Johnson's point.

Netherland's Minister Arrives.

Washington, March 5.—Baron Gevers, the new minister from the Netherlands, arrived here last night. The post of minister from that country has been vacant for some time, the business of the legation being transacted through the consulate general's office at New York.

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LIKELY TO CONTINUE.

Chances For Settlement of Granite Strike Are Vanishing.

Manufacturers Reject Barre Compromise Scale.

Union Men Appear Firm In Belief That They Will Ultimately Win.

Boston, March 5.—At a meeting of the ratification committee of the Granite Manufacturers' association of New England the committee refused to ratify the agreement entered into between the Granite Manufacturers' association of Barre, Vt., and the Barre branch of the Granite Cutters' National union for 35 cents an hour and an eight-hour day.

This action means a downright refusal of the New England association to allow one of its members—the Barre association—to carry into effect the agreement entered into with the cutters of that place. This will leave but two courses to be pursued by the Barre manufacturers, either to break the agreement with the cutters or withdraw from the association.

The meeting in this city represented Quincy manufacturers, who constitute the largest group of quarrymen in the east, employing over 3000 men. The Concord, N. H., manufacturers voted to stand by the New England association, so this draws the line sharply between the employers and employes in this section of New England. The indications previously pointed to an adjustment of the wage schedule on the basis of the Barre agreement, as the Quincy manufacturers' offer was 33 cents per hour on an average. The eight-hour day does not appear to be in dispute at this time.

The answer of the manufacturers will be formally made to the cutters some time today, and the strike will then begin in earnest. The Barre schedule, it seems, has proven agreeable to many individual manufacturers at various points, chiefly in Rhode Island and Connecticut, and this fact makes the union men firm in their belief that they will win the day.

Dance Ended In Shooting Match.

London, Ky., March 5.—Millard Hughes was killed and several men were injured Saturday night at a dance in Smallwood's resort, near Bornstadt, a mining town. Hughes was attacked on account of an old grudge. During the fusillade Hughes' head was shot off, and others wer hit by stray shots. The shooting ended the dance. Leonard Smallwood, who killed Hughes, then went to slep in the room with his victim's body. After the coroner's inquest, Leonard Smallwood and Hamp Gragg were arrested as principals.

Death of Archbishop of Dubuque.

Dubuque, Ia., March 5.—Most Rev. John Hennessy, first archbishop of Dubuque, died Sunday, aged 74 years. In March, 1893, the archbishop was first stricken with partial paralysis of the brain. On Feb. 15 he was again stricken, and last Friday night he had the stroke which finally caused death. There are several candidates for the archbishopic, but it is thought that Archbishop Keane, former rector of Washington university, will be the man.

To "Emerge From Isolation."

Lima, March 5.—El Commercio, commenting upon a dispatch from Washington announcing the probable reconvocation of the Pan-American congress, says: "Although Peru was the only South American government not represented at the congress, she will presumably be invited in this instance, and will take part, thus emerging from the international isolation from which she has suffered."

Wolff Is Reappointed.

Boston, March 5.—For the first time in the history of the Massachusetts G. A. R. its judge advocate will serve for two successive years. This honor goes to James H. Wolff, a colored lawyer, who performed the duties in such a commendatory manner under Past Commander Gilman that Commander Smith has appointed him again to the same position.

Quintin Bandera's Sentiment.

Havana, March 5.—Quintin Bandera has written to The Patria saying that a post has been offered him by the intervening government, and has been accepted by him, after consultation with generals who have themselves accepted positions. He says: "Although I have accepted the position, I nevertheless belong heart and soul to Cuba."

Mutineers Shot Down.

Cairo, March 5.—A serious revolt of 70 convicts at Tourah, the great prison near Cairo, nearly involved 500 other prisoners. A volley was fired from a window opposite, through the window of the room occupied by the malcontents. Five of the mutineers were shot, and two, it is believed, fatally. All then surrendered.

A Cool-headed Youngster.

Ellsworth, Me., March 5.—Omar Stevens fell through the ice in Patten's bay, and Milton Winchester, aged 8, who was the only person near, heard his cries, pushed a sled to him and pulled him out.

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Thursday,	—	42	37	50	40
Friday,	—	41	36	54	44
Saturday,	—	35	35	60	51

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Good Afternoon.

It will be a year, April 3, that Co. K, U. S. V., returned from service in the Spanish war. The day should be remembered annually.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ The salary increases asked for at the hands of the legislature reach the handsome total of more than $250,000. And this at a time when a breathing spell is asked for by Gov. Crane on behalf of the commonwealth. The ways and means committee should "sit down" upon them without the least compunction of conscience.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞ Between the Society of the Cincinnati, the Sons of the Colonial Wars, the Colonial Dames, the Sons of the Revolution, the Daughters of the Revolution, the Society of the War of 1812-15, the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, the Grand Army of the Republic, the Kearsarge Association of Naval Veterans, the Army and Navy Union, the Sons of Veterans' the Daughters of Veterans, the Association of the Spanish War, the Tea Party clubs, etc., almost countless, there cannot be much danger that history will not be preserved to posterity. The only danger seems to be that many individuals will join them all, and thus become permanently patriotically intoxicated.—Hingham Journal.

☞ Rev. Mr. Hillis of the Plymouth church in Brooklyn speaks highly of the work that the newspapers are doing for the world. The newspapers have sometimes borne down on Mr. Hillis with strong criticism, but he does not seem to be offended, nor to indulge in diatribes concerning the editorial fraternity in retaliation therefor. We suppose if he were to look he would see plenty of things in the newspapers of which he would not approve, and of which he might feel bound to speak in criticism, but for all that he is ready to be discriminating, and to praise where he believes praise to be due. In this respect he sets a good example to some newspapers, which can hardly bring themselves to speak respectfully of a clergyman, because some clergymen have offended them by criticism, deserved or undeserved. It seems to us that both the ministerial and the editorial professions can afford to be entirely fair and frank with each other, without any exhibition of bad temper. Mr. Hillis can, on his part, as he has demonstrated their good sense by following him.—New Bedford Standard.

Temperance at Nantasket.

The Metropolitan Park Commission has taken the Hotel Tivoli property owned by the Burkhardts at Nantasket, and the bar has been ordered closed. The land covered by the hotel measures 28,000 square feet. The amount of property now taken by the commission on this reservation includes about half the total area, and more than half of the total value of the property. The Hotel Nantasket property was purchased from the Steamboat Company some time ago for $175,000, and an offer of $12,000 is still open for acceptance of Hiram Alden of Randolph, the owner of the Arlington House. Hotel Nantasket is to be leased for the summer and run as a temperance house. The roller coaster will be run for the season by the management of the hotel. —Transcript.

Job printing at the L[edger] ...

AT WORK AT BARRE

But Weather and Stock Against Them.

Conference Tonight of Quincy Cutters and Manufacturers.

Differences of Opinion Still as to Terms of Barre Settlement.

Barre, Vt., March 5, 10:30 A. M.—All of the granite sheds in Barre opened up for business as usual this morning. The weather, however, is quite severe and cold, and this with the shortage of stock made it necessary for many of the cutters to take a day off.

Situation in Quincy.

It looks now as though the granite trouble in Quincy would be of longer duration than it did last Thursday when the men went out. After news had been received of a settlement in Barre at 35 cents per hour, the question of whether it was average or minimum still being in doubt, it was thought by many, to only be a few days before an agreement would be reached in Quincy as the Manufacturers here had made an offer of 33 cents per hour.

It was expected by many that at the meeting of the New England Association, announced to be held Saturday action would be taken that would go a long way toward settling the difficulty. It did not, however, and the time when this strike will be settled remains an open question.

According to the reports of the New England Association meeting of Saturday as published in the Sunday papers, the Association with little debate, refused to sanction the proposition of the Quincy manufacturers to settle on the Barre schedule, and also not to grant the compromise as made by the Barre association.

Unless the latter association is loyal to the New England Association, it looks as though Barre would be forced out of the New England Association.

The rules of the New England Association provided that the terms of agreement made by any local association must be ratified by the ratification committee before they become operative. It is understood, however, that the Barre manufacturers have set their men at work on the new schedule. If, however, Barre, remains in the New England Association, the agreement entered into with the men must be declared off, which means a prolonged strike throughout New England. If on the other hand the Barre association withdraws from the New England Association it would appear, that this locality being Quincy's greatest competitor, that it would not be long before some agreement is reached in Quincy.

That the Quincy cutters are ready and willing to accept a minimum price of 35 cents per hour is evident, notwithstanding that their constitution demands 37 1-2 cents per hour.

Another conference between the two committees representing the Manufacturers' Association and Cutters' union of Quincy will be held tonight, but what the result will be is hard to foretell. It is evident, however that the manufacturers will not raise their offer of 33 cents per hour, as made at the two meeting held last week.

The press committee of the Quincy Union gave out the following Saturday night:

"The press committee of the Quincy branch of the Granite Cutters' National Union, having read the various statements regarding the stand taken by the workmen in Quincy, feel justified in giving to the public a brief statement of the existing conditions, and hope that the more conservative class, and the impartial, will form an opinion after studying the facts, and not before.

"The eight-hour day demanded by the workmen—eight hours for work, eight for rest and eight for recreation—is an equal division of hours. This standard, or division, has the indorsement of all labor organizations in the United States, and in every city in the commonwealth where the question was submitted to a referendum vote it received the approval of the citizens, proving beyond a doubt that public opinion is favorable to the adoption of the eight-hour day.

"Many employers—in fact, a majority of them—admit that the men are entitled to and should receive the amount asked, or more, and they (the employers) say they would willingly pay the same if the market would stand the increased cost which must follow the advance in wages. The workmen say that in the New England states alone a large number of the firms have settled, the price list accepted by these firms being formed upon the same basis principle as that desired by the Quincy granite cutters, and they believe that family lawyer who conducts business in Dugan was at work o[n]

Quincy can pay as large a wage rate as is paid by other employers in New England who are in the same business; also, it may be added, they obtain from the same market a price which enables them so to pay.

"So, taking into consideration the arduous work performed, the great skill required, the ever present dangers of loss of eyesight from flying stone chips and pieces of steel, the shortness of life by reason of the granite dust acting in an injurious manner upon the lungs, the increased cost of the necessaries of life, which is fully 25 per cent., the workmen would seem to be justified in requesting that the present conditions be so changed or improved, as will result in their receiving their proportional share of that prosperity which some people say is now "sweeping throughout the land."

Minimum or Average?

One of the Quincy granite manufacturers, who was present at Saturday night's meeting of the New England Granite Manufacturers' Association, when seen this morning by a representative of the Ledger, said there was evidently an attempt on someone's part to misrepresent the terms of the agreement made at Barre between the manufacturers and cutters.

Secretary Duncan and the cutters of Barre and Quincy stick to it that the agreement signed there was for a minimum of 35 cents per hour. The agreement signed by both parties, however, a copy of which will be shown at tonight's meeting in Quincy of the two conference committees, distinctly says an average of 35 cents.

This is not surprising, for Barre has always settled previous troubles on an average price per hour, while the Quincy cutters have demanded a minimum price. Quincy cutters claim that an average price means anything, and as stated in these columns, the price offered by the Quincy manufacturers of a 33-cent minimum is better than that settled upon in Barre.

A GROCERY GUTTED.

Fire in Dangerous Locality on Hancock Street.

Quincy is certainly getting its share of bad fires this year. The record for fires and alarms during January and February was way beyond any two months on record. Up to February 21, there was an alarm of fire nearly every day. Then there was a respite until Sunday morning when Box 23 was rung in.

The fire is supposed to have started from an overheated stove in the candy kitchen on Hancock street occupied by J. E. Nickerson. It had not been burning long before it was discovered as Officer Murray was front and back of the building about 1 A. M. It was about 2.15 o'clock when the Chinaman, who has a laundry in one of the adjoining stores was aroused by smoke penetrating his rooms. He gave a war whoop and again Murray was handy and turned in an alarm.

When the department arrived, the store of Mr. Nickerson was a mass of flames and the fire had burned through the sheathing into the store of N. Weston on the no th and was threatening Music Hall on the south. Several lines of hose were brought into play from the front and rear, and the gallons of water soon began to get the best of the fire, although it was some time, before the recall was sounded.

An examination after the fire, showed that the interior of Weston's grocery store was the greatest wreck. But little fire had reached the front part of the stores but smoke and water had done almost as much damage as fire could have done. The losses are hard to estimate. Chief Engineer Williams, however, thinks $1,000 will cover the loss to the building and $1,000 will cover the loss to the contents, including the smoke damage done to J. N. Page's stock of cigars and tobacco, smoke having worked all through the adjoining stores and into the Music Hall block.

The sounding of three blows shortly after the alarm was rung in puzzled many. Ordinarily this is the Chief's call, but when the apparatus is at a fire and this call is sounded it is a signal that the relief hose wagon at the Central Station is wanted. At this fire Chief Williams early saw the need of more hose and this call brought a wagon from the Central station at short notice.

Friday Club.

The meeting of the Friday club which was held at Miss Edith Randall's on March 2, was of exceptional interest. Mrs. Ilsley was in charge, and her program was prepared with great care. The subject was "Transitional Poets"—Butler, Lovelace, Denham, Cowley, Marvel and Dryden. Sketches of the lives of these poets were given, and there were also effective readings from their works.

Inspector Lennon of the Board of Health had the misfortune to trip and fall Saturday, bruising his face somewhat.

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NOT ALL WRONG.

Col. Parker Knows Better Ways Now But Did Well in 1875.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

The words uttered by Colonel Paker, as quoted in the Ledger last Saturday from an editorial in the Popular Educator for March, need either the context to explain them or a translation. As they stand, they are very misleading and convey a wrong impression.

Colonel Parker is often extravagant in his language. He seems to assume that his hearers will take his word, in their spirit, rather than in their literalness. Those who were with me when he said his work was "all wrong," thus translated him: For twenty-five years he has been studying, experimenting, teaching and testing, and he feels that he has learned much in all these years. He would not now do what he did in 1875. Nevertheless, considering the conditions, what he did do was the best possible for the times and it was right. He knows better ways now, and in the unlimited and untrammeled field that Mrs. Emmons Blaine has opened to his riper experience, he will develop them. These are far superior to those experiments of the old Quincy days, and in comparison with them, the old ones were, to his mind, "wrong."

It should be added that the Quincy work of today is not what it was in 1880. It has been undergoing slow changes just as has been the case with school curricula and methods throughout all the progressive states in the Union.

The editor of the Popular Educator is right in saying:—"We do not believe that the work done by Colonel Parker was "all wrong," and furthermore the Colonel himself would agree with the editor—unless this interpretation were given his words. For corroboration of this statement see the prospectus of the new Chicago Institute of which he is president.

An Old Teacher.

Suicide of Atlantic Man.

A dispatch from Pawtucket to the Globe reports David Hislop, who boarded at 11 Hamilton street, died by his own hand Saturday afternoon. His body was discovered by a fellow-boarder, who gave the alarm.

Medical examiner French went to the house and on a table close to the body discovered a tumbler, which contained a suspicious liquid, which, when analyzed, was found to by cyanide of potassium. He decided that it was a case of suicide.

Near the fluid was a note, which read: "Goodby all. Thank you for your kindness."

Hislop was about 45, and leaves a wife at Atlantic, Mass.

His business here was collecting information and advertising for a book he was to publish in the interest of a local lodge of Red Men, and he had been here since October, having done similar work in the city for other lodges.

Thursday he informed a friend that while in a saloon in Providence he fell asleep and that while he slept his pocketbook, containing $20 and much of the facts for his book, was taken, and it is thought the loss of the articles combined with his habits, caused him to become despondent. He is highly spoken of by those who know him.

☞ According to the Municipal Bureau of Statistics in its report to Mayor Hart it now costs $52.32 yearly for every inhabitant of Boston to support the city's expenses. And no committee of the City Council has been to the Paris Exposition either, but some of them in other days have been somewhere else and the Hub has paid dearly for it, too.—Lynn Item.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

City Council tonight.

A beautiful day Sunday.

Not much of a snow storm.

Town meeting day in the suburbs.

Mrs. E. C. Bellows and Mrs. E. Chase won prizes.

Mrs. William Hammond of Billings street is dangerously ill with the grip.

Many of the unmarried stone cutters have left Quincy, looking for work elsewhere.

Rev. W.W. Dornan goes to Lawrence today to take part in evangelistic services in that city.

The large sign, designating the office of the Water department, has been moved from the north to the south side of City Hall.

Up to the present time the winter has been a remarkably open one. There have been some disagreeable days but on the whole not much fault can be found.

The hearing on the petition to commission tow boat captains as pilots in Quincy bay before the land and harbor committee Wednesday was postponed until Thursday of this week.

Mr. Sanford of Freeman street has gone to Missouri to work, much to the sorrow of his friends and church people. Mr. Sanford will be missed in the church as he was a hard worker and always stood by the church.

Wednesday afternoon last brought the last of the Wednesdays in February on which receptions have been given by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fuller Bassett at their residence in Ashmont. Mrs. Bassett was before her marriage Miss Mary Pierce, a society girl of Quincy. —Journal.

Mrs. Josiah A. Kindall of Walker street gave a whist party at her home Friday evening March 2. There were three tables. No men present, so a great deal of talking, it is whispered, was carried on between deals and games. Ices and cake were served. encouraging.

Mrs. Parker of Atlantic street, who is one of Atlantic's old inhabitants, and who is nearing the years of life when each day brings her nearer that "country from whose bourne no traveler has yet returned," is seriously ill. Not only her relatives are anxious and concerned, but all those who have long known Mrs. Parker and loved her kind gentle self. It is hoped she will recover, although the prospects are not encouraging.

Braintree Votes No.

Theres's no doubt about Braintree. It will continue a No-License town for another year by a large majority. The vote today was Yes, 40; No, 207. The scattering votes for town officers were very few. The vote was as follows, all the Citizens' candidates being elected.

FOR TOWN CLERK.

Henry A. Monk,	294

FOR TOWN TREASURER.

Benjamin F. Dyer,	294

FOR SELECTMEN, ETC.

Ansel O. Clark,	289
William W. Mayhew,	285
J. Parker Hayward,	288

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

James T. Stevens,	292

FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 YEARS).

Thomas A Watson,	294
C. F. Hill Crathern,	274

FOR AUDITORS.

Daniel Potter,	290
Charles H. Hayward,	294
Charles G. Jordan,	293

THE STRIKE IS ON!

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Yours truly,
A READE[R]

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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 1, 1900.

THE Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 771, (petition of Edgar R. Champlin) authorizing mayors of cities of less than one hundred thousand inhabitants to pass upon and veto certain orders, resolutions and votes of school committees, at room No. 444, State House, on THURSDAY, March 8, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

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Yours truly,
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PUBLIC BATH HOUSE.

Park Commissioners Mean to Secure One This Year.

Act Drafted to Secure Special Legislation.

The Money Necessary Now in the City Treasury.

For several years the various Mayors, including Mayor Hall, have recommended that the Park Commissioners establish public-bath houses. The present board of Park Commissioners has investigated the matter with this result:

First. The Public Statutes—Chapter 54—prohibit the erection of any building on a park or playground having an area of over 600 square feet. This act barred the Commission from erecting the proposed bath house.

City Solicitor Sears was consulted with the result that the following bill was drafted and presented to the General Court:

Sect. 1. The Park Commissioners of the City of Quincy may erect and maintain in the parks or playgrounds of said city, that now are or hereafter may be under their control, structures for the shelter and refreshment of persons frequenting such parks or playgrounds, and may erect and maintain thereon public bath houses along the shore and within the bounds of any such parks of playgrounds. Such structures or buildings shall be erected in such places as in the opinion of the chief of the fire department of said city do not endanger buildings beyond the limits of such parks.

Sect. 2. Section 16 of Chapter 54 of the Public Statutes and Chapter 75 of the acts of 1893 shall not apply to such structures or buildings.

Sect. 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Second. There have been ample funds to carry out this and other improvements deposited in the banks of this city for two or three years to the credit of the Park Commission. The money came from various sources.

In 1893, the City Council appropriated $50,000 for the purchase of playgroundes and the improvement thereof. The Treasurer gave the city's notes for that amount and the money was placed to the credit of the commission. Of this amount they expended $47,210.08, leaving a balance of $2,789.92.

Among the conditions imposed upon the Third Hill playground was that $3,000 of the purchase money should be placed in the hands of R. F. Claflin, Esq., cashier of the National Granite Bank, and should be used for constructing a road from Adams street to the summit of the hill. This was done at an expense of $2,504.77 leaving balance of $495.23. Subsequently the Metropolitan Water Board, in casting about for a hill of suitable elevation upon which to construct a storage reservoir and erect a stand-pipe, decided that this Third hill was the proper place. The city thereupon sold the playground to the Board for $4,000. These three balances make a total cash balance to the credit of the commssion of $7,285.1, without accrued interest. The commission desired it is so understood to put about $1,800 into a public bath house on the Ward Two playground, which skirts for some distance Town river. After that is done a considerable sum will be left to gradually improve the other parks and playgrounds. The work upon them is of such a nature that nothing can be done hastily, but will require considerable study by landscape architects before work can be actually commenced. Outside of the Ward Two bath-house and the opening of a way to it, probably but little visible work, other than the ordinary care, will be done upon the other playgrounds this season.

To place the whole matter upon a permanent basis the Commissioners will ask the Council to authorize them to draw against this balance for permanent park improvements, as the various sums are needed from time to time.

Funeral of Mr. Shunk.

Services over the remains of the late John Shunk were held at the Wollaston M. E. Church on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. The edifice was filled with relatives and friends. The services were conducted by the Rev. J. S. Waterhouse the pastor of the Society and the Rev. W. Goodrich of the Free Will Baptist Church of Cambridge. There was a profusion of floral pieces. The internment was at Mt. Wollaston Cemetery.

—There were 29 births in Hull during the past year. Thirty-two deaths recorded during the sam period. Ten marriages are recorde for the year ending December, 1899.

GRANITE BLACK LIST.

Verdict Against Quincy Dealer Is Sustained.

The full bench of the Supreme Court sent down decision Saturday overruling the defendant's exceptions in the case of John P. Weston vs. Frederick Barnicoat and sustaining a verdict of $3,000 which plaintiff recovered against the defendant, who procured the name of the plaintiff to be "blacklisted by the Quincy branch of the Manufacturers' and Wholesale Granite Dealers' Protective Association of New England.

The Court, says the Transcript, affirms its decision in the case of Hartnett vs. Plumbers' Supply Association, reported in 169 Massachusetts 229, where it was held among other things that associations of the kind in question have no right to oust the courts of their jurisdiction by "blacklisting" persons who do not pay their bills.

The present case was an action to recover for a libel, brought by plaintiff, a granite dealer in Rochester, N. Y., against the defendant, a granite dealer in Quincy. The alleged libel consisted in publishing the plaintiff's name on the confidential list of the association. The confidential list was published by the association under its by-laws, and was a list of "dealers" who refuse or neglect to pay their honest debts." It was the custom to publish a debtor's name on the list for failure to pay one debt. A by-law of the association provided that it should be confidential, and that no member should disclose the same to a person not a member. The plaintiff, after receiving a sample of the kind of granite to be used by defendant, ordered a monument of white Westerly granite. The monument was made and sent to plaintiff, who set it up where it remained for a number of weeks, at the end of which time plaintiff objected to the quality of the granite and to other things, also contending that it was not up to the sample. The matter was referred by the parties to a committee of the association, who reported in favor of the defendant, but plaintiff refused to abide by their decision. Plaintiff was asked to pay for the monument, refused to do so, and after action by the directors of the association, his name was put on the "blacklist."

Plaintiff brought suit against the defendant in the Superior Court for having his name "backlisted," and recovered a verdict of $3,000. The case was then taken to the Supreme Court on exceptions, which the latter Court this forenoon overrules. The Court in a decision, written by Chief Justice Holmes, says:

"Several rulings were asked on the question of privilege. As we have said, the case is to be considered solely on the footing of libel. From this point of view it is perfectly plain that the judge could not have ruled that the communication was privileged as matter of law. The jury well might have found facts that would cut at the roots of such a ruling. They might have found not only that the proposition that the plaintiff was a man who refused or neglected to pay his honest debts was false as they have found, but also that it was known by the defendant to be false. They might have found that it was volunteered for malevolent motives. They might have found that the whole organization was a mere scheme to oust the courts of their jurisdiction, and to enforce colorable claims of the members by a boycott intended to take the place of legal process, and that there was no pretence of any duty about the matter. Indeed, it is hard to see how the by-laws or any understanding of the defendant about the by-laws could have afforded him a justification, as the by-laws merely express the terms on which he saw fit to enter into a voluntary organization. A man cannot justify a libel. More specifically, a false statement of a kind manifestly hurtful to a man in his credit and business and intended to be so, is not privileged because made in obedience to the requirements of a voluntary association got up for the purpose of compelling by a boycott the satisfaction of its members' claims to the exclusion of a resort to the courts. Of course, we do not mean to say that the statement might not have been privileged if believed to be true, and if the purpose of the association and publication was understood to be merely to give information to the members concerning the credit of people with whom they might deal. But none of the requests were limited to such a state of facts.

The difficulty in supposing it is that the by-laws expressly require the members to have no dealings with any person whose name is on the list."

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QUINCY BABIES OF 1899.

A Total of 712 or an Average of Very Nearly Two per Day for the Year.

Parents noticing errors of any kind in the births of 1899 as published in the Ledger, are requested to notify City Clerk Cleaves prompty, that corrections may be made before the City Book is printed.

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
Oct. 1.	James Joseph Fallon,	John L. and Mary E.
1.	Edson G. Waterhouse,	Joseph F. and Jennie M.
2.	Percy Jenkins,	James H. and Elizabeth S.
2.	——— Walsh,	William and Julies
2.	Catherine Rose,	William G. and Elizabeth
3.	John Herbert Totman,	Christopher J. H. and Alice
6.	Horace Edward Hussey,	William B. and Margaret J.
6.	Eva Shackley,	Joseph W. and Maude
7.	Winifred Gunning,	Bartholomew and Annie
7.	John Gilcoine,	James and Mary
8.	Leno Chester Rosa,	Peter and Columbia
9	James Carroll,	John and Susan
9.	Dorothy Brooks Jones,	Frederick E. and Clara L.
10.	——— Wilson,	Carl and Annie
10.	——— Rennie,	John and Jane
10.	——— Tinney,	James and Lizzie
10.	Frederick James Oppie,	James and Mary J.
10.	John J. Connelly,	John J. and Annie M.
10.	Carl H. S. Carlson,	Henry and Hilda
10.	——— Barry,	Maurice and Mary
12.	Henry W. Petterson,	John A. and Ingar
12.	Elliot Stoddard,	Alexander E. and Ella H.
14.	Eleanor B. Parsons,	Charles F. and Ellen
14.	Conrad S. Keyes,	William E. and Katherine
15.	Stillborn.	
15.	George D. E. Bouchard,	Touissand and Ludwine
15.	——— Berggren,	Pehi and Amanda
16.	Julian E. Macdonald,	Angus G. and Margaret
16.	Vilhelm Isaacson,	Anthony and Cecelia
16.	Samuel George Trevaine,	Samuel and Elizabeth
16.	——— MacDonald,	Angus and Maggie
17.	——— Church,	George H., and Hattie A.
17.	Lippi L. Wirkkala,	Abraham and Christannia
17.	Margaret Gavin,	William and Mary
18.	Francis G. Marden,	Harry G. and Fannie A.
20.	Anna Theresa Sheahan,	Michael and Ellen
21.	——— Sheahan,	Thomas and Mary
21.	Stillborn.	
21.	Stillborn.	
21.	Elizabeth Dorothy Russell,	Alexander and Elizabeth
21.	——— Thomas,	James and Annie
22.	Thure Hemming Alenquist,	George and Hilda
22.	Everett Cooper Pinkham,	Arthur F. and Alice L.
22.	——— Nicholson,	Angus and Elizabeth F.
23.	Emma K. Felicia,	Krosta and Emma
23.	Clarence Rogers Burgin,	Clarence and Minnie
24.	Michael Flaherty,	Michael and Ellen
24.	Annie Nicholson,	John A. and Annie
24.	Richard Chalmers,	David and Christina
25.	Alice May Flaherty,	John and Mary
25.	Alice O'Brien,	James J. and Mary E.
26.	John J. Malone,	Patrick and Leonora
26.	Paul Vasanti,	Rinaldo and Amelia
26.	Clarence W. Chilstedt,	Charles and Clara
26.	James Matthew Corbin,	William R. and Nora
28.	——— Thompson,	Emanuel and Annie M.
28.	Hjalmar L. Leppaitan,	Finille and Fanny
30.	Mildred Eleanor Stuart.	John and Eleanor
31.	Warren Benvenuto,	Antonio Lucy
31.	John William Roberts,	John G. and Elizabeth
31.	Alice Brogan,	James B. and Alice

(To be continued.)

Rev. R. W. Peach's New Charge.

The Camden (N. J.) Daily Courier of March 2, had a very full report of the installation of Rev. Robert Westly Peach recently of Quincy as pastor of the Second Presbyterian church in that city, the society at the same time celebrating its fortieth anniversary. The Courier says in part:

The dual celebration at the Second Presbyterian church yesterday, that of the fortieth anniversary of the organization of the church and the installation of Robert Westly Peach, as pastor of the church, were attended by appropriate and characteristic exercises and the pretty church building at Fourth and Benson streets crowded from early in the afternoon until late at night. The interior of the edifice was very prettily decorated for the occasion and the pulpit was fairly hidden beneath banks of palms and flowers. It was a great day for the members of the congregation as they turned the mark that led them on to the half century and looked back upon the years they had passed worshiping in one edifice and working much good for the advancement of Christ's kingdom, and it was no wonder their souls overflowed yesterday and tears came to the eyes of some of the older members as they glanced around and looked in vain for faces that had long ago gone to their rest. The old members were there in force. Some of the original members of the church when it was organized in 1860 came from other cities to be present.

Rev. James W. Marshall, D. D., of the Broadway M. E. church welcomed Mr. Peach to the fellowship of the churches of Camden, and said in part: "We welcome you to the brotherhood of the ministry of Christ in this city. We welcome you as an addition to the evangelical clergy, believing you will preach the gospel that shall be an untold blessing to all here. We welcome you to the church of Christ, not simply the Presbyterian church, but to the forty evangelical churches of this city. We welcome you most heartily to all the work of the Kingdom of God awaiting us. On the Eddystone Lighthouse is this motto: "I stand to give light and to save life," so he, who comes bringing and reflecting gospel light and saving men from the powers of sin is welcome to and by a ministry that is evangelical, earnest and useful"

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents.

An Early Visitor.

About 12.45 Sunday morning Mr. Hirtle's people of Beach street, Wollaston Park, were somewhat startled by a loud knock on the door. Mr. Hirtle went to the door as soon as he could and in walked a man about six foot tall and invited himself to take a seat. As he sat down he gave a sigh of relief and muttered this is all right. After Mr. Hirtle had recovered his senses, he inquired what was wanted, and the man told him he belonged there, that it was his home, and he refused to get out. He was dressed neatly, but had no hat. Every thing they asked him he would say was all right. The woman up stairs were speechless, and Mr. Hirtle told the man he must get out for the woman were afraid, but he only replied, they ought to be kicked a few times. But after a while, with the assistance of another young man, they managed to get visitor out of the door and snap the lock. Mr. Hirtle said he did not think the man was drunk, he thought he must have "wheels". He was seen loitering around Mrs. Brown's place on Beach street corner of Willow by W. H. Cleaves, about half an hour before.

Happy-Go-Lucky.

Judge Humphrey is probably not aware what bright fellows he is sending up to the State farm. The Brockton Enterprise says: A majority of the inmates at the Bridgewater State farm are happy-go-lucky fellows who worry little. This was shown in several ways at the minstrel show which was given by inmates last Thursday. One of the end men asked the interlocutor the length of the longest bridge he had ever seen, and the latter replied that it was one in Africa which required five hours to cross. The end man replied that he knew a longer one in this country, and when asked where it was replied, "Bridge-water. The last time I crossed it it took me ten months."

Another man attributed his incarceration to his physician. "How was that?" queried the middleman.

"Well, you see, I wasn't feeling well, and I went to see the doctor. He told me I ought to take something, so I went out and took a gold watch."

DIED.

KENNEDY—In Quincy, March 3, John Howard, son of Mr. John, and Mrs. Mary Howard, aged 3 years, 1 month and 11 days.
ENOS—In Quincy, March 4, Mrs. Philemon M., wife of Mr. Charles Enos, aged 53 years and 16 days.
TIRRELL—In Tewksbury, Feb. 27, Mrs. Sarah, widow of Mr. Charles H. Tirrell, formerly of Quincy, aged 56 years.
HOUGH—In Hingham, Mar. 2, Mrs. Lucy Earle Cushing, wife of Mr. Oscar E. Hough, aged 28 years.
PERKINS—In Quincy, March 4, Miss Mary Perkins, aged 70 years.
HISLOP—In Pawtucket, R. I., March 3, Mr. David Hislop, of Atlantic aged 45 years.

Do not wash your hands and face with a common laundry soap, or if you do, don't complain when you find them rough, hard and chapped. Ordinary laundry soaps are good for scrubbing floors, but not for the skin. Ivory Soap makes a creamy lather that rinses easily and takes the dirt with it. The natural oil of the skin washed with Ivory Soap is not removed, and the skin is left soft and smooth.

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City Council Business.

There is considerable business to come before the regular meeting of the City Council tonight. The Committee on Water Supply will report on the order for $30,000 for the extension of the water service; the Committee on Public Buildings will report on the Cranch school lot.

The Committee on Streets, one of busiest committees of the Council, will report on the orders for two street crossings, regrading of Furnace avenue, Grove street, Madison street, Billings road, Goddard and Federal avenues; completing the widening of School street; completing Howard street; on the communication of the Mayor relative to change of location of Sea street; on the order for $17,000 to complete Coddington and Sea streets, and on the petition that the State Highway Commission be requested to release Washington street.

The Committee on Finance have several matters before them, from which reports may be expected.

In the calendar are the orders for $650 for the culvert on Furnace brook, and for a relocation of poles for the New England Telephone Co. on Sea and Spear streets.

A communication containing the estimate of the School department for the ensuing year will probably be received, and a request for an appropriation to meet the deficiency of last year.

TODAY'S COURT.

Daniel Cronin was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy and was sentenced to thirty days in the house of correction.

John Hannam was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy and was put on probation for three months.

John J. Ford was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy, and James Holmes $5 for drunkenness at Braintree.

The continued case of Lawrence White for drunkenness at Quincy was called, and again continued until Tuesday.

The continued case of Albert Cooledge for drunkenness at Quincy was called, and he was defaulted.

JUST OPENED,

BY HANS HANSON.

The Store No. 10, Granite street, has just been opened for Shoe Repairing and Manufacturing for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children. From years of experience he guarantees first-class work.

Feb. 24. tf

Mortgagee's Sale.

PURSUANT to power of sale contained in a mortgage deed given by Herbert F. Fisher to Jacob W. Wilbur, dated November 1st, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Libro 802, Folio 584, for breach of condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing same will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on TUESDAY, March 27th, 1900, at 2 P M., all the property described in said mortgage, viz:

A certain lot or parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being a part of lot numbered sixteen (16) on a plan copied by Devlin and Mackey, bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by a part of said lot sixteen (16) about fifty-eight (58.0) feet distant from the dividing line between said lot 16 and lot 15 on said plan, about one hundred and fifteen and thirty-three one hundredths (115.33) feet; easterly by land formerly owned by P. P. Kittredge, about twenty-eight (28.0) feet; southerly by land formerly owned by P. P. Kittredge, about one hundred and fifteen and seventy one hundredths (115.70) feet; and westerly by a proposed street about twenty-eight (28.0) feet. Containing about thirty-two hundred (3200) square feet.

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Boston, March 3, 1900. 5-3t-5-12-19

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WANTED—A partner in the Granite Business in Quincy. Must be fast Stone-cutter, not over 40 years old. Address Ledger Office. Jan. 24-tf

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Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

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TO LET—Furnished Room with furnace heat and bath room. Apply at 27 Chestnut street, cor. Cottage ave.

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SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.
CLARENCE BURGIN,
Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

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Up Stairs Suite in a Modern House Just Built.

Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address L. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314.
Dec. 28. tf

Herd of Cows For Sale.

EIGHTEEN Maine State Jersey grade cows, all carefully selected for us a little more than a year ago. Rare opportunity for people looking for nice family cows.
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March 5. 6t

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In moving from Hotel in the Briesler Estate to a House No. 3 Granite street, of less rooms, I have the following lot of Furniture, Bedding, etc., which I will sell at a Bargain.

Four Chamber Sets, 10-foot Extension Table, Wardrobe, Lot of Mattresses, Gasoline Stove, Carpets, Bed Springs, etc. etc. Also, A fine Lot af Canaries, Males and Females.

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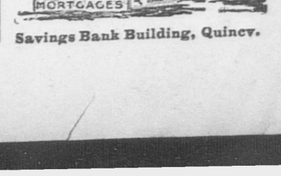

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon 1 6.25 a.m. | Full Moon 16 3.12 a.m.
First Quarter 8 0.34 a.m. | Third Quarter 24 0.36 a.m.
New Moon 30 3.30 p.m.

Grateful.

Mr. Binks (who is being carried to the police station)—It's awfully good of you! I hope I'm not taking you out of your way.—Judy.

Gives Up His Office.

New York, March 5.—Robert B. Roosevelt, who, after an exciting all-night session, was elected president of the Empire State society, Sons of the American Revolution, has resigned because he does not desire to hold the office in the face of so large an adverse minority, and also because of the criticism of the management of the society. Mr. Roosevelt headed the regular ticket, which was successful.

Had a Close Call.

Paris, March 5.—Mlle. Yvette Guilbert narrowly escaped being burned alive while asleep in an invalid's chair. The curtains of her apartment caught fire. Choked with smoke, she awakened and called for help, being unable to walk alone, as she is only now recovering from the effects of the recent operation for the extirpation of her right kidney. Her attendants rushed in and removed her to a place of safety.

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Appeal From Court of Claims' Award.

Washington, March 5.—The appeal of Admiral Dewey and his men from the award of the court of claims in the matter of the bounty due for the destruction of the Spanish fleet at Manila has been filed in the United States supreme court.

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SWITCH WAS THROWN.

Determined Effort to Wreck Accomodation Train at Seabrook, N. H.

Heavy Sleepers Laid Across Track at Another Place.

Indications That Attempts Were the Work of Two Parties or Persons.

Portsmouth, N. H., March 5.—Two dastardly attempts were made Sunday night within the borders of this state to wreck the accommodation train due here from Boston at 8:30. One was made in the town of Seabrook, just over the line from Massachusetts. Here a switch had been misplaced and the switch light broken.

The second attempt was at Hampton, some four miles further on, where at two points heavy sleepers had been laid across the track.

Neither attempt succeeded, but in each case a derailment and probable loss of lives was averted only by the fact that the train was running slowly.

Who the perpetrators were is a mystery. The distance between the two points would make it appear that, while the wreckers might have been of the same gang, the attempts were the work of two parties or persons.

The train is the regular Sunday night accommodation over the eastern division of the Boston and Maine. It is a light one, composed of engine, tender and two cars. It left Boston at 6:35 and was due in Seabrook at 8 o'clock.

Just beyond the station is a siding, and here a number of freight cars were standing. The train was running slowly and under easy control. The moment the wheels of the bogy passed the switch the engineer saw that he was taking the siding. He managed to bring the train to a standstill before the locomotive crashed into the cars on the siding.

An examination showed the switch had been misplaced and set to throw the train upon the siding. Moreover, the tell-tale switch light, which shows the red danger signal when the switch is thrown for the siding, had been destroyed. The train for run back upon the main line and started ahead again.

Teh minutes later the train stopped at Hampton. As it left this station and was gathering headway something lying across the track was seen by the engineer. Before he could stop the train the cowcatcher struck the object and threw it off the track to one side. It was a heavy railroad sleeper, which had been laid across the track at right angles, from rail to rail.

The engineer, realizing that desperate attempts were being made to wreck the train, ran on again slowly. He had gone but a few rods when another sleeper appeared lying across the track.

He strove to bring the train to a standstill, but it was too late to avoid striking the heavy sleeper. Again, by good fortune, the cowcatcher struck the obstacle in such a manner as to pitch it to one side and off the track.

By this time the engineer was thoroughly alarmed. He kept his train at very slow speed, feeling his way along and on the constant outlook for further obstacles or for lossened rails. Nothing further was seen.

Whether the attempt was made by tramps or by someone else is only a matter of speculation. There are very few of the latter at this time of year.

Long in the Harness.

Concord, N. H., March 5.—John McClay Hill, the oldest editor and publisher in New Hampshire, died Sunday after an illness of several months. He was a son of Governor Isaac Hill, was born in Concord in 1821, and had always lived here. In 1841, in connection with his brother, William P. Hill, he started the first daily newspaper in Concord, called Hill's Daily Patriot. At the time of his death he was vice president of the New Hampshire Press association. In 1884 he was a candidate of the Democratic party for governor, being defeated by a small majority.

Haskell Not Lost.

Rockland, Me., March 5.—The report of the loss of the brig M. C. Haskell, off Point Judith, R. I., cannot be true, as the brig, according to the owners here, I. L. Snow & Co., is on her way from Trindad, to Punta Gorda, Fla., to load for this port. The Haskell had her stern cut off last summer in a collision off Fisher's island, Conn., about 20 miles west of Point Judith, which probably accounts for the wreckage on the beach between Watch Hill and Point Judith.

Stars and Stripes Hauled Down.

Omaha, March 5.—One of the incidents of the heated municipal campaign was the tearing down and destroying of an American flag, and the substitution of a red rag on a flagpole in Mayor Moore's yard some time Saturday night. As the rope was cut, the mayor had to call on the fire department to run up a ladder and take down the red cloth. He then ran up a new American flag. The work is thought to have been done by political opponents.

Six Victims of Fire.

New York, March 5.—Five persons were burned to death and three were injured early Sunday morning in a fire which occurred in a seven-story lodging house at 44 to 48 Bowery. The dead are: Charles Buttie, 40 years old; John Clark, 50 years old; Edward Doyle, 35 years old; Henry Jackson, colored, 35 years old; one unidentified man, about 50 years old. Stephen Carney, aged 75, who was badly burned, died later at a hospital.

Woman Held on Serious Charge.

Newport, R. I., March 5.—Mrs. Agnes Nightingale is dead from peritonitis, the result, it is alleged, of an operation, and Mrs. Cecelia Smith is in jail in default of $15,000 bail, pending a hearing as to her connection with the case.

CONGRESSIONAL FORECAST.

Quay Case and Puerto Rican and Currency Bills the Features of Interest.

Washington, March 5.—The house will devote this week, except today, which is District of Columbia day, to contested election cases. The debate on the Aldrich-Robbins case, which opened on Friday, will continue tomorrow and Wednesday. After it is disposed of the Wise-Young contest from Virginia will be taken up, and probably will consume the remainder of the week.

In both cases the majority has reported against the sitting members, who are Democrats, and the house probably will sustain the reports so that by the end of the week the Republican majority in the house will have been increased by two.

The question of seating Mr. Quay, the conference report on the currency bill and the Puerto Rican government bill will divide the attention of the senate during the present week.

By agreement the report on the currency bill will be voted upon at 4 o'clock tomorrow and will have practically the undivided attention of the senate until that time if there are senators who desire to speak upon it.

After tomorrow the Quay resolution will be the uppermost topic during the morning hour each day, and the Puerto Rican bill for the remainder of the day. There are still several speeches to be made on the Quay resolution.

The broad question of expansion will be raised in connection with the Puerto Rican measure and it will provoke much running debate as well as many set speeches.

Cocking Main Interrupted.

New Haven, March 5.—Four of the West Haven police, augmented by four specials, raided Keefe's hotel at Savin Rock, where a cocking main was being held, early Sunday morning and succeeded in arresting 16 men, including the proprietor of the place. More than a score of live birds were captured, as well as some dead ones. There were over 200 persons in the dance hall of the hotel when the officers forced an entrance. There had been three matches pulled off and the fourth was in progress. Many of the men sought safety by dropping out of the windows, a distance of nearly 20 feet, while others resisted the officers and fought with chairs and other convenient articles. However, by vigorous use of their clubs the officers succeeded in gaining the mastery. Two men were severely cut about the head, and at one time it was thought their condition was critical. A number of the men who dropped out of the windows in their efforts to escape were more or less injured.

Predicts South Africa's Freedom.

Chicago, March 5.—President David Starr Jordan of the Leland Stanford university of California lectured at All Souls' church here yesterday, speaking to a large audience on "The Blood of a Nation." He said that the present century would witness the downfall of Great Britain. He declared that ultimately the people of South Africa would have their freedom.

Almost Restored to Health.

New York, March 5.—A special to The Press from Bangor, Me., says: Congressman C. A. Boutelle has so far recovered from his recent illness, which made it necessary to send him to Boston for treatment, that he has decided to seek re-election. His brother announces the candidacy of the congressman for renomination and election.

Berlin, March 5.—At Hanover some persons, yet unidentified, tore a British flag and made an anti-British demonstration in front of the residence of an Englishman, who had displayed the union jack in celebration of the British successes in South Africa.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Members of St. Cassimer's Catholic church of Worcester, Mass., (Lithuanian), will organize a new church. Dissatisfaction with the practices of the pastor, Rev. Joseph Jackszтys, is the cause.

John E. Conklin, a brakeman, was killed at Windham, N. H., in a freight wreck.

The announcement is made that a dividend of 20 percent will be paid to depositors in the defunct Globe National bank of Boston.

The Porter Congregational church of Brockton, Mass., has entered upon the week of its 50th anniversary, and a celebration has commenced that will extend through next Friday.

German postal authorities announce that packages sent by mail to the United States must go unsealed.

Fire at Troy, N. Y., visited the Willard business block and apartment houses and caused damage to the extent of $100,000.

An automatic sprinkler in the Wormwood building, Boston, was responsible for the flooding of that building, with the result that all of the six floors were very thoroughly wet down, causing a damage of $7000.

The faculty and students of Phillips academy, Andover, Mass., are considerably perturbed over the false report that a diphtheria epidemic is raging at that institution.

The authorities of Edinburgh university have decided to confer the degree of doctor of laws upon Mr. Choate, the American ambassador; Sir Richard Webster, the attorney general, and Miss Eleanor A. Ormerod, the entomologist. Miss Ormerod is the first lady to receive a degree from this university.

Christopher Hellinger, aged 58, a blacksmith employed in a machine shop at New Haven, was engaged in cleaning a machine, when he accidentally fell against it, with the result that his head was caught between the belt and pulley, and he was killed.

Manuel Silva was bound over to the grand jury at Newport, R. I., on the charge of assaulting Manuel Vancourt with a pitchfork.

The United States government has purchased a site in Portsmouth, R. I., as a coaling station. The site consists of 100 acres, with a shore frontage of nearly a mile.

Professor R. Gleason, the famous horse trainer, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy at St. Louis. Liabilities, $71,810; assets, $130.

WILL MAKE NO CHARGES.

James Manson Will Recover and a Promised Sensation Is Squelched.

Putnam, Conn., March 5.—James Manson, who has been under treatment at the hospital for more than a week, suffering from mercurial poisoning, has improved so much within the past few days that the attending physician states that the man has passed the danger point and no doubts are entertained of his speedy recovery.

Since being taken to the hospital nine days ago no one was permitted to interview him on account of his delirious condition, but on Sunday the police captain was given that privilege and Manson stated that he would make no charges against anybody, which closes the affair as far as the police are concerned.

Captain Briggs has worked hard on the case and has had the co-operation of Prosecuting Attorney Johnson, but both men admit that no direct evidence has been secured implicating anybody, despite sensational stories that have been given more or less credence.

Administration's Attitude Denounced.

New York, March 5.—In a speech lasting nearly two hours, at the anniversary of the birth of Robert Emmet, which was celebrated last night by the combined Clan-Na-Gael organizations of this city, W. Bourke Cockran bitterly denounced the attitude of the administration at Washington toward England in her affairs in South Africa, and almost advocated a retaliation on the part of the United States. He said that if the administration had gone on enforcing the Alaskan boundary claim the war would never have begun. The Canadian troops would have had abundant business at home. Mr. Cockran said we had surrendered the control of our foreign policy into the hands of the British foreign office. "The government discharges a consul at Pretoria," he said, because he complained that his mail had been opened. A boy of 24 years of age is put in his place, and more than that he gets his last instructions, not from the government at Washington, but from the foreign office, London." Mr. Cockran closed with an arraignment of England's methods of so-called civilizing influences.

President O'Connell Advocates Peace.

Chicago, March 5.—President O'Connell of the International Machinists' union delivered an address yesterday at the meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor, expressing the belief that a closer understanding between the employers and employe would be a good thing for the laboring classes. It semed to meet with almost universal approval. Following his reference to labor troubles, Mr. O'Connell did a most unusual thing by launching into an eulogy of non-union workmen.

Trio of Alleged Burglars Bagged.

Norwich, Conn., March 5.—John H. Sanders, Stephen S. Sanders and Irving J. Babcock, men of about 40 years, who have resided here for about a year, are under arrest on suspicion of being the parties concerned in the series of burglaries which have been recently committed in eastern Connecticut and Rhode Island. The men all hail from Westerly, R. I., but have made Norwich their headquarters lately. A search of Sanders' room disclosed a very complete burglar's outfit.

A Bold Proceeding.

Lowell, Mass., March 5. — Thomas Varnum, aged 64, one of the wealthiest farmers in Lowell, was caring for the fires in the basement of his house just before retiring, when a blow from some blunt instrument rendered him insensible. He knew nothing for about 20 minutes, when he found that $20 was taken from his pockets. He is not seriously injured.

Is Pauncefote to Remain?

London, March 5.—The Daily Chronicle, referring this morning to the contradictory reports regarding Lord Pauncefote, says: We hope it is true that Lord Pauncefote is to remain in Washington another year. We fear there is hard work before the diplomacy of both countries, if we are not to relapse into our former unfriendly attitude.

Father and Two Children Perish.

McConnellsburg, Pa., March 5.—Samuel Detwiler, aged 70, and two of his children were burned to death in a fire which destroyed his dwelling in Taylor township. With his wife, Detwiler had rescued two of his litle ones, and he went back for the two remaining, but retreat was cut off, and all three perished.

Wants Time to Consider It.

Louisville, March 5.—After hearing argument by former Governor Bradley for the Republicans, and Zach Phelps for the Democrats, Judge Fields in the circuit court took under advisement the cases to determine the rights of the rival claimants to the offices of governor and lieutenant governor.

Yale Student Has Smallpox.

New Haven, March 5.—G. W. Perkins, a student in the freshman class of the Sheffield scientific school, at Yale university, is ill with smallpox. It is thought that he contracted the disease during a visit to New York last month. No apprehension is felt that the disease will spread.

Caught by Snowslide.

Bangor, Me., March 5.—Ten children, members of the Universalist church Sunday school, were struck, and almost all of them were completely buried, by a snow slide, which came off the roof of the church at noon Sunday. Their escape from death was miraculous.

Hermes Has a Broken Shaft.

Nassau, N. P., March 5.—The British second-class cruiser Hermes is reported off Cat island, in the Bahamas, with her shaft broken.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Snow has been general throughout the lake regions and almost the entire west. In the east and south, the weather has been fair. Snow and colder weather will prevail in New England. On the New England coast the winds will shift to northerly, becoming fresh to brisk

THE BLOT ON HIS PAST.

An Indelible Stain Which Made the Strong Man Falter.

"Is there anything in your past," the beautiful girl asked, "that you have kept from me? Oh, Arthur, think before it is too late! Surely you cannot wish to make us both unhappy, as we should be if I were to learn after we are married that you had not told me all—that there was something you had kept back. Arthur!" she exclaimed, drawing away from him, "there is—there is something you have kept from me! You are pale, and you dare not look me in the eyes!"

The young man stood looking at the floor and nervously clasping and unclasping his hands. At last he hoarsely replied:

"Yes, Adelaide, it is true. I have not told you all. Ah, forgive me! It was not my fault. Before heaven I swear it! I had hoped that you might never need to know. Do not ask me to explain. It is too terrible. You will learn to love some other. I can go away somewhere and drag out my days in shame and sorrow."

Then, womanlike, she put her arms around his neck, looked up into his strong, manly face and said in low, sweet tones:

"Arthur, let me help to bear your burden. Have I not promised to share all your joys and sorrows? Do not keep this from me. Do not leave me in doubt. Perhaps I can forgive you and thus save both our lives from being wrecked."

With an effort he pulled himself together and replied:

"My mother used to dress me as 'Little Lord Fauntleroy,' and once she had my picture taken in that costume."—Chicago Times-Herald.

At the Cake Walk.

A SUPREME EFFORT.
—New York Journal.

During Election Time.

A certain candidate was soliciting the suffrages of the electors as a farmer. In proof that he was a farmer, he showed a gold brick which he had once bought.

But I knew he was an impostor, and at the proper time I publicly exposed him.

"The brick," I asserted, "is genuine gold!"

The fellow did not dare deny; he was covered with confusion and had no standing after that.—Detroit Journal.

Danger of a Business Education.

"This love letter that you wrote to me"— she said and then paused inquiringly.

"Well, what of it?" he asked.

"I notice," she answered, "that it has been manifolded."

"Hang it all!" he exclaimed as he jammed his hat down on his head and started for the door. "I never did believe in giving woman a business education."—Chicago Post.

Responsible Backer.

"For my part," said the man in the mackintosh, "I am glad they have organized a banana trust."

"Why?" inquired the man with the green goggles.

"The next time I slip on a banana skin and break a leg I'll know who to sue for damages."—Chicago Tribune.

To Punish the Scoundrel.

Attorney—You can sue him for breach of promise, madam, but it seems to me preposterous to claim $250,000 damages.

Fair Client—I want to get so heavy a judgment against him that he'll just have to marry me, the scoundrel!—New York World.

Trying to Dig Up Trouble.

Optimist—Don't you thoroughly enjoy these prosperous times?

Pessimist—No; they make me awfully sad. You know very well that when we have good weather it always means that sooner or later we are going to have bad weather.—Chicago Record.

An Unforgiving Nature.

"No, sir, I'll never have the courage to ask the old man for his daughter's hand."

"And why not?"

"Because the old man still thinks that I once sent him a comic 2 cent valentine."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Where Science Comes In.

"An inventor is a man who discovers something new, isn't he?"

"No; an inventor is a man who gets a patent out ahead of all the other men who have invented the same thing."—Chicago Record.

Left In Doubt.

"Has your father said anything about my frequent calls on you?" he asked.

"No; pa is a man of action," she replied enigmatically. — Philadelphia North American.

Appreciation.

Dr. Fox—What sensation arises from the contemplation of self?

Bushong—The sense of the beautiful. —Roanoke Collegian.

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.50 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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r *6 12 abc		6 32	*5 53 ihgfedcba		6 22 r
r 6 42 abc		7 02	6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 32	7 28 cba		7 49 r
r 7 26 ad		7 45	8 28 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 02	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 7 56 ad		8 15	10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 45	12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	1 28 cba		1 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	2 28 cba		2 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 32	3 28 cba		3 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 32	4 28 cba		4 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 32	4 58 cba		5 19 r
r 1 12 abcd		1 32	5 15 da		5 36 r
r 2 12 abc		2 32	5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 3 12 abc		3 32	5 45 da		6 06 r
r 4 12 abc		4 32	5 58 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 32	6 15 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 32	6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abcd		7 32	6 58 cba		7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 07	7 28 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 32	8 28 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 9 34 abcdefghi		10 02	10 28 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 32	10 58 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
r 11 12 abc		11 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42 abc		8 02	6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	8 58 cba		9 19 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	12 43 cba		1 04 r
9 33 a		9 51	4 28 cba		4 49 r
r 1 27 abc		1 47	5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 6 12 abc		5 32	6 58 cba		7 19 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and inuicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, f, Harrison Square.
b, Norfolk Downs. g, Savin Hill.
c, Atlantic. h, Crescent Avenue.
d, Neponset. i, South Boston.
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

MOBILIZING BIG FLEET.

Fifteen Battleships Have Arrived at the Powerful Harbor of Tor Bay.

Martial Law Proclaimed In Cape Colony District.

Roberts' Silence Is Taken to Mean That Something Is About to Happen.

London, March 6.—The mobilization of a powerful fleet began last evening at Tor bay. Fifteen battleships have arrived. Tor bay is one of the most powerful harbors on the southeastern coast.

The most serious news from South Africa is the announcement that martial law has been proclaimed in several of the districts of Cape Colony.

It had been hoped that this course could be avoided, and the action of Sir Alfred Milner simply shows that disaffection among the Cape Dutch is growing to such an extent that radical measures are deemed necessary to hold them in check. The proclamation is as follows:

"Whereas the enemy's forces have invaded the districts of Priestka, Kennardt, Britstown and Barkly West; and whereas many British subjects have taken up arms; and whereas it is necessary to repel invasion and suppress rebellion, now, therefore, martial law is hereby proclaimed in these districts."

Mafeking is to be relieved as soon as the British force already on the way to Kimberley can raise the siege. This force already on the way is described vaguely as "strong." The Kimberley light horse is mentioned as a component. In view of the fact that the Kimberley light horse is under the control of the De Beers company, Lord Roberts' visit to Kimberley probably had to do with an arrangement with Cecil Rhodes to use this company of troops.

Fresh intelligence as to what Lord Roberts is doing has ceased again. This silence is taken to mean that something has happened or is about to happen.

Boer raiders are uncommonly active in the northwestern section of Cape Colony, where they are stirring up the Dutch. Martial law has consequently been declared.

Mr. Chamberlain's request for 2500 additional Australian bushmen is understood to be explained by the fact that the war office requires this force for the pursuit of irreconcilable Boers who, according to the intelligence department, have been quietly collecting great quantities of ammunition and stores in the mountain fastnesses of the Zoutpansberg district, in the north of the Transvaal, where they are preparing to carry on a guerilla warfare.

The Transvaal agency at Brussels confirms the statement that President Kruger is ready to conclude peace with Great Britain on the basis of the independence of the two republics, and that otherwise the struggle will continue to the bitter end.

A dispatch to The Standard from Osfontein, dated Sunday, March 4, says: Lord Roberts' army now occupies a most advantageous position. The sixth division, under General Kelly-Kenny, is posted on the right and holds all the kopjes for a distance of five miles south of the Modder. The seventh division, under General Tucker, is in the center, immediately south of the river, and General Colville, with the ninth division, is on the north bank. The cavalry brigade, under General French, is posted on the left front, and the mounted infantry, under Ridley Martyr, on the right front.

A body of the enemy has taken up a position on one of the latter, a flat-topped hill to the north of the river, five miles beyond General French, who yesterday took out horse artillery and shelled them.

Another force, 4000 strong, holds an isolated group of kopjes south of the Modder river and in front of the British mounted infantry. Their position is surrounded on all sides by level plains, over which the Boers must make their way in order to reach the river. As a consequence, their situation appears precarious in the extreme.

The veldt is now in beautiful condition. Water is plentiful, supplies being obtainable not only from the river, but also from numerous clear springs. The health and spirits of the troops are excellent. The British cavalry and mounted infantry have been reconnoitering the enemy's positions. There has been little fighting.

From Boston to Sitka.

Boston, March 6.—Second Lieutenant Mather of the marine corps, now on duty at the navy yard, has been ordered to the marine post at Sitka, Alaska. The post at Sitka is exclusively a marine one, and has a force of about 50 men. Captain Pendleton, U. S. M. C., commands, and a navy surgeon is the only other officer there.

An Alleged Conspirator.

New York, March 6.—The announcement is made at police headquarters that H. C. Williams of this city has been arrested at Philadelphia. He is charged with conspiracy to depress the value of the stock of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit railway. He is the first man to be indicted by the grand jury in this connection.

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AMERICAN ENTERPRISE.

Our Exhibits at Paris Will Be Installed Before French Buildings Are Completed.

Paris, March 6.—Ferdinand W. Peck, commissioner of the United States to the Paris exposition, who arrived here Saturday, attended the meeting of the commissioners general yesterday, presided over by Director General Belleville, at which a number of differences regarding space were adjusted.

COMMISSIONER GENERAL F. W. PECK.

Mr. Peck examiner the American building and expressed himself as very well pleased with the progress made. He found the facade constructions further advanced than those of any other nation. In fact, the American exhibits will be ready for installation before the completion of the French buildings.

For British Patriotic Fund.

Boston, March 6.—Tremont Temple was the scene of a meeting last night that contrasted strikingly with that recently held in Faneuil hall, when everything English was hissed and all references to the Boers enthusiastically cheered. Last night's meeting was in aid of the British South African patriotic fund. Sir Charles Tupper was the principal speaker, other addresses being given by G. H. Windeler, who presided; Professor F. O. de Sumichrast of Harvard university, Rev. George A. Gordon, D. D., and General Henry B. Carrington, U. S. A. The gathering was intensely enthusiastic. During the evening between $1500 and $2000 was raised by collection.

Passenger Train Derailed.

Huntington, Pa., March 6.—An accident to a pasenger train on the east Broad Top railroad at Martin's Meadow resulted in the death of Conductor Briggs, the probably fatal injury of Mine Superintendent Lyon and Grant Schmittle, and the serious injury of a dozen pasengers. The accident was caused by a broken rail and the derailed cars, containing about 100 passengers, were thrown over an embankment. Scarcely anyone of the travelers escaped without some injury.

They Got a "Gold Brick."

Greenfield Mass., March 6.—W. S. Dana, auditor in the case of W. R. Parker, Jr., against John Kennedy, both well-known business men, finds for the plaintiff in the sum of $574. The defendant claimed that the money which Parker sued to recover was not a loan, but was an investment in a speculation whereby both men invested $650 to secure $10,000, but instead the defendant went to Jersey City and returned with a "gold brick."

May Turn State's Evidence.

Brooklyn, March 6.—Cecil Leslie, who was press agent for Miller, of 520 percent fame, and who was captured in Cleveland and brought to this city, pleaded not guilty yesterday to two indictments, one charging him with grand larceny in the second degree and the other with conspiracy. After pleading Leslie was taken to jail. There is a rumor that he may turn state's evidence and testify against Miller.

Church and State.

Rio Janeiro, March 6.—The Brazilian bishops have issued a collective pastoral to the clergy and laity, demanding the union of church and state and the suppression of liberty of conscience, civil marriages and secular cemeteries. The pastoral also proposes a program to combat the existing state of affairs.

Waiting to Hear From Senate.

San Juan, P. R., March 6.—Puerto Ricans are jubilant over the news of the passing of the bill returning the Puerto Rican duties. The people generally are satisfied and approve the 15-percent measure. They are feverishly awaiting the action of the senate.

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SURPRISES IN MAINE.

Republicans Upset Municipal Politics by Carrying Lewiston and Saco.

First Democratic Mayor and Council at Auburn.

Majority Against Licences Reduced In Town Meetings In Massachusetts.

Lewiston, Me., March 6.—George W. Furbush, Republican, was elected mayor of Lewiston by a majority of 433 over the present incumbent, George W. Pottle, Democrat. The Republicans also carried five of the seven wards, and will have a large majority in the next city council, insuring a full list of Republican city officials, including the city marshal. This is a complete overturn from last year, when the Democrats controlled four of the seven wards and all the municipal officers.

After four years of Democratic control, Saco went back into the Republican column, wher it had been for nearly a quarter of a century. The municipal election was as lively a contest as was ever known here, both sides putting in hard work and claiming everything up to the time of the closing of the polls.

The Democrats sprung a big surprise at Auburn, and for the first time since the city was incorporated elected their candidate for mayor and secured the complete control of the city council.

Warren G. Philbrook, the Republican candidate, was re-elected mayor of Waterville, by 26 majority. The Republicans carried five out of seven wards.

The Rockland election saw the re-election of D. N. Mortland (Rep.) a mayor. The board of aldermen will consist of five Republicans and two Democrats, while the common council will have 18 Republicans and 3 Democrats.

E. C. Reynolds, (Rep.) was re-elected mayor of South Portland. The Democrats elected four of the seven aldermen.

There was but one party ticket in the field at Hallowell, that of the Republicans, who elected Benjamin Tenney as mayor.

Mayor Frank W. Robinson, the Republican candidate, was re-elected at Portland. The aldermen elected are all Republican.

In the Ellsworth election Arthur W. Greeley (Dem.) was re-elected mayor. Four Democrats and one Republican were elected aldermen.

The election at Bath was one of the quietest in the history of the city, there being no opposition to the re-election of Mayor Charles E. Hyde, the Republican candidate.

Jacob L. Horr (Rep.) was elected mayor of Westbrook, over ex-Mayor King S. Raymond (Dem.). Ten Republican and three Democratic aldermen, and a Republican city clerk were also elected.

Freeman Patten, the Republican nominee, was re-elected mayor of Gardiner, having no opposition. A very large vote was thrown.

AS IN DAYS OF YORE.

Citizens of Many Massachusetts Towns Exercise Their Franchises at the Polls.

Boston, March 6.—Many towns of the commonwealth held their town meetings yesterday, and the men who make up the rural population were out in force to vote. Of issues there were any number, and some politics came to the surface to provoke warm contests among the candidates for office. For the first time, in many towns, the two older parties found a new political opponent—the Social Democrat—in the field as a bidder for votes, and while in no instance did the Socialistic idea win, there was, nevertheless, a wideawake interest in its strength.

This year the license question was just as troublesome a matter as heretofore, and in the sum total of votes cast the inclination for the sale of intoxicating liquor was the stronger. In many places the prohibition element was cought napping, as far as majorities were concerned. In the number of towns turned out of license into the no-license column the temperance folks have the better end of it, for seven license towns went against the traffic, while three went from "dry" to "wet." The towns changing to no-license were Canton, Hubbardston, New Braintree, Scituate, Oakham, Winchenden and Orange; those that went the other way were Dracut, Hanson and Marshfield.

Most of the meetings transacted business of interest chiefly to their own taxpayers. The tendency of reports from treasurers was decidedly along the lines indicating prosperity and accordingly shakeups in town government were not many or particularly noteworthy. Warrants for the meetings, as has been the way for half a century, were quite lengthy in many instances, so that town meetings will spread over a greater or less period, some adjourning for a week, while others reassembling daily till the entire list of items is disposed of.

Suspicion of Criminal Mismanagement.

New York, March 6.—District Attorney Gardiner has written to Receiver Grant of the Third Avenue Railroad company calling his attention to the fact that the press has teemed with statements concerning mismanagement of that company, which may prove to have been of criminal character. The district attorney offers every assistance if Receiver Grant believes an investigation by the grand jury is necessary.

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Feb. 23. tf

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	40	25	39	42	36
Monday,	34	23	58	41	37
Tuesday,	35	12	43	43	50
Wednesday,	—	32	39	48	26
Thursday,	—	42	37	50	40
Friday,	—	41	36	54	44
Saturday,	—	35	35	60	51

New Advertisements Today.

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Good Afternoon.

In the Patterson, N. J., school report we read: "No pupil who is not personally clean is allowed to remain in the school rooms, and it is made the duty of the principals to enforce this regulation quietly and with proper respect to the pupil's feelings." Such precaution is almost necessary in our public schools.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Georiga tried the biennial plan for a while, and then went back to annual sessions with a time limit of fifty days. The South Carolina legislature has just voted down a biennial sessions bill, therein showing good sense. The guardian Genius of Connecticut was away on vacation when the every-other-year system was adopted here. What all the states need is not less frequent legislative sessions but effective dykes against the flood of special legislation. — Hartford Courant.

☞It is unreasonable to suppose that we can at first establish a government in the Philippines which will be square to the conditions and necessities of the people. Many of the natives are uncivilized, the population is mixed, and the government must be elastic and intrusted to men of broad minds who can and will adjust themselves to the existing state of affairs so that the processes of assimilation and development may work harmoniously to the common end—a stable and enduring government.—Detroit Journal.

☞There has been some attempt at comparing the fidings of the juries in the cases of Molineux and of Lizzie Borden, and the remark has been made that the difference was owing to the sentiment in favor of a woman. There is more than that, however, in the dissimilarity of the verdicts. In the womans' case there was shown an absolutely irreproachable character previous to the suspicion of murder. Not a witness could be found to say anything against the young woman's past life or against the character of her associates. If she was an assassin it was a sudden step to the depths out of a decent life. In the Molineux case it was exactly the opposite. His previous career was as shady as that of Lizzie Bordeen was clear.—Newport News.

Concert at Quincy Point.

The concert conducted by Mr. R. N. Van Buskirk, given in the Washington Street Congregational church Monday evening, drew a large number of people. The program presented was a very pleasing one, consisting of piano solo, "Rag time, Mr. Everett Morgan of Cambridge; Quartette, Selected; Solo, Mrs. Rose Thayer Thomas of Weymouth; Zither solo, Mr. George E. Bonney of Boston; Duet, Mrs. Rose Thayer Thomas and Miss A. Louise Holbrook.

Solo, Mr. George E. Bonney; Quartet Selected; Solo, Miss A. Louise Holbrook; Rag Time Talk, Mr. R. N. Van Buskirk.

Each number of the program was highly appreciated by the audience. Mrs. Thomas certainly is a beautiful singer and many hope to have the pleasure of listening to her again in the near future. The zither in Mr. Bonney's hands gave forth very sweet music and Mr. Van Buskirk's Rag Time Talk at the close of the program sent the people all home laughing.

—Sin is the curse of society.

UNYIELDING.

Granite Manufacturers and Cutters Both Stiff.

The Old Proposition Again Rejected

And No New Offers Were Made by Either Side.

Another meeting of the two committees, representing the Quincy Manufacturers' Association and Cutters' Union was held Monday night, at the rooms of the Granite Manufacturers' Association in Durgin & Merrill's block.

It was not anticipated that the meeting would result in a settlement of the difficulties, although it was hoped that this was a case where the unexpected would happen.

After the meeting was called to order, the manufacturers renewed their offer of an eight-hour day and an average price of 33 cents, and the cutters renewed their demand for eight hours and a minimum price of 35 cents per hour.

The matter was discussed at length by the two committees, but as neither side would change their offer or demand, the meeting adjourned without date.

The contract as adopted in Barre was exhibited, so that all could read, yet for all that the manufacturers still say the settlement reads 35 cents average while the cutters say it reads 35 cents minimum.

As the two committees have failed to agree, and no arrangement has been made for a future meeting, it looks very much as though the worst fears were to be realized, and that there would be a prolonged strike. The final outcome of the Barre matter may have some influence upon a settlement in Quincy, but just when that will be settled, as far as the New England Association is concerned, is an open question.

There are a few men at work in Quincy, as the Cutters' Union have given the men five days in which to complete the stones upon which they were at work. As the five days expirer this week, the strike will be begun in earnest when the five days expires.

It seems rather strange to the layman that this year, as in previous years, the manufacturers and cutters at Barre have always been the first to reach an agreement, and they have not been long in doing it. There must be something wrong somewhere, or Quincy would not be behind the times. If Barre keeps on as it has in the past few years, it will not be long in wiping out the granite industry of Quincy.

It is generally regretted that the manufacturers and cutters did not reach an agreement of some kind, for a prolonged strike means disaster for Quincy granite, and local business generally.

Shark Got His Toe.

Henry P. Kittredge is in hard luck this winter. He is now in the south and since his absence his store was broken into and robbed, and if this was not enough word has been received from him, that while in bathing recently a little shark came along and was so attracted by the plumpness of his feet, that he bit off one of Henry's toes.

Lenten Lectures.

Beginning tomorrow, at 4 p. m. Rev. Walter R. Breed will give five Wednesday afternoon Lenten lectures in Christ Church parish house. Subject, "Hebrew Poetry" being Journeys into the Psalm country. The lectures will be preceded by a Short Service of evening prayer. The public are cordially invited.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Another little snow storm.

Mrs, John A. Pratt is confined to the house with the grip.

R. D. Gordon leaves Thursday for Jamaica for his health.

Another whist party will be held at Odd Fellows hall on Thursday evening.

The Rockport Granite Company will have its annual meeting March, 12, in Boston.

The carpet in the City Clerks room at City hall is undergoing the cleaning process.

A provision store is to be opened in the new block corner of Sagamore and Prospect streets.

The annual fair at the Washington Street Congregational church begins Tuesday, March 13.

ExCommissioner Cavanagh, who has been to Havana for the past few weeks, is on his way home.

The snow storm of this morning turned to rain this noon making the walking rather disagreeable.

Several cases of scarlet fever are reported among the children of Atlantic, although in a very light form.

Perhaps the snow storm will last long enough to give the owners of sleighs a chance to have a spin.

Rev. E. C. Butler will give a paper on John Calvin before the Unity Club of Wollaston next Friday evening.

It is a natural greeting in Atlantic these days to hear, "Good morning! Have your children got the whooping cough?"

H. P. Furnald, who has been confined to the house for over a week with tonsilitis, is able to attend to his work this week.

The singing school at the Point will hold two sessions this week, not being able to have any next week on account of the fair.

Frederic Allison Tupper, former headmaster at the High school, is to be present, at the alumni reunion Friday evening.

The dance which has been under discussion for the past week, will be given in Poland's hall, Norfolk Downs, March sixteenth.

Mrs. W. F. (Dexter) Perry, formerly of West Quincy and now of Saxton River, Vt., paid a flying visit to friends in this city on Saturday.

The fire department was called out on a still alarm, Sunday, to put out a small fire in an outbuilding on the Job Faxon estate, off Water street.

Maple Lodge, K. and L. of H, have moved from Plumer's hall, to Wilson's hall, and will meet on the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

Miss Mary Perkins, whose death was noted Monday, resided on Hancock court and had been an invalid for some months. She was 70 years of age.

The funeral of the late David Hislop of Old Colony street, who died on Saturday in Pawtucket, R. I., was held from the M. E. church at Atlantic this afternoon.

George P. Keith a son of ex-Mayor Keith, was defeated for member of the school committee at Hudson Monday, by Lucie D. Welsh. There was a sharp contest.

The polishing shop on Howard street formerly owned by Mr. Murdock, has been sold to a Boston party, who intends enlarging the shop and immediately starting in business there.

A hearing will be given tomorrow by the Harbor and Land Commissioners on petition of C. C. Hanley & Co. for permission to build a marine railway into town river at Quincy Point.

The reunion of the High School Alumni Friday evening is looked forward to with pleasure by a great number, there having been a dearth of dancing parties in the city this winter.

The many friends of Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, who has been confined to her bed for three weeks, with catarrhal fever, will be pleased to learn that she is on the road to recovery, and is able to sit up a little while each day.

Henry H. Faxon, who was an interested spectator at Monday night's Council meeting, says that any Council which will appropriate money for a school lot on Cranch hill ought to be indicted for incompetency.

The Manet Beach Steamboat Company has been incorporated under Massachusetts laws, and it looks like business. John P. Fitts is president, and W. F. Macy treasurer. The company will operate a line between Boston and Houghs Neck.

Two of the Quincy & Boston cars, which went through the fire and which have been in the repair shop, arrive back Monday night, and are running today on the Wollaston line. The cars have been made over into vestibules, and as the old yellow color has been changed to lake and white they are hardly recognizable.

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TOWN MEETING DAY.

All the Norfolk County Towns Against License.

License was one of the issues in the the town meetings yesterday. The vote in Norfolk County towns was:

	YES.	NO.
Braintree,	40	207
Millis,	24	69
Cohasset,	68	98
Randolph,	325	375
Franklin,	199	402
Norfolk,	5	62
Weymouth,	647	905
Needham,	24	75
Hyde Park,	547	846
Dedham,	313	677
Walpole,	158	198
Westwood,	27	50
Norwood,	196	525
Sharon,	61	218
Holbrook,	122	208

AT BRAINTREE.

The appropriation committee elected to submit to Braintree at the next meeting, March 14, a list of appropriations for the year 1900 are as follows: Albert E. Avery, chairman; C. H. Hobart, P. C. Spring, J. F. Sheppard, W. A. McKean, H. M. Storm, Amasa S. Thayer, Charles B. Cummings, John Cavanagh, W. E. Wilde, Aubrey Hilliard, Hartley L. White, George H. Arnold, F. Eugene Dyer, N. F. Hunt.

The vote of Braintree, in addition to the list published yesterday, was:

FOR TRUSTEE OF LIBRARY.

Robert E. Belcher, 294

FOR FENCE VIEWERS.

Charles S. Hannaford, 288
Charles A. Belcher, 294
Alverdo H. Mason, 295

FOR CONSTABLES.

Horace F. Hunt, 294
William H. Moir, 263
Thomas Slavin, 290
Christopher T. Bailey, 294
John H. Lyons, 291
John Kelley, (Commercial St.) 290
William E. Maybury, 293
Henry Dugan, Jr., 289
Benjamin J. Loring, 295
Albert R. Hobart, 294
Charles A. Hobart, 293
John Gallivan, 290
James R. Qualey, 293
Albert A. Drollett, 295
David C. Haseltine, 294
Conrad Mischler, 259

AT MILTON.

At Milton the caucus nominees for selectmen were defeated, and the old board, Messrs. Simpson, Bradlee and Turner were elected.

A committee was appointed to consider the advisability of purchasing the Milton Water Co., plant.

The matter of a ten years contract with the Electric Light Co., for street lighting was indefinitely postponed.

The eight-hour day for town laborers was adopted by a small majority.

AT WEYMOUTH.

The selectmen elected at Weymouth were Gordon Willis, George L. Newton, Bradford Hawes, John F. Dwyer and Nelson W. Gardner. The license vote was: Yes, 647; no, 905. The eight-hour day was adopted.

IN OTHER TOWNS.

Miss Floretta Vining attended the town meeting at Hull and desired to speak, but there was objection.

Dedham voted for the eight-hour law, and elected Lester A. Newcomb, Charles H. Schriver and William C. Williams as selectmen. The latter had two close rivals.

Plymouth will employ counsel to oppose the removal of the registry of deeds to Brockton.

Hyde Park re-elected its selectmen, the first time in the history of the town.

Music and Literature.

"The Literature of the Nineteenth century" was the subject on the calendar of the Atlantic Monday Evening club this week which was ably presented in a paper given by Miss Fish of the Quincy High school, who skilfully wove a most interesting and delightful assemblage of the gems of the literary world the last century She delivered her paper with great ease, and as though thoroughly at home with her subject.

The musical programme was by these artists: Mr. W. H. Minot of Cambridge, whistling soloist accompanied by Master Archie Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Briggs vocal soloists of Cambridge, companied by Miss K. F. Smith, who all aided in giving an exceptionally fine entertainment.

Mr. Minot responded to an encore with "Answer" by Robyn, Mr. Briggs with "Rainbow" by Hawley, and Mr. and Mrs. Briggs with "Edenland" by Dana.

Mrs. E. R. Wade and Mr. Walter F. Blake were the literary committee, and Mrs. Harry Reed and Mr. Edward Crocker were the committee on music.

Mrs. Morris Newcomb of Quincy Neck fell last week on Howard street, near her home and sprained her knee. The cause of Mrs. Newcomb's fall was due to one of the shut-offs of the water works not being properly covered on the sidewalk. There are three of these shut-offs within a few feet of each other on Howard street and not one is properly covered. These are of great danger to anyone not familiar with their whereabouts on a dark night.

Lucky For Him He's the Boss.

Salesman—What's the boss so mad about this morning?

Confidential Clerk—He overslept himself.

Salesman—Why, yesterday he got here very early, and he was just as mad then.

Confidential Clerk—Yes. The alarm clock woke him up.

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Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

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CITY COUNC

Many Unpaid Bills of 189 cess of Appropriation

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Extra Appropriation for School Lot Voted Dow

Considerable business was tr at Monday night's meeting of Council, and it was put throu dispatch. Councilmen Mc Nicol and Packard were absent

UNPAID BILLS.

City Auditor Sidelinger sent munication stating that bills i of the appropriation had been r by him as follows for 1899:

School department	$
Overseer of Poor	
Miscellaneous city	
Health	
Repairs of Public Buildings	
Removal of snow	
Highways	
Street watering	
Maintenance of Water Dept.	
Total	$
Miscellaneous city, 1898,	
Repairs of Public Buildings, 1898	
Highways, 1898,	
Washington Street culvert, 1898,	
Removal of snow, 1897,	
Highways, 1897,	

Referred to Finance Committee.

The auctioneer's bond of Steph Wilson was approved.

The School Committee request appropriation of $1,528.72 to me deficiency of last year. Referr Finance Committee.

SCHOOL BUDGET.

The School Committee forwarde following budget of amount needed the current year.

Salaries,	$79,0
Fuel,	6,0
Janitors,	6,4
Transportation,	1,0
Books and supplies,	8,5
Evening schools,	1,4
Rent,	9
	$103,29

Referred to Finance Committee.

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MINOR APPOINTMENTS.

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Field Drivers — William Fa Richard Newcomb, George Cr Bartholemew Reardon, Wins Hobart.

Measurers of Wood and Bark—Fr S. Patch, Herbert S. Adams, Thom J. Foley, George K. Carter, Eben Sheppard, George P. Meade, Lysan W. Nash, E. Frank Mitchell, F. Crane.

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CITY COUNCIL.

Many Unpaid Bills of 1899 In Excess of Appropriations.

The School Budget for 1900 Over $100,000.

Extra Appropriation for Cranch School Lot Voted Down.

Considerable business was transacted at Monday night's meeting of the City Council, and it was put through with dispatch. Councilmen McLennon, Nicol and Packard were absent.

UNPAID BILLS.

City Auditor Sidelinger sent a communication stating that bills in excess of the appropriation had been received by him as follows for 1889:

School department	$1,528.72
Overseer of Poor	1,215.34
Miscellaneous city	505.17
Health	72.39
Repairs of Public Buildings	1,132.66
Removal of snow	182.28
Highways	45.05
Street watering	294.52
Maintenance of Water Dept.	573.01
Total	$5,549.12
Miscellaneous city, 1898,	$29.23
Repairs of Public Buildings, 1898,	39.83
Highways, 1898,	28.05
Washington Street culvert, 1898,	97.00
Removal of snow, 1897,	50.00
Highways, 1897,	30.00

Referred to Finance Committee.

The auctioneer's bond of Stephen E. Wilson was approved.

The School Committee requested an appropriation of $1,528.72 to meet the deficiency of last year. Referred to Finance Committee.

SCHOOL BUDGET.

The School Committee forwarded the following budget of amount needed for the current year.

Salaries,	$79,065
Fuel,	6,000
Janitors,	6,400
Transportation,	1,000
Books and supplies,	8,500
Evening schools,	1,400
Rent,	925
	$103,290

Referred to Finance Committee.

BRIDGE HEARING.

Mayor Hall sent a communication stating that an adjourned hearing on the bill apportioning the cost of care of bridges between Norfolk and Plymouth counties would be held Tuesday at 10.30.

MINOR APPOINTMENTS.

The following minor officers were elected:

Fence Viewers—Richard Newcomb, George Crane, James Nightingale, John R. O'Neil, Quincy A. Faunce, George B. Bryant.

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PETITIONS.

A communication from the United States Machine Co., relative to establishing a plant in Quincy, was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings.

Petitions were received for electric lights on Taylor street, and Highland and Central avenues; from the Electric Light Co. for a location of poles on Grand View avenue; that Granite street between Quarry and Copeland street be widened to a uniform width of forty feet. All were referred.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Public Buildings reported an order for $250.76, in addition to the $5,000 already appropriated, for the purchase of the Cranch school lot, this sum being the amount of the sewerage assessment on the land. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Later the reference was withdrawn, and Councilman Faxon moved the suspension of the rules.

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The rules were suspended and the question was on passing to be ordained.

Councilman Poland—We had a letter from the agent of the property offering the land for $5,000 free from taxes or assessments. The matter was discussed thoroughly. A member of the land company was also a member of the committee and was at the Council meeting when the order was passed. He did not see why we should pay for the assessment.

Councilman Faxon—The proposition was submitted to the city in June, that it would be sold for $5,000, free from taxes or assessments. No bill had been received for sewer assessment until October and the order was passed a month later. The company feel they should not assume the sewer assessment.

President Bryant—The offer made the city for the lot was accepted. If they had not received their bill they knew it was coming and should be responsible for it. We bought for $5,000, free and clear from all incumbrances. The letter received from the company was then read.

The order was then put on its final passage and failed to pass by a vote of 3 to 16 as follows:

Yeas—DeNormandie, Faxon and Newcomb—3.

Nays—Alden, Badger, Callahan, Cleverly, Elcock, Freeman, Gassett, Hill, Hogan, Hultman, Johnson, Nichols, Poland, Smith, Walsh and Wilson—16.

Absent — McLennon, Nicol and Packard.

HANCOCK STREET PAVING.

The joint Committee on Streets and Finance reported ought to pass, on the order for $6,000 for paving the east side of Hancock street, between Elm avenue and Linden street.

Laid on the table until later when it was taken up with the order for $600 for the culvert on Furnace brook, and substitute order offered for $6,650 covering these two amounts, which was passed to be ordained.

The Committee on Finance reported leave to withdraw on the petition of Ida A. McIntire and Andrew P. and Alfred J. Olson, for refund of taxes. Report accepted.

The same committee reported ought to pass on the order for $300 for Engineering department. Order took its second reading, and was passed under suspension of the rules.

The same committee reported an amendment, to the order to petition the legislature for authority to borrow $300,000 additional for the sewer extension, making the amount $200,000.

Councilman Poland was called to the chair and President Bryant, taking the floor, asked if the Finance Committee had considered the subject of petitioning the Legislature to have the use of receipts for assessments so the city could use them.

Councilman Freeman replied that matter was considered, but they did not feel that the amount was sufficient to petition for its use, and it would be some years before it would meet the bonded indebtedness.

Councilman Bryant said it seemed to him the Council was a little rapid. One-half of the $400,000 was to be assessed on abutters, and as one-tenth of this would come in every year it meant $20,000. The expense of running the plant is small. It was intended the $400,000 would be enough, with the understanding that the $200,000 received from assessments would be enough for further extension. It would be a continuous income if we get authority to use this $20,000. It would be better financiering. Next year if we find the original idea was not a reasonable one we can do it then. Then the Metropolitan sewer has got to be paid for, and as its mains are to run through Quincy, it does not seem wise to sewer West Quincy and Atlantic until we know how the Metropolitan sewer is to run.

Councilman Badger—If we use the surplus money, how will the bonds be met?

Councilman Bryant—If we had these receipts and allowed the Sewer department to use them, the bonds could be met by the taxes. We should suspend operations until we know what is to be done by the Metropolitan sewer, and where their trunk lines will go.

Councilman Hill thought it poor policy to have the system stopped now.

Upon motion of Councilman Bryant the matter was laid on the table.

WATER EXTENSIONS.

The Committee on Water Supply reported favorably on the order for $30,000 for extension of the water mains. Order took second reading and was referred to the Committee on Finance.

STATE HIGHWAY.

The Committee on Streets reported leave to withdraw, on the petition that the State Highway Commission be requested to release to the city any rights obtained over Washington street. Report accepted.

SEA STREET.

The Committee on Streets reported an amendment to the order for $17,000, for completing Coddington and Sea street; making the amount $20,000. Referred to Committee on Finance.

The same committee reported, no legislation necessary, on the communication of the Mayor relative to the relocation of Sea street.

The same committee reported favorably on the following orders.

$200 for completing grading of Howard street.

$1,000 for completing grading of Goddard and Federal avenue.

$1,500 for fencing and completing the grading of Billings road.

$600 for regrading Furnace avenue.

All were referred to the Committee on Finance.

The same committee reported an amendment to the order for $200, for completing the widening of School street, changing the amount to $400.

An amendment to the order for $300 for completing Madison street, changing the amount to $500.

An amendment to the order for $1,000 for regrading Grove street changing the amount $700.

The amendments were accepted and the order referred to the Committee on Finance.

The same committee reported reference to the Executive department the petition for stone street crossings.

MOTIONS, ORDERS, ETC.

Councilman Newcomb offered an order for $1,300, for the construction of a tar concrete sidewalk on the north side of Washington street from Edison street to Baxter avenue under the betterment act. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Newcomb offered an order for stone street crossings on Washington street opposite E. M. Freeman's store, and on South street near Washington street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Badger offered an order for $1,000, for completing of Arthur street, according to the order as passed last year. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Upon motion of Councilman Poland it as voted when the Council adjourn it be until Monday, March 12.

Councilman Johnson offered an order for $1,000 for a tar concrete sidewalk on the north side of Water street, between Franklin and Quincy streets under the betterment act. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Poland offered orders for $2,500 for a tar concrete sidewalk on the south side of Billings road, from the Norfolk Downs depot to Rawson road, and for $3,000 for a tar concrete sidewalk on the east side of Rawson road from Billings road to Beach street both to be constructed under the betterment act. Referred to the Committeee on Streets.

CALENDAR.

The order granting the New England Telephone locations for poles on Sea and Spear street, Quincy avenue and High school avenue, took its second reading and was passed.

Adjourned 8.54.

Attempted Suicide.

News from Waltham reports that Fred Towsend, 19, son of Reuben Townsend of Quincy, is at the Waltham hospital, suffering from the effects of a dose of strychnine, taken with suicidal intent. Townsend was found by his landlady in his room on Walnut street about 2 P. M. Saturday almost unconscious. To her Townsend said he had taken poison.

Dr. Chadwick was hurriedly called and by his orders the young man was taken to the hospital. The physicians worked over Townsend for two hours, and it was thought that he might possibly recover, although he is in a very precarious condition.

Just what caused him to attempt to take his life is a mystery, but it is thought he was despondent.. Townsend was formerly employed at the watch factory, but lost his position two weeks ago. Since then he has been rather low spirited.

Daughters Elect.

The annual meeting of Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, was held Monday afternoon with Mrs. Henry A. Belcher at Randolph.

The committee in charge were Mrs. W. H. Ruddick, Mrs. Wilson, Miss Clapp and Miss Phillips.

Col. Edward Anderson of Quincy gave an interesting talk on personal experiences during the Civil war, and after he had concluded the ladies had a far different opinion of what real war was like that many may have imagined.

Light refreshments were served. These officers were elected:

Regent,—Mrs. N. V. Titus.
Secretary,—Mrs. W. F. Cummings.
Treasurer,—Mrs. W. Porter.
Historian,—Mrs. E. G. Pratt.
Council,—Mrs. A. H. Gilson, Miss A. L. Prescott, Mrs. W. H. Ruddick, Mrs. B. F. Dyer and Mrs. S. J. Wilde.

Quite a Scare.

The residents of Henry street, Norfolk Downs were startled Sunday night by a lurid glare of red light, which sprang into existence without a moment warning. Several people began to dress hurridly, and rumor has it, that one woman snatched her rings in one hand, insurance papers in another, and made ready to fly, believing her house on fire. The outcome of it all was nothing or less than a red Mongola light, such as one uses on July Fourth, which had been lighted by some one who hungered for a novel way to disturb a few peaceful mortals. The light soon died out, and no serious results ensued.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Lawrence White for drunkenness was called, and he paid a fine of $5.

QUINCY BABIES OF 1899.

A Total of 712 or an Average of Very Nearly Two per Day for the Year.

Parents noticing errors of any kind in the births of 1899 as published in the Ledger, are requested to notify City Clerk Cleaves prompty, that corrections may be made before the City Book is printed.

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
Nov. 1.	Antonio Zenia,	Genero and Mary
2.	Jane Elizabeth Nolan,	William and Catherine
5.	Ruth Marion Messerli,	Frederic and Agnes
5.	——— Nicoll,	Harry and Jessie
5.	James J. Payne,	William R. and Florence
6.	James Russell Pineo,	Henry and Mary
7.	——— Weeden,	Oskar and Hulda
7.	Frank Ray Alden,	Gustavus and Bessie
8.	Anna Grady,	Patrick C. and Delia M.
8.	Florence Amelia Ingaberg,	Oscar Hulda
8.	——— Pope,	Edward R. and Isabella
9.	John E. Warmington,	William and Minnie
9.	Hjalmar Eugene Lofgren,	William R. and Augusta
10.	James Patrick Gormally,	Patrick and Bridget
10.	Arthur Everett Burr,	George S. and Jessie K.
10.	Eleanor Elizabeth Friske,	Oscar and Margaret
11.	Mildred Estella Tirrell,	Arthur and Susan I.
12.	John Gillispie Early.	John B. and Mary
12.	Helma Johnson,	Carl and Helma
12.	Andrew Alexander Murphy,	Eugene L. and Marguerite
12.	Thomas James Ballou,	Lawrence and Celia
13.	Matthew L. Lawton,	Edward and Margaret
13.	George Wesley Kilpatrick,	Maurice and Mattie
13.	Lawrence Porpora,	Joseph and Josephine
14.	Margaret McGrath,	Edward J. and Katherine
15.	Josie Mercurio,	Onopio and Francesca
16.	Annie M. Peterson,	Matthew and Emma
16.	Albert S. Robinson,	Albert S. and Lizzie
16.	Myrtle Soulis,	Henry H. and Lizzie M.
17.	Stryral Johannes,	Thrilma and Edla
17.	——— Merini,	Thomas and Etta
18.	Edward Barry,	Michael and Mary A.
18.	Mitchell Theodore Favers,	Mitchell and Mary
19.	Frank Howard Farrell,	Thomas J. and Ellen B.
19.	Henry Arthur St. Pierre,	William and Ludumia
20.	Catherine May McDonald,	John and Effie
20.	——— Kirk,	James B. and Laura M.
23.	——— Bamford,	Doctor and Mary G.
26.	Lil. Elizabeth Hendrickson,	Matt and Lendi
26.	Catherine Lewis,	L. Thomas and Bridget
26.	——— Malinquist,	John and Annie
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26.	George Frederic Williams,	Robert J. and Margaret A.
27.	——— Wirkkala,	Abram and Christina
27.	John Benzie,	Peter and Johanna
27.	——— Reed,	Arthur and Clara J.
27.	Patrick Boyle O'Connell,	James and Margaret
27.	Bernard Peter Hannon,	Thomas J. and Mary J.
27.	Mary Broberg,	Charles and Lizzie
28.	——— Finborg,	Alex and Hilda
28.	Edward Emmett Crowley,	Peter and Mary
28.	——— Bietzel,	Louis and Mary
28.	Stillborn.	
29.	Harold Francis McNeil	Joseph R. and Katherine
29.	Annie Halumiere,	Joseph and Eva
29.	Elizabeth McDonald,	George and Catherine
30.	Helen Louise McCarthy,	James and Agnes
30.	——— Lancisi,	Gurlio and Mary
30.	Frank Vinton Pierce,	Dexter V. and Annie E.
30.	Mark Lowell Read,	Mark L. and Edith B.

(To be continued.)

Q. Y. C. Social Events.

The House committee of the Quincy Yacht Club held its first meeting of the season on Monday evening at the residence of Commodore Davis. These officers and Sub committees were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

Chairman, James S. Whiting,
Secretary, William Edwards,
Purchasing Agent, Ira W. Whittemore
Committee on Music and Hops,—Harold B. Faxon, Herbert W. Barker, and C. Fred Howe.

Committee on Entertainments,—Commodore Davis, George W. Jones, Joseph L. Whiton, Jr. and Herbert W. Robbins.

Hops will be held on the following dates: Monday. June 25; Friday, July 6, Friday, July 27; and Friday, Sept. 7.

The club house will be opened this year on Wednesday, May 23.

Cow Nuisance Abated.

Ever since Wollaston Park was populated, certain sections of it have been used for cow farms, and nearly all the vacant lots used as cow pastures, much to the annoyance of the citizens who bought here with the understanding that these restrictions contained in the deeds would be enforced, to keep the place clean as a residential section. The local board of health have been frequently appealed to, but this bringing no relief, the enterprising firm of Wood, Harmon & Co., combined with several residents, and recently brought suit in the Superior court against Delia Landers of Sachem street for violation of the restrictions in the keeping of a dairy farm. The result was, the court have ordered the milk business to cease, and the cows and old shanties to be removed before April 15.

As this is not the only case in the park, doubtless other suits will follow, until it is made, as it promoters intend it be, a model residential section.

Up-to-Date Parish Meeting

At the annual parish meeting of the Atlantic Memorial Congregational church tonight at 8 o'clock, refreshments will be served and the following vocal music will be given:

Quartette, "The Mill," Jensen
Duett, "Breath Soft and Low," Phelps
Miss Annie P. Hall, Mr. William Gassett.
Quartette, "Over the Hill, Giebbo
Duett, "Gondoliers' Song," Hoffmann

There will also be selections given by Miss Adelaide Thomas, violinist. The public is cordially invited.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents.

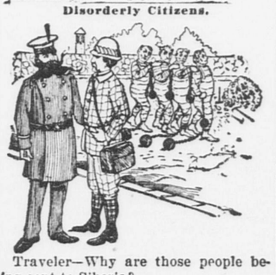
WEYMOUTH.

Mr. Charles Munroe of Boston was the guest of Mr. Herbert Tirrell on Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Hunt of New York has been spending a few days with his brother, Mr. Francis Hunt.

A poverty dance was held in the Engine hall at Porter, Saturday evening, March 3, it being the first dance of the season.

Disorderly Citizens.



Traveler—Why are those people being sent to Siberia?

Russian Official—They refusivitz to do their starvingivitz in quietivitz.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Mar. 5:

James Bennett, C. A. Bergstrom, H. Cohen, James Gallwaith, James Manrow, Eugene Merrill, Carrol Pearson, N. H. Whittemore, Miss Anna Chytrans, Mrs. N. S. Hayden, Mrs. Mary Lewis.

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Mar. 3:

Mr. Guseppe Musso, Mr. P. Dunn, Mrs. Anna Perry, Mrs. Carrie Gardiner, Miss Maisy B. Folland.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

—The Old Testament is ever new, and the New never gets old.

—The goodness of God is not limited but our definitions or illustrations of it are.

DIED.

NIMESKERN—In Quincy, March 3, Agnes M., daughter of Mr. George and Mrs. Hannah M. Nimeskern of Willard street, aged 10 years, 9 months and 21 days.

GROVER—In Neponset, Mar. 4, Mr. William Grover, aged 85 years and 3 months.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

Boyhood Buckwheat Cakes.

"Buckwheat cakes," in letters flaring,
I see it on the menu staring;
Thoughts awake!
And I think, with heart a-flutter,
Of the cakes, with country butter,
Mother'd bake!

I can smell that grease a-burning,
I can see dear mother turning,
With her knife!
Each as light as cork inflated
Were the kind that she created;
Bet your life!

Each a separate porous plaster,
And the butter melted faster
As it ran!
Oh, those fragrant, steaming gases,
And the drip of cane molasses—
From the can!

But sometimes we'd wait an hour,
Looking mad and looking sour,
For a cake!
Though they'd come in fast and thicker,
Pa could eat them far more quicker
Than they'd bake!

—Chicago News.

Men Are So Unsatisfactory!

"So you saw Kate?" said the wife to her husband, who had spent Sunday with some relatives in the country, the Kate of whom was to be married shortly.

"Yes, for a few minutes when the young man wasn't around."

"I suppose she has everything ready?"

"I heard her say all her dresses were done."

"Oh, what is she going to be married in?"

"Um—er—in ten days is all I know."—Detroit Free Press.

In a Daze About the Knights.

"You are an Englishman, I believe?" said the native to the foreigner.

"I am."

"I wish to ask a question pertaining to an English institution."

"Go on."

"Why are they called Knights of the Garter when garters are worn mostly in the daytime?"—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

When Ethel Sings.

When Ethel sings, the faithful dog
Runs howling to the cellar door
And piteously whines and begs
That he shall not be tortured more.
The family cat seclusion seeks
Far underneath the guestroom bed;
The poor canary 'neath his wing
Forlornly hides his little head.

When Ethel sings, the passersby
Upon the sidewalk stop and look,
Thinking perhaps the hired man
Is roughly murdering the cook.
The neighbors shut their windows tight
And join in saying bitter things;
The whole community, in fact,
Is deeply stirred when Ethel sings.

—Somerville Journal.

In the Race, as Usual.

"Cap'n, is you gwine ter run fer office, ez usual, dis year?"

"Yes, I'll be in."

"Well, des gimme a beaver hat, a walkin cane, $10 en a mule ter ride, en tek keer er my chillun whilst I is on de road, en I'll drum de county fer you wusser'n a brass ban'!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Oh, Goodness Gracious!

"I shall nevah speak to him again, so theah!" exclaimed young Mr. Sissy.

"Who, deah boy?" asked Sappington.

"That howwid fellah Pepper. Met him lawst night at Tom Blugore's smokah. 'How d' do?' said I quite politely. 'Jove!' said he. 'You heah? I thought this was a stag affair.' "—Philadelphia Press.

His Strong Point.

I like the self conceited man,
The man who thinks he knows
As much as any mortal can
And so looks down on those
Who chance to pass along his way—
Who thinks he occupies
An eminence whereunto they
May never hope to rise.

I like him since he never cares
What those around him say;
He meddles not with their affairs
Who pass him on the way.
Full of himself, he has no time
To watch his fellow man;
He has no kicks for those who climb
Or do the best they can.

—Chicago Times-Herald.

Not His Due.

Johnny (looking over her shoulder)—You've written "devil" with a little "d." That isn't right.

Kitty—Why not?

Johnny—Because all proper names ought to begin with a capital.

Kitty—But "devil" is a very improper name.—Chicago Tribune.

Too Bad.

She was good at recitation, and she'd picked a piece on "Peace;"
'Twas to benefit the war fund, so, of course, it wasn't fair
That while she spoke the piece she'd picked the simple gown she wore
Should be so picked to pieces by the other women there.

—Philadelphia Press.

They Would Watch Her.

"When I was spending my vacation at the Meadow Vine inn," said the girl who calls "cash" in the winter and spends cash in the summer, "I would recline on the mossy bank and watch the eddies."

"How about the Percys, the Fweddys and the Gussies?" grinned the ribbon clerk.—Chicago News.

The Billville Way.

The folks down here in Billville air workin with a will
When the vote is on the market an the moonshine's on the "still."
They march to campaign music, they know jest how to drill,
When the vote is on the market an the moonshine's on the "still."

—Atlanta Constitution.

A Fair Division.

"The legislative and executive functions of government should be kept separate."

"That's just what I've always said, Jonas; you lay down the laws in this house, and you ought to let me spend the money."—Indianapolis Journal.

Poor Girl.

An elderly maiden named Ann,
After many years married a man.
His last name was Teek,
And great was her pique,
For as Ann Teek her troubles began!

—Philadelphia Record.

Glad of It.

"There's many a noble song unsung."
"Thank heaven!" — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Hoot, Mon!

What hosts of frien's admirin wad we hae,
Gin by some cantrip warlock's eldritch spells,
Thilk folk we meet wherever we might stray
Could only see us as we see oorsel's!

—Chicago Record.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

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" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Must be competent cook and laundress. Good wages. MRS. GEORGE H. BROWN, 44 Elm street, Quincy. March 6-tf

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TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also half-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises. Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

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SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.

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Quincy, April 25. tf

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Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,
A READER

Quincy Daily Ledger.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a. m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a. m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a. m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a. m.
New Moon	30	3:30 p. m.			

Had Him There.

"What! Call this a blooming fare? You're far from a gentleman, mister."

"Jusso, but I'm pretty close to a blackguard."—Ally Sloper.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

At a meeting of the Baptist Social union at Boston, it was announced on behalf of the Newton theological institution that John D. Rockefeller had undertaken to contribute one-half of the $300,000 needed to complete the equipment of that institution.

A jury returned a verdict for the defense in the case of Irving Curtiss against the town of Sheffield, Mass., for alleged eviction from the public schools, of which he was a pupil.

A petition in bankrupty was filed at New York by Edward R. Holden, broker. Liabilities, $279,355; assets, $261,175.

James Malette, proprietor and editor of the Geneva Review, the Ontario News and the Seneca County News Letter, died suddenly at Geneva, N. Y. He was one of the best known and most prominent journalists in western New York.

Emile Linderman, aged 19, a seaman, whose home is at Cambridge, Mass., fell from the yard of a ship anchored off New York, and was instantly killed.

For the special information of the Commercial World the war department has directed the monthly publication of summaries of the commerce of the Philippines, Cuba and Puerto Rico, with comparative tables of imports and exports by articles and countries. These publications will be issued in pamphlet form.

Fire in the house of the Mutual Ice company at Bangor, Me., practically destroyed the building. It contained several thousand tons of ice, recently harvested. Cause of the fire unknown.

Paul Bloyet (Max O'Rell) has been attacked by catarrh of the stomach. He will bring his tour to a close and go to Paris for treatment. He is now at Memphis.

Immigrants Pouring In by Thousands.

New York, March 6.—Steamer Lucania, which arrived Sunday, brought 390 immigrants, the Pretoria 1013, the Chaleau Yquem 400, La Champagne 542 and Spartan Prince 883, a total of 3228. All were landed at the barge office yesterday. Thirteen thousand steerage passengers are expected during this week.

Germany May Be Sorry.

Washington, March 6.—Officials here show no open resentment at the recently discovered effort of the German government to prevent our consuls from acquiring any information as to the adulteration of German goods and the existence of diseases among German animals, but they are quietly collecting evidence on these points, which, it is hoped, will be quite as convincing.

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"SAPHO" SUPPRESSED

Until Parts Offending Public Decency Are Stricken Out.

Magistrate Mott Sends Case to Special Sessions.

Leading Persons Interested In the Production Are Under $500 Bonds Each.

New York, March 6.—As a result of the decision yesterday of Magistrate Mott, holding Olga Nethersole, now famous for the part she has been playing of "Sapho;" Hamilton Revelle, the leading man; Marcus Meyer, manager of the company and Theodore Moss, lessee of the theatre, each in $500 bail for trial at the special sessions on a charge of producing a play that offended public decency, Wallack's theatre was closed last night, and no production of "Sapho" was attempted. Immediately after the decision in Magistrate Mott's court, holding for the action of the special sessions the leading persons interested in the production of "Sapho" at Wallack's, Chief of Police Devery handed the reporters a statement to the effect that radical changes must be made in the play, or it could not be produced again.

He added that there must be no trifling; that the parts to which objections have been raised must be cut. He said that until the courts had acted upon the matter the wide difference of opinion regarding the merits of the play had made it impossible for the police to determine what should be done. Now that a duly authorized court had ruled against the production the chief said that the duty of the police was plain. Chief Devery at 7 o'clock telephhoned to Manager Burnham of Wallack's theatre and to Marcus Mayer, manager of Miss Nethersole, and suggested that it would be better not to give a performance. Captain Thomas was instructed at the same time to take 10 men in citizen's clothes and visit the theatre, and to make arrests if an effort was made to produce "Sapho" along the original lines.

A notice was posted on the theatre that there would be no performance, and the lights were turned out.

Lawyer Hummel, Managers Burnham and Mayer and other members of the company held a conference in Miss Nethersole's apartments at the Hoffman House later in the evening. After the conference Mr. Burnham said Mr. Hummel had advised the announcement that "Sapho" will not be presented again until the case is settled in court. Instead, Miss Nethersole will tonight play "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray."

Miners In a Smashup.

Brazil, Ind., March 6.—A miners' train, carrying 400 workmen, employed at the mines north of here, to their homes in this city, was run into by a local freight train on the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad last night and the caboose and two cars were smashed to splinters. Two men were killed and more than 40 persons were severely injured. The wreckage caught fire and the rescuers were forced to make a heroic fight to prevent those pinned in the wreck from being cremated.

Hay In Good Standing.

Washington, March 6.—A cablegram received at the state department yesterday from Adelbert Hay, United States consul at Pretoria, indicates that he is having no trouble whatever in the full exercise of his functions, and especially is he unhampered by the Boer officials, with whom he seems to be on an excellent footing, securing any information desired as to the condition of the British soldiers who are prisoners at Pretoria.

Winter Cabinet Resigns.

St. John's, March 6.—Premier Winter yesterday conveyed the resignations of himself and the other members of his government to the government house. The members of the legislature are split in four factions, no two being able to coalesce. The situation is very awkward. Mr. Bond will probably form a government, and meet the house, taking chances on a defeat, and then appealing to the country in a general election.

Cut Down One Half.

New York, March 6.—The directors of the American Sugar company, commonly known as the sugar trust, yesterday reduced the quarterly dividend on its common shares to half the rate maintained since 1895. It declared a dividend of 1½ percent for the quarter, or at the rate of 6 percent per annum, against 12 percent paid since 1893. In that year the payment, including an extra dividend of 9½ percent, was 21½ percent.

Edgartown's Whaling Glory Gone.

Edgartown, Mass., March 6.—Schooner Hattie E. Smith, the last of Edgartown's whaling fleet, which once numbered over 80 vessels, has sailed for New York, from which port she will hereafter hail, having been purchased by New York parties. The first whaler which received papers from this port was the Apollo in 1818.

Deputy Sheriff Took a Hand.

Memphis, March 16.—H. A. Stephenson, a traveling representative of the St. Louis Globe Democrat, was shot and seriously wounded yesterday in the rotunda of the Peabody hotel by Frank Williamson, an Arkansas deputy sheriff. Stephenson had a difficulty with a Memphis citizen and Williamson interfered.

Squabble Over Consulate.

San Juan, P. R., March 6.—Senor Blanco, the consul of Venezuela appointed by the de Castro government, and Senor Solar, the former consul, who represented President Andrade, are squabbling. They both claim the office.

WAS THE PLANET MERCURY.

Doubt as to Identity of the Wreck Off Nova Scotia's Coast Has Been Dispelled.

Barrington, N. S., March 6.—There is now no doubt in the minds of the fishermen that a great disaster has actually occurred and none as to the identity of the vessel wrecked on the ledge at Pubnico some 10 days ago. On Sunday a life buoy was picked up at Pubnico Point marked "Planet Mercury," and Lloyds agent, E. W. B. Moody, found a life raft on Ellenwood's island with "Liverpool" marked on it. A Frenchman at West Pubnico picked up a life preserver yesterday morning with the name "Planet Mercury," and a number of hatches, deals, scantling, pieces of ship's house, broken oars and box shooks have come ashore at Pubnico Point.

Several more dead cattle have also drifted in and schooners have gathered up considerable wreckage of a miscellaneous character. There was no clue on any of the drift stuff as to the name of the vessel, save the markings on the life buoy, and this establishes the identity of the fated craft.

The recent heavy storms set many buoys adrift, and among those carried away was the whistling buoy at the Lurcher, about 20 miles northwest of Yarmouth. As the exact date of the Planet Mercury's wreck is unknown, there may be a clue to the disaster in the fact of the Lurcher buoy being adrift. At any rate the proposed Dominion government lightship on this dangerous spot will come none too soon.

Many Jackies Are Interested.

Washington, March 6.—Solicitor General Richards yesterday entered a motion in the supreme court to advance the hearing of the appeal of Admiral Dewey in his claim for bounty on account of the destruction of the Spanish fleet at Manila. Not only the claims of Admiral Dewey and his 1900 men are involved, but there were 2300 men engaged at Santiago, Manzanillo and other places, who have claims that will be affected by the decision in this case. The total of the award in the case of Admiral Dewey and his sailors is $191,400, and their contention is that the sum should be doubled.

Drafted by Root?

Washington, March 6.—The Post today prints interviews with the Republican members of the ways and means committee on the authorship of the Puerto Rican tariff bill. Representative Tawney of Minnesota stated that the bill was drafted by Secretary Root, but his colleagues on the committee were more or less non-committal as to the bill's authorship. Mr. Tawney further said that the president told him that it should be explained that Secretary Root had drawn the bill in line of duties of his office, just as heads of departments often do upon request.

A Sensational Proposition.

Frankfort, Ky., March 6.—Senator Triplett, anti-Goebel Democrat, offfered a resolution in the senate yesterday to investigate the truth of reports concerning shipments of state arms to London by Governor Taylor, and to demand the return of same to the state arsenal. If the reports are found to be true, and the return of the arms is refused, a committee shall then bring in a bill making an appropriation of $250,000 to buy new guns, and also authorizing a call for volunteers to take the guns from those now in possession of them, and return them to the arsenal.

Shot Down by Highbinders.

San Francisco, March 6.—The war of the Tongs in Chinatown was renewed yesterday by the murder of two of the most prominent merchants in this city and the serious wounding of a third man, all members of the Sam Yup organization. The victims of yesterday's outbreak were members of the pork packing firm of Tuck Wo & Co. The store of Tuck had just been opened for the day's business when four highbinders darted out of a small alley, opening up a fusillade. The murderers escaped.

Large Sum Involved.

Washington, March 6.—Another effort was inaugurated yesterday in the United States supreme court to have that court review the findings of the circuit court of appeals in the Fayerweather will case. The case involves the estate of the late Daniel A. Fayerweather, who bequeathed $1,600,000 to about 20 institutions of learning. The bequest has so far been sustained. The present effort is to break the will.

Long Standing Suit Settled.

Washington, March 6.—The suit of Mary S. Winter against Richard Mansfield, the actor, to recover $5000 for alleged breach of contract, which has been pending since 1896, has been entered settled. The differences between the parties were compromised during Mr. Mansfield's visit to this city last week.

Men and Boat Missing.

Provincetown, Mass., March 6.—The fishermen of this town fear that two of their number have been lost, while out trawling. Manuel C. Silva and his son were seen in their boat off Race point, just previous to an easterly blow, and their boat has since disappeared. Both men have families.

Threw Discus Over 130 Feet.

Philadelphia, March 6.—J. C. McCracken, the University of Pennsylvania's crack football player and field athlete, yesterday hurled the discus 130 feet 6 inches, which is eight feet better than the world's record. McCracken's throw was made in practice and does not stand.

Bark and Two Steamers Lost.

Berlin, March 6.—The German bark Ida von Papenburg was sunk in the channel by the Spanish steamer Balio, all of the crew but two being lost. The fishing steamers Amalie and Gren were lost in the North sea during the last heavy storm, all hands being drowned.

Ship Carpenters Quit Work.

Bath, Me., March 6.—The ship carpenters in this city have left their work because of the refusal of the builders to grant their request that nine hours shall constitute a day's work instead of 10 without decreasing their regular wages.

IN CONGRESS.

Bills Affecting Indians Passed In the House. Quay and Finance In the Senate.

Washington, March 6.—Considerable miscellaneous business was transacted in the house yesterday. Much of it was of a minor character. The most important bills passed was one to ratify a treaty with the Comanche, Kiowa and Apache Indians and open their lands for settlement, and one to authorize the secretary of the interior to negotiate with the Kiowa and Comanches for a neutral strip in Oklahoma.

During the consideration of a bill to incorporate the Frederick Douglass Memorial and Historical association, the speaker and Mr. Bailey of Texas exchanged sharp words, with the result that the latter inaugurated a filibuster and ultimately prevented the final passage of the bill by demanding the reading of the engrossed bill. The bill proposes to collect at the residence of the late Frederick Douglass, in this city, a record of the anti-slavery movement.

Mr. Underwood (Dem., Ala.) was appointed to the vacancy on the ways and means committee, which, it was understood, was originally reserved for General Wheeler had he returned to congress.

Mr. Carter of Montana dealt vigorously with the Quay case in the senate yesterday, in the course of an explanation of why he will vote for the former senator from Pennsylvania. He voted against against the seating of Mr. Corbett in the last congress, because, he said, Mr. Corbett was endeavoring to benefit by a wrong perpetrated by himself. He declared Mr. Quay was the victim of a "diabolical plot" in his own state, such as had no counterpart in American political history.

The near approach of the time of voting on the conference report on the financial bill brought out two speeches on that measure, one by Mr. Fairbanks of Indiana and the other by Mr. Butler of North Carolina. The Indiana senator defended the gold standard and generally applauded the action of the conference committee, while Mr. Butler attacked the pending measure, particularly because of the power it conferred upon national banks. A final vote on the conference report will be taken this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Two Victims of Lamp Accidents.

Boston, March 6.—Mrs. Mary Holden, a widow 74 years old, who lived with her son, was found dead on the floor by her son when he returned home last night. Her body was terribly burned. It is supposed that Mrs. Holden dropped a lighted lamp, which set fire to her clothing.

Southington, Conn., March 6.—Peter Kelly, aged 70, a former merchant, was burned to death at his apartments in a block on Center street, owned by him, last night. He was alone at the time and is thought to have dropped a lighted lamp.

Gotham's Subway Contract.

New York, March 6.—The assignment of the contract for the rapid transit tunnel, obtained from the city by John B. McDonald, from him to the Rapid Transit Subway company, was filed yesterday in the office of the county clerk. The company is to have sole charge of the work and receive all moneys for its construction. McDonald is to do nothing in connection with it, except as approved by the corporation.

Dr. Pfeiffer Fasting.

North Adams, Mass., March 6.—Dr. Immanuel Pfeiffer began a three weeks' fast yesterday afternoon in the interest, he claims, of science. He took his last food at 3 o'clock, which was a plate of soup. He will be visited daily by a physician.

Discontent In Samoa.

Sydney, N. S. W., March 6.—According to mail advices from Samoa, the Samoa Herald predicts grave complications in connection with a serious native disturbance in the island of Savaii on Feb. 3.

On Grounds of Desertion.

Denver, March 6.—Mrs. Francis M. Wolcott was yesterday granted an absolute divorce from Senator Edward O. Wolcott, on the ground of desertion. No evidence was introdudced for the defense.

Shaft and Boilers Damaged.

Nassau, N. P., March 6.—The British second-class cruiser Hermes, which was reported to be off Cat island, Bahamas, with her shaft broken, has arrived here. Her boilers are also damaged.

Didn't Talk of Mediation.

Washington, March 6.—Le Baron Govers, the newly arrived minister of The Netherlands to Washington, paid his respects yesterday to Secretary Hay, and took steps looking to his presentation to President McKinley. His appearance at the state department was the signal for the usual rumor as to mediation in the South African war, but it was without foundation.

Old Concern Forced to the Wall.

Lowell, Mass., March 6.—The Howe Lumber company, founded 35 years ago, has assigned, as a result of the failure of the Globe bank of Boston, to which the company owed a large amount of money. The exact assets and liabilities are not yet known.

He Played With Fire.

Bristol, R. I., March 6.—After being put to bed and left by his parents last evening, Frank Paull, Jr., 7 years old, got out of bed and played with the fire in the stove, which ignited his clothing, burning him terribly. Physicians say he will not recover.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The low area in the southwest has now assumed the proportions of a well-defined storm, and has caused general snow, sleet and rain from the middle and northern slope eastward to the lower Ohio valley and lower lake region. The storm will move north-northeastward, causing heavy snow and sleet today from northeastern Ohio eastward through New York into western Massachusetts and western Connecticut. Snow will likely continue in New England tomorrow. Storm signals are displayed on the Atlantic coast from Wilmington to Eastport.

INDEXING THE LAWS.

MEMORIZING DEVICES IN THE GOVERNMENT BUREAUS.

The Method by Which the Mass of Legislation Which Congress Enacts Each Year Is Untangled and Sent to Its Proper Department.

In view of the immense mass of legislation which congress enacts from year to year, much of it simply in the form of half hidden clauses attached to appropriation bills, strangers often wonder how any one can keep track of the details and make sure that some of the minor laws are executed. When a bill is in the last stages preceding completion, one member after another thinks of something he wishes to throw into it before the final vote is taken. It is perhaps a proviso that the secretary of the treasury shall do this, or that the secretary of the interior shall do that. Up springs another member, who wishes to make sure that the duty shall not be neglected and who therefore adds an amendment that the secretary shall report to congress at each session so and so. And thus it goes into the permanent law of the land, adding one more to the multitude of tasks already assigned to the cabinet officer in question, insuring the compilation of one more public document which few persons outside will ever read and at which not one congressman in 50 will ever glance.

But the work will be done and the report made, as ordered by congress, for there is no one to utter a protest. It is not the business of the head of a department to ask the reason why. It is enough for him that the lawmaking power has issued its command and furnished him with the men and the money required to do the work. The clerks who toil painfully through the process of collecting the data and preparing the report do not bother their brains with the conundrum, Who is going to read it when it is finished and in print? They are there simply to obey orders and draw their salaries. But how does any one keep track of the odds and ends of laws tucked away in budget bills and the like? When the accumulation of statistics for a whole session is bound up in a fat book in the chronological order of their approval by the president, how is any one to dig out the details that the secretary of the treasury and the secretary of the interior must know?

This is the work of digest clerks and indexers, who take each enactment and cut it into bits. One bit in the legislative appropriation act, another in the sundry civil act, a third in an urgent deficiency act, a fourth in a general deficiency act and a fifth perhaps in a special statute, all relate to one subject and belong together. Each subject has its proper place under one of the broad heads, legislative, executive or judicial, and again under one of the subcategories as pertaining to the senate or the department of the interior or the circuit court of appeals or what not. When, therefore, all the fragments of legislation for a session are shifted about and regrouped according to topics and the topics arranged in their normal order, we have a very simple but effective digest for reference on any subject touched by congress.

With a pretty exhaustive index added we can do either of two things—consult the index for the specific title of a certain subject or search the body of the book for the subject itself, in its place in a certain invariable order of topical sequence. For example, if we wish to ascertain how much it has cost to light the New York postoffice building for a certain year, we may either look in the index under "New York" or we may turn in the digest itself to the executive branch of the government, there find the appropriations for the treasury and in the group of public buildings under treasury jurisdiction follow the paragraphs down till we come to the particular building in which we are interested.

So much for the convenience of the officers charged by law with such and such duties. With the orderly distribution of functions between the several bureaus and divisions of each department there is no difficulty in each functionary's learning from the digest just what he is to do and usually how he is to do it.

But what shall keep congress reminded of the reports and recommendations which it has ordered all these persons to prepare? Here comes another memorizing device. A standing rule of the house of representatives requires the clerk of that body to submit at the beginning of every session a list of the reports which any of the laws say shall be made to congress during that session. He incloses the list in a formal letter of transmittal to the speaker, and letter and list are printed together as a document. Each page is ruled in four columns, the first containing the title of the officer and the nature of the report required of him, the second a reference to the volume of laws authorizing the report, the third a citation of section or page and the fourth the date at which the report is expected or the period within which it may be presented or the frequency with which it is always necessary to have a certain class of reports ready.—Boston Transcript.

First Cents In Kansas.

Tanner Bros., who came to Kansas shortly after the civil war and established a store at Humboldt, which they ran until they became immensely wealthy, was the firm that first introduced the use of pennies in making change in Kansas. Prior to its arrival the nickel was the smallest change used in the state. The Tanners brought in 20,000 pennies and established the custom of making the right change to the penny, which now prevails all over the state.—Topeka Letter in Kansas City Journal.

"I am the mother of four children," writes Mrs. Euphemia Falconer, of Trent, Muskegon Co., Mich. "My first two babies were still-born, and I suffered every thing but death. My friends all thought I could never recover. I was reduced to 109 pounds. When I was three months along for my third child I was taken with hemorrhage or flooding and came near having a miscarriage from female weakness. For two months I was under the care of our doctor, but was getting weaker all the time until one day I happened to come across one of your little books and I read it through, and the next day I sent and got three bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and one bottle of 'Pellets.' I improved so fast I continued to take your medicine until baby was born, and he is healthy and all right. My health has been good ever since. I now weigh 165 pounds."

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Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M. and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner on City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth via Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

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TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *6 12	abc	6 32	*5 53	ihgfedcba	6 22 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
9 33	a	9 51	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32			

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b, Norfolk Downs.	g, Savin Hill.
c, Atlantic.	h, Crescent Avenue.
d, Neponset.	i, South Boston.
e, Pope's Hill,	r, Quincy Adams.

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Leave Quincy for Neponset:

HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 10 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 30 and 45 minutes past the hour until 9.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 10 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

CARS leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

CARS leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

From QUINCY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Quincy)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9, 9.30, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesdays and Saturdays only).

From EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

From QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M.

From NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

From QUINCY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and every hour until 12.20 P. M., 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

From WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.50 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

From QUINCY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 10 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25, then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

From EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then 10 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

From QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 30 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook and 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree.

SUNDAYS.

First car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. First car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

First car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 and 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.00 P. M.

Time same as week days on other lines except the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or Adams Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Avenue or City Square. From other points at City Square only.

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New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

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	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
Weighi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
Nel	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
Wefighi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
Nei	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
	9 51	4 28	cba	4 49 r
	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
Nei	8 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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Figures in the same line as the figures of different stations and indicate that it follows:

Neponset, t, Harrison Square.
Milton, g, Savin Hill.
Braintree, h, Crescent Avenue.
Weymouth, i, South Boston.
Quincy, r, Quincy Adams.

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Until the doctor comes, and for minor ills and accidents, the mother must doctor her family. Tens of thousands of mothers have relied upon JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT, and have found it always reliable. It is used both *externally and internally* and it is *the* remedy for inflammation from any cause. Used continually for 90 years as a household remedy, its sustained popularity and increasing use every year are the best possible testimonials to its curative powers.

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THE STAR TEA AND COFFEE STORE,

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Feb. 23. tf

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On the Corner Hancock and Saville Streets.

Choice Beef, Fancy Lamb, Pork, Veal and Poultry.

CANNED GOODS, VEGETABLES and FRUIT.

We have a neat little Grocery Department fully stocked.

CALL AND SEE US.

BROOKS & AMES,

Quincy, Feb. 17. tf

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

Terrible Calamity Overtakes Miners In West Virginia.

Number of Dead May Reach More Than Fifty.

Ten Dead Men Have Already Been Taken From Wrecked Mine.

Disaster Reaches Almost Every Home In Town of Five Hundred Population.

Montgomery, W. Va., March 7.—A disastrous explosion occurred at the Red Ash mine, at Fire Creek, shortly after the miners went to work early Tuesday morning. It is impossible to estimate the full extent of the loss of life and property.

The Red Ash mine is a large drift and the explosion occurred near the entrance, which was thus closed by the falling slate, entombing a large number of miners.

It is impossible to describe the amount of work done by the concentrated army of men who came in large parties from far and near, but they were greatly impeded because of the extent of the enormous blockade at the entrance to the drift. The large, heavy sides of the entrance were blown out to some distance, together with a lot of other heavy timbers. Even mules were blown out some distance. The force of such an explosion caused an immense falling of the slate and other debris so that the entrance was filled up for a great distance and the difficulties in digging through it caused delay in the work of rescue. As many men as could work at one time were digging away with all their might and were relieved in short relays by other men so as to expedite the work of rescuing as many as possible.

At the mouth of the mine the scene was beyond description. The wives and children and the neighbors of those who were known to be entombed were there in full force and their anxiety and distress were most intense. While they were all seeking to help those who were rescued and to get the mine reopened, yet those bereaved people were for the most part in the way of the rescuers and had to be held back from the entrance.

The mine is one of the largest in West Virginia and was very heavily timbered in the different drifts. It was for this reason fear that those who had not been killed by falling debris at the time of the explosion would be pinioned by those connected timbers and suffer death from suffocation. Air was forced into the mine by engines on the surface, which were kept working after the explosion, but it was found that air could be pumped into the drift for only a short distance, as the coal, stone and earth shut off all possibility of reaching the interior. The pumps and all other machinery in the mine were demolished, so that everything had to be done by a temporary arrangement on the surface.

After the men got under headway in the work of rescue they reached the first party in less than an hour, but they met greater difficulties after that time. It was then that telegrams were sent out for physicians, nurses and caskets, but during the greater part of the day there was use only for the caskets. All work was stopped in the surrounding mines of the district.

The estimates of the number in the mine when the explosion occurred are based on the number who entered at 7 o'clock. The manager stated that by 8 or 8:30 a. m. there would have been twice as many men in the mine.

The population of this mining village is only 500. All are miners, and the calamity will reach almost every little house in the mining town.

The most reliable estimate obtainable puts the number of the victims at 50. Those working on the rescue relays say that the scene became more terrible as they got farther into the mine. The men become almost faint of heart when they strike a place filled with dead bodies.

The general belief is that the explosion occurred by contact with the dust when the miners entered with the lights, and that it was not due to fire damp, as has been currently reported. Nearly all the men employed in the mine were white, only about one-fifth being colored, and most of the men were married and had families in the little cottages near the tipple of the great mine.

The Martinique Uprising.

Santiago March 7.—The schooner Josephine arrived yesterday with 40 refugees from the island of Martinique. Most of them are women, who say that a general revolution is anticipated. Rumors are in circulation here of the organization of a large expedition to assist the revolutionists.

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To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

REMEY TO SUCCEED WATSON.

The Latter Coming Home on the Baltimore, Which Is to Be Rebuilt.

Washington, March 7.—On account of the delicate condition of Admiral Watson's health he has been authorized to transfer his flag to the Baltimore, which vessel is to proceed home. Rear Admiral George C. Remey, at present in command of the Portsmouth navy yard, will be ordered to succeed Rear Admiral Watson in command of the Asiatic station. Captain Wilde of the Oregon will command the station in the interval between Admiral Watson's departure and Admiral Remey's arrival at Cavite.

ADMIRAL WATSON.

Admiral Remey will be succeeded in command of the Portsmouth navy yard by Admiral Cromwell, now on board duty here. It is the intention to send Captain McCormick, at present at the Washington navy yard, to be second in command of the Asiatic station. It has been planned that while Admiral Remey shall remain on the flagship Brooklyn, at Manila, Captain McCormick will take command of a division of the fleet to be assigned to duty on the Chinese coast.

The Baltimore, after returning to this contry, will be rebuilt on the plans of the Philadelphia. Secretary Long expects that Admiral Remey will sail from San Francisco about the last of March, and that Admiral Watson will be able to sail for home on the Baltimore about April 5. Admiral Watson has been ailing for several months, but was unwilling to apply for relief.

Mrs. Lawton Receives $98.407.

Washington, March 7.—An interesting scene occurred at the Riggs National bank yesterday, when the fund raised by a grateful people in recognition of the services of the late Major General Lawton, was formally transferred to his widow. General Corbin, as treasurer of the fund, drew the check for $98,407 in favor of Mary C. Lawton and saw that it was transferred to her credit on the books of the bank. In addition to the money the committee also turned over to Mrs. Lawton all the letters received from subscribers to the fund, many of which contain beautiful tributes to the memory of her lamented husband.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 7.—The arrival of the adjournment hour cut short another debate on the Cape Cod canal bill in the legislature yesterday, and a vote will be taken today on the question of engrossing the bill permitting the Boston, Cape Cod and New York Canal company to issue $12,000,000 in stocks and bonds, irrespective of the cost of the proposed canal.

The house killed the bill permiting senators to be nominated in Suffolk county by direct vote.

Consolidation of Vast Proportions.

Lynn, Mass., March 7.—The consolidation of all the various electric lines between Boston and Cape Ann under the Lynn and Boston system went into effect at midnight last night, forming the largest electric railway system in New England. Ten cities and 75 towns will be connected by the consolidation, and the company will control a continuous line along the North Shore from Boston to Gloucester, as well as some distance inland.

Hope Not Yet Abandoned.

New Haven, March 7.—E. J. Phelps, ex-minister to England, has evidenced increased weakness during the past few days. It is stated by the attending physician that apart from the increasing weakness there has been practically no change within the past week, and that while Mr. Phelps was seriously ill a rumor that the case was hopeless was exaggerated.

Caboose and Freight Car Smashed.

Manchester, N. H., March 7.—Two freight trains, south bound, were in a rear-end collision yesterday near Merrimack station on the Boston and Maine road. No. 25 ran into the caboose of No. 262. Nobody was injured, but the caboose and a freight car were smashed. The engine of the second train was somewhat damaged.

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Piano Tuner.

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Residence, No. 5 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point.

Oct. 6 tf

BOERS FALLING BACK.

Natal Is Cleared and Positions In Cape Colony Are Being Abandoned.

British Are Favored by Roberts' Brilliant Strategy.

Rebellion of Dutch In Several Districts Is Assuming Large Proportions.

London, March 7.—There is still no startling news from South Africa. The abandonment of the Stormberg and Colesberg districts by the Boers and their complete retirement from Natal is the inevitable result of General Robert's strategy. Their positions were rendered untenable and perilous in the extreme, as they were liable at any moment to be cut off by Roberts, if he deemed the game worth the candle.

The Boers seemingly are pursuing the course commended by the strategists and are concentrating to resist the British main army. Various messages from correspondents with Lord Roberts report that the enemy are increasing continually on his front, extending, is one correspondent says, eight miles, and, as another says, 18 miles. The lowest estimate of their numbers gives the Boers from 8000 to 10,000 men, with smaller bodies moving north and south of the British lines.

Each army is on both sides of the Modder river. Although the Boers have mounted eight guns on the tops of kopjes and appear to be too far away for inspection, the British scouts report that they are diligently using pick and shovel. Military opinion is that their present position merely screens more easily defended ones, deeper in the region.

None of the military experts endeavors to fathom Lord Roberts' plans; but it is suggested that he is quite willing to give the Boers time to assemble all their men in order to deliver a smashing blow more effectively.

The round robin in favor of the annexation of the Transvaal and the Free State, which is being promoted among the supporters of the government in the house of commons, continues to receive signatures. The signatories of the memorial to Mr. Balfour affirm that the time has arrived for plain speaking inside and outside of parliament, and that Lord Salisbury's words are being construed into a pledge against annexation and Lord Roberts' proclamation into a promise of no confiscation of Boer property.

The Transvaal agency at Brussels threatens a rising of the Cape Dutch in the event of annexation, though why the Dutch should rise then rather than now is not explained.

A Cape Town dispatch says that nearly the whole of the Dutch population of the Prieska and Kennhardt districts are in rebellion. Many of the Dutch from the neighboring districts are reported to have joined them, notably Piet Mooiman, who will lead the rebels to Brandbles. Lucas Steinkamp, commanding the Boers, is reported marching on Carnarvon. It is believed that Gordonia and Victoria West will rise. It is thought that the total number of men in arms will exceed 3000. The general opinion of loyalists is that a strong force of British will be required, as a reverse would spread the rebellion.

An official notification has been issued at Cape Town that the Queenstown proclamation of Feb. 22 regarding certain terms offered the rebels by General Brabant, in event of their surrender, has been withdrawn, but those in arms against England may return to their farms upon surrendering their weapons, receiving a pass, but they are liable to be called to account later.

The house of commons, in committee of the whole, last evening adopted a resolution to authorize a loan of £35,000,000. The vote stood 161 to 26.

Spenser Wilkinson, in The Morning Post today, confines his review of the military situation to a mere record of events and concludes as follows: "It almost seems as though Lord Roberts wished to let the Boers assemble as much of their army as they can before beginning to try conclusions with them."

Cleveland's Spasm of Virtue.

Cleveland, March 7.—The police had received instructions to attend the performance of "Zaza" at the Euclid avenue opera house by Mrs. Leslie Carter last night for the purpose of securing evidence as to its morality. Mrs. Carter did not appear, however, and it is thought her engagement will not be finished. It was announced that she was suffering from a bad affection of the throat.

To Fight Bell Telephone.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 7.—Representatives of independent telephone companies in three states met here yesterday and effected a permanent organization in opposition to the Bell Telephone company. The new company is to be known as the Interstate Telephone association, and it will start with the independent lines now in operation in Indiana, Illinois and Kentucky.

Lineman Touched Live Wire.

Whitinsville, Mass., March 7.—John Martin, aged 23, was instantly killed while at work on electric light wires on Tuesday. He was putting in a cut-off box on the arc circuit, there being no current on the wire at the time. Apparently he touched a live incandescent wire. Martin's body hung from the pole for some minutes before the current could be shut off.

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To follow is to follow the crowd. The public are not often wrong in their judgment of stores—especially shoe stores.

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I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist can and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	40	25	39	42	36
Monday,	34	23	58	41	37
Tuesday,	35	12	43	43	50
Wednesday,	39	32	39	48	26
Thursday,	—	42	37	50	40
Friday,	—	41	36	54	44
Saturday,	—	35	35	60	51

New Advertisements Today.

Hearings—State House (3).
Attention!—Boys and Girls.
Quincy Music Hall—Bunch of Keys.
Quincy Steam Dye House—L. Warshaw.

Good Afternoon.

The rumors at election time that the Commissioner of Public Works of 1899 would exceed his appropriations, is now verified by the report of the City Auditor to the City Council and the reduction in the Water Department which Mayor Keith rushed into print to claim because of the transfer, seems to be threatened, as bills for water maintenance of 1899 are already $573.01 in excess of the large appropriation.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ A man who took a city paper because it had more reading matter than his home paper, read an advertisement of a pocket fire-escape. He sent a dollar and in few days received a new testament. — Morrisville News and Citizen.

☞ Miss Mamie Hallas of Pawtucket met a young man at the beach. He has died, leaving her an estate of more than ten thousand dollars. The beaches within a reasonable distance of Pawtucket should make early arrangements for the inevitable rush. — Charlestown Enterprise.

☞ Human calculation is reported to have erred in adjusting the automatic calendar clock for a leap year in 1900, the dials indicating Feb. 29 when they should have showed March 1, but perhaps mechanical ingenuity was not equal to the meeting this particular exigency if foreseen.—Lynn Item.

☞ The coming together of Plymouth church and the church of the Pilgrims in Brooklyn in a union Lenten service, Friday night, was an event worth noting. Not since the trial of Henry Ward Beecher on the suit of Theodore Tilton have these churches been associated.—Milford Journal.

☞ We wonder how much is really accomplished by discourses against current fanaticisms like Christian Science. The strength of these isms is not in the intellect of their adherents, but in their imagination, and the imagination is not necessarily or usually affected by logical processes.—Boston Watchman.

☞ The prime essential of an enduring success is good health. Without it, however brilliant the mind, little can be accomplished. It has well been said "the man and his soul must be boon companions and lusty comrades in arms. The body must sturdily abet the spirit in all brave aspirations of life."—Beverly Times.

☞ To assume that the public money has got to be expended whenever any city in the United States decides to advertise itself by an exploiting show, is preposterous. The precedent of $5,000 is bad enough; to appropriate $50,000 would be indefensible. The legislature should make short work of this second demand.—Springfield Republican.

☞ In seeking authority to keep a watchful eye upon state wards placed in private homes, the Massachusetts state board of charity is plainly not asking too much from the legislature. We want no such arrangement in Massachusetts as obtains in New York, where the Gerry society exercises powrs not compatible with the public weal.—Haverhill Gazette.

TODAY'S COURT.

Patrick Maloney was fined $10 for assault on James E. Holbrook at Braintree.

LONG SETTLEMENT.

The Desire of the Quincy Granite Manufacturers

Agreement of Barre for But One Year.

Quincy Manufacturers Proposition is for 33 Cents Average.

The regular monthly meeting of the Quincy Granite Manufacturers' Association was held Tuesday evening.

No action was taken on the strike situation, as that matter is in the hands of a committee, whose action thus far meets the entire approval of the association. The situation however was discussed informally.

There is nothing new today, both sides evidently awaiting developments. There seems to have been some misunderstanding as to the propositions made by the Quincy Manufacturers' Committee to the Cutters. The intimation has been that it was a 33 cent minimum price per hour, for eight hours. This however is not correct. The proposition made was to pay an average of 33 cents per hour for eight hours.

At Barre, there is no question but what the agreement as signed by the two committees, reads an average of 35 cents per hour. The Cutters admit that the agreement reads average, but say that it means a minimum price.

Another matter in regard to the Barre agreement is that it is for one year only, which means next year that the same fight has got to come again.

What the Quincy Manufacturers desire is an agreement that will be good for a number of years, at least, and that any differences shall be settled by arbitration. When the matter is finally adjusted in Quincy, it is probable that it will be settled for more than one year.

Settlement at Milford.

A dispatch to the Journal from Milford, N. H., says, the strike of the granite cutters is ended, and the 130 employes of the local companies will return to work Wednesday. The obstacle which has caused the strike was the date at which the new schedule should go into effect. At a conference Tuesday a compromise was reached, that the rate of wages should be $3 for a work day of eight hours to take effect April 1. With regard to piece work, a price list will be formulated and go into effect on the same day.

At Work in Maine.

The granite cutters at Waldoboro and Hurricane returned to work this morning, by a temporary agreement which holds good while the conference between the two committees is pending. By the terms of this agreement the men will get eight hours and an advance of 16 2-3 per cent. which is on the basis of 35 cents per hour. This understanding will effect 200 men at Waldoboro, and 175 at Hurricane.

Whist Party.

Although the Wollaston Yacht club house is burned flat, its good times still remain, and through the kindness of Mr. W. C. Lapham, one of those enjoyable whists was held at his residence on Safford street, Wollaston, Tuesday, for the benefit of the club. There were eight tables in play, which was remarkable, considering the weather. The first ladies' prize was awarded to Mrs. James Baker, and second to Mrs. Henry Smith. The first gentlemen's prize went to Dr. Record, and second to Mr. William C. Lapham. After the whist refreshments were served and a jolly good time spent. Mr. Lapham has kindly consented to hold two more whist parties at his house and the next one will be next Tuesday evening.

Bigamy the Charge.

A New York dispatch to Boston papers says, In the Adams street court, Brooklynn Monday, William S. M. Rideout the Charlestown (Mass.) Navy Yard clerk who was arrested two weeks ago in Brooklyn on the charge of abducting Winnie Alden, aged 16 years, from her father's home in Malden, Mass., was arraigned and turned over to detectives from Hoboken where he will be tried on a charge of bigamy.

☞ Carpets Cleaned—Taken up and relaid. Henry L. Kincaide & Co.

BORN.

HOUROULA—In Quincy, March 6, twin daughters to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Houroula.

DIED.

CARLSON—In Quincy, March 6, Mr. Andrew J. Carlson of Granite street, aged 70 years, 3 months and 25 days.

MORSE—In Cohasset, Mar. 5, Mr. George A. Morse, aged 40 years and 1 month.

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

A beautiful morning.

Alexander Marnock is in Providence on a brief business trip.

High School Alumni reunion, Friday evening at High school hall.

Officer Dawson is again on duty, after an illness of seven weeks.

Probate court for Norfolk County will be held in Quincy next week Wednesday.

It is reported that F. S. Patch has purchased a supply of ice in New Hampshire.

The Fore River Engine Work is considering a location in Quincy outside the drawbridge.

The firm of McGrath Bros. has been dissolved and James McGrath left this week for a trip in Mexico.

Mrs. James B. Pollock of New York, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Penniman of Pleasant street.

The local lodge of the New England Order of Protection held an enjoyable whist party Tuesday evening at Wilson's hall.

The new carriage manufactory building of Talbot & Emerson is being rushed toward completion by contractor Williams.

Mrs. Sarah Tirrell, widow of Charles H. Tirrell, formerly of Quincy, died in Tewksbury on Saturday. The interment was at North Weymouth on Monday.

Another meeting of the City Council will be held next Monday evening, upon which date a public hearing is advertised on the Sea street location of the street railway.

Michael Proctor had his leg broken Tuesday night, near Mt. Wollaston cemetery. He was at work assisting a team which had become stalled, when it suddenly backed into him. The police were notified and he was removed to the City Hospital.

THE ROYAL BOX.

Queen Victoria still adheres to a set of dietary rules and health prescriptions given her many years ago by Sir William Jenner.

The empress of Russia speaks five languages, and riding, painting, rowing, sketching, swimming and tennis are among her recreations.

The Kaiser has again been commenting on the mustache. He says: "It is the privilege of a man and his duty. It is the emblem of the strength, the superiority, of his sex."

Chevalier Michel de la Zarovitsch, member of the Hungarian nobility and related to the royal family of Obreovitch of Servia, is a member of a Hungarian orchestra in New York. He claims kinship with King Milan, to whom he bears a resemblance.

THE CYNIC.

Every woman likes to talk of the "gray monotony" of her life.

Every man with curly hair spends too much time in combing it.

Don't work a friend in the interest of a stranger. Lots of people do it.

All the grand stand players in the country are not in the baseball business.

It is not necessary to die to prove friendship; just refuse to tell all you know on a man.

When a man engages in politics, he will wrong a friend as quickly as a man who is trying to sell stock in a mine.

When a new family moves into a neighborhood, it is regarded as a valuable acquisition if the furniture wagon shows a stepladder.—Atchison Globe

—We need to pray for the incoming rather than for the outpouring of the Spirit.

—The man who does no good is not necessarily harmless.

—To love license is to lose liberty.

CARS OFF TRACK.

Passengers to Boston Bothered This Morning.

About 7.45 this morning as an outward freight train from Boston was crossing near the Dorchester street bridge at South Boston to take the third track, two cars jumped the track in such a way as to block both outward and inward traffic for some time.

It was at the busy hour of the day when thousands of people on the Plymouth division were rushing to their business in Boston, and they were obliged to leave the cars and take the Dorchester avenue electrics.

Cows at Wollaston Park.

There was no desire in the article in the Ledger of yesterday to injure Miss Landers, and we are pleased to print both sides of the controversy. A friend of Miss Landers writes:

Editors of the Quincy Daily Ledger:

The article headed "Cow Nuisance Abated" in the issue of March 6 contains so much that is untrue and so much calculated to cause serious injury to Miss Landers that it is hard to specify everything of importance.

The heading itself in incorrect. The suit referred to was not for a "cow nuisance" at all, and no cow nuisance has been ordered to be abated, neither has there been any order to cease the milk business or to remove any "old shanties."

A suit was brought in which as yet no decision of a court of last resort has been rendered, and which is on its way to the Supreme court, in which the interpretation of the restrictions on land at Wollaston Park was before the Court. That is all. There was no evidence at the trial of any nuisance whatever and no claim of any made. The uncontradicted evidence showed that the property in question was kept in a most cleanly condition.

The Superior Court was of opinion that under the restrictions, cows could not be kept on these premises, but the milk business will still be continued by Miss Landers and the correctness of the ruling of the Superior Court carried to the Supreme Court. In any event Miss Landers will carry on her business as heretofore. A Friend.

Old Offender Sentenced.

William Buchan of East Milton, who tells the police that he is the champion light-weight fighter of the world, was sentenced in the Dorchester court Tuesday to three months at Deer Island. A few days since, in an encounter with a police officer, he seriously bit the man's arm. Monday night, finding him again in a fighting mood, the officer arrested him. Not long since, while the chief of police of a neighboring town was accompanying him to the station house in a patrol wagon, he threw the chief to the ground—a feat of which he is very proud.—Transcript.

THE STRIKE IS ON!

And While you are waiting for it to be settled, you would do well to step into A. A. LINSCOTT'S JEWELRY STORE, and see some of the Bargains which he has to offer in Watches, Clocks, Silverware and Jewelry of all kinds.

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Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Mar. 5, 1900.

THE Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition (with accompanying bill, House No. 692) of John Woodbury, secretary, for legislation relative to the laying of drains and sewers in or across lands owned, or controlled by the Metropolitan Park Commission, at room No. 436, State House, on FRIDAY, March 9, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

A. A. MAXWELL, Chairman.
A. P. RUSSELL,
Mar. 7-2t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Mar. 5, 1900.

THE Committee on Prisons will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 642, to provide for the establishment of the Eastern Reformatory, at room No. 249, State House, on THURSDAY, March 8, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

FRANK A. PATCH, Chairman.
WILLIAM COLVARD PARKER,
Mar. 7-1t Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Mar. 5, 1900.

THE Committee on Prisons will give a continued hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 309, to provide for the maintenance of jails and houses of correction by the Commonwealth, at room No. 426, State House, on FRIDAY, March 9, at 10 30 o'clock A. M.

FRANK A. PATCH, Chairman.
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THE PIVOTAL POINT.

The $3 Minimum Wage Rate Not the Eight Hour Day.

The Monumental News for March devotes considerable space to the labor trouble in the granite industry and says in part, editorially:

"It has come to be realized that the demand of the Granite Cutters' Union for a $3 minimum wage scale is the pivotal point upon which the critical question between the manufacturers and granite cutters hangs." The eight hour day is practically conceded. It is true that the granite interests have had three years to consider it; it is nevertheless also true that it was an abitrary assumption on the part of the union that trade conditions could be regulated to submit to any such demand at any future time.

"The question is far too intricate and complicated for any man or body of men to control. The greatest statesmen who have lived would have been infinitely greater could they have been able to foresee the conditions of trade and commerce years ahead and make hard and fast lines to regulate it in their country's interests. How is it possible to conceive that any particular line of labor should be able to say that on a certain date in the future employers must give a certain rate of wages over so vast a territory and such variable interests. To any casual student of economic laws such an idea becomes preposterous, because it is hardly possible to predict what even a near future may necessitate in the way of readjustment of trade conditions.

"The quarrying of granite and the manufacture of monuments cannot be considered from the same standpoint as the necessaries of life and living. They partake of the nature of luxuries, for which substitutes can always be found, when their cost exceeds the limit which the demand regulates. According to the ruling authorities of the Granite Cutters' Union, the increase of wages due to the demand will raise the price of monuments 20 per cent., according to the estimates of the manufacturers the price will increase between 30 and 50 per cent. In the former case the union considers only its own demand, not admitting into argument contingencies which are bound to arise. The fact of admitting the 20 per cent. rise for its own part in the controversy, manifestly strengthens the manufacturers' position as to their estimated increase. However, whether it is to be 20 per cent. or 50 per cent., the increase in cost is quite ufficient to impede healthy improvement in the monumental industry, so far as it pertains to granite, and will unquestionably lead to the active use of other materials for memorial work as well as to increased importations of foreign stone.

"At no time in the history of the marble and granite business in this country, has there been so many matters of vital importance deserving of concerted action as have arisen in recent months. Herein is one of the most potent arguments in favor of the state and national organizations of marble and granite dealers. Unjust charges in freight rates, excessive warehouse charges, department store monument dealers, the differences between manufacturers and workmen, and other matters of similar import concern every retail dealer and are matters in which he has a voice that should be heard, and if heard through a well organized association would have its effect. It is the misfortune of the monument business that it does not contain a sufficient number of men in each state, who are willing to sacrifice something of their time and energy to maintain organizations that will command the respect, if not win to its ranks, the hearty support of every honest dealer."

—The state capitol of Texas is the largest state building in the United States, and the seventh in size among the buildings of the world. It was paid for with 3, 00,000 acres of public land, deeded to the Chicago capitalists who executed the work.

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Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free)

Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

Col. Parker's New Work.

The new in education is always of interest, and it is pleasing to note that Col. Parker who gave Quincy her renown, is still prominent. The following editorial is from a recent issue of the Boston Transcript.—

The West has borrowed largely of the educational talent of the East, and among those whose departure makes this section the poorer is Mr. Francis W. Parker, whose name is familiar to Boston and vicinity in association with the new and advanced methods of teaching. He has also been one of the most potent factors, in their development. Chicago has for some time had the benefit of his educational fruitfulness at the head of her normal school, which position he has now resigned to become the president of the Chicago Institute, academic and pedagogic. Mrs. Emmons Blaine has made the welfare of this public-spirited and broad-gauge enterprise her especial concern, and it starts with a beautiful and skilfully arranged modern building, with definite plans and purposes and a faculty that not only possesses knowledge, but zeal and enthusiasm commensurate with it.

While the Chicago Normal School was, and is, it is believed, in the right direction, it is thought that the principles here applied can, with greater freedom and better facilities, be still more completely worked out. The preliminary announcement of the scope and purpose of the Institute shows that it is following new lines in all respects. It will consist of three general departments or schools, the academic school, the pedagogic school and the summer school, while eventually it is hoped to add a free school for children in some crowded part of the city.

"In the first named of these schools the attempt will be made to provide ideal conditions for the education of children and youth between the ages of four and eighteen in order to prepare them for the duties and responsibilities of life and for higher education. The proposed methods of instruction are less of the toilsome and piecemeal kind of which most mature people have a vivid and sometimes a painful recollection. They will aim to teach the pupil to apprehend rather than to delve; in nature study to cultivate in him habits of thoughtful observation, and develop the desire and ability "to comprehend natural phenomena and to interpret the processes of evolution constantly at work in his natural and social environments, and to inspire in him a genuine love for nature."

The attempt to substitute inspiration for the slow and laborious method of instruction which have been the basis of educational achievement up to a recent date is a bold one, but the results of complete success along this line would be so rich and gratifying that it is worth making. In fact, considerable success has already been won in that direction. Let the child once apprehend himself and his relationship to what surrounds him with all its rich associations, and with ordinary help he will do the rest. To bring the school and home into the closest relations, there will be a department of home economics or household arts, and this will furnish courses for both the academic and pedagogic schools. Manual training and the arts will have their appropriate places, and all will be supplemented by an elaborate system of physical training. The educational journey is a long and varied one, taking the pupil from the door of the nursery to the portal of the college.

Not less ambitious is the plan of the pedagogic school. It proposes to give suitable training for teaching elementary, secondary and normal schools; also, in kindergartens and special work. To begin with, the candidate must be free from physical defects likely to impair the usefulness of a teacher and the school will be open to graduates of accredited high schools, of accredited normal schools, of colleges and universities, and to teachers of three years' experience who can offer satisfactory evidence of efficiency. Before graduation students may be required to teach for a limited time in positions where their work can be inspected by members of the faculty. The summer school, which opens to any the door of special opportunity, will follow the normal school plan, but will have a broader scope and greater advantage of equipment. All departments of the institute will be represented in that school. Back of this enterprise are experience, enthusiasm, public spirit and capital. Before it ought to be a broadening and quickening of educational methods as far as its influences teaches. It represents aspiration and progress. May its success be as great as the faith of its sponsors is strong.

QUINCY BABIES OF 1899.

A Total of 712 or an Average of Very Nearly Two per Day for the Year.

Parents noticing errors of any kind in the births of 1899 as published in the Ledger, are requested to notify City Clerk Cleaves prompty, that corrections may be made before the City Book is printed.

DATE.		NAME.	PARENTS.
Dec.	3.	Timothy E. McAuliffe,	Michael and Elizabeth
	3.	Elizabeth Brigham Pratt,	Herbert and Alice G.
	3.	John Dean McKnight,	John and Catherine M.
	3.	Charles F. Barton,	James and Ellen
	5.	Daniel Danahy,	Daniel and Nora
	5.	Marion Helen Petterson,	Jacob and Alice M.
	6.	Robert Neil LaCroix,	Alfred J. and Nellie
	6.	Edith Harlbeck,	John and Annie
	6.	Walter Raleigh,	Alexander and Grace
	6.	Evelyn Frances Besgren,	Francis and Adeline
	7.	William Kendrick Hale,	William and Mary
	8.	Mary Catherine Walsh,	Edward W. and Margaret
	8.	Otis Clapp Angier,	Edward and Gertrude
	8.	Georgie M. Wells,	Arthur E. and Nellie M.
	9.	Percy Twombly,	Jonathan and Annie
	9.	——— McKenzie,	Malcolm and Annie
	10.	——— Sutherland,	John A. and Annie B.
	10.	——— Poutney,	William H. and Lillian
	11.	Stillborn.	
	12.	Margaret Agnes Gray,	Richard and Mary A.
	14.	Mildred Archibald,	Joseph H. and Lizzie
	14.	——— Rawson,	Edwin F. and Elizabeth B.
	15.	Eugene F. Sullivan,	John and Nellie
	15.	Eva Edward Matson,	Samuel and Louisa
	16.	Emma A. Kerr,	Alexander and Emma
	16.	——— Nelson,	Carl J. and Selma A.
	16.	Jeanette Maud Shay,	Ernest M. and Abbie M.
	17.	——— Shaw,	Benjamin and Julia
	17.	Estelle Dufour,	Frank and Camilia
	17.	Mary M. MacDonald,	James and Flora
	17.	Reynold Sciaresca,	Benjamin and Julia
	19.	Telic Paonllucci,	Sabratore and Barbara
	20.	Michael E Crowley.	John and Margaret
	20.	Mary C. Baptista,	Antonio and Sarah
	20.	——— Richards,	Halford and Jessie
	21.	Johanna Ward,	William and Catharine
	21.	Annie Isabelle Olson,	Oscar and Anna
	22.	Thelma Turner,	Alfred F. and Mary A.
	22.	Lillian A. Whiton,	Francis H. and Lillie C.
	23.	——— De Anio,	Cardiano and Lucretia
	23.	——— Cummings,	William F. and Cordelia
	23.	Joseph A. Dasha, Jr.,	Joseph A. and Ellen L.
	24.	Marion M. Edwards,	H. P. and Lutie K.
	24.	Henry F. Dolan,	Martin and Mary
	25.	Maud Martelle,	Delbb and Lillie
	25.	——— Thurston,	Elmer E. and Ruth E.
	25.	Camilla N. Purpura,	Augustine and Rosa
	25.	Gordon Stanley Troup,	Sangster and Annie M.
	26.	——— Coletti,	Cataldo and Mary
	26.	Lempi J. Hakola,	John and Hilma
	26.	John Mullen,	Cornelius and Lizzie
	26.	Elmer Hildegard,	Wanoes and Frances
	27.	Madeline A. Meehan,	Walter J. and Alice M.
	27.	John Gordon McDonald,	John A. and Susan
	28.	Peter Rizzi,	John and Rosie
	29.	——— Lyons,	Edward S. and Effie E. B.
	30.	Lundquist,	John and Anna
	31.	Elizabeth Keating,	Daniel J. and Mary
	31.	Loretta B. Smollett,	George and Margaret
	31.	Geneveve Stewart,	John H. and Annie M.
	31.	William Faircloth,	William and Delia

(To be continued.)

Important Business Change.

Altogether the most important movement in the business world of Boston since the year came in is the change of the great carpet firm of John H. Pray, Sons & Co. to a corporation known as the John H. Pray & Sons Company. The real estate owned by the firm changed hands at the valuation of $1,010,000 while the new corporation has a capital of $825,000 fully paid in.

The Pray corporation, as it now exists, is the result of a beginning made in the carpet business as long ago as 1817 by Mr. John H. Pray. The growth which succeeding years have shown has been due to the exercise of those qualities of economy, foresight and intelligent effort which are invariably associated with all conspicuous business success.

For many years past the old firm handled vastly more carpets and rugs than all other Boston establishments combined, and from the very fact of its extensive business has been enabled to keep selling prices always at the most moderate point—since it is well known that the larger the amount of the transactions of any firm the smaller is the percentage of profit at which the business can be successfully conducted.

In changing its form from a firm to a corporation, the house is simply following the accepted line adopted by the best business judgment of the day in all large enterprises. Undoubtedly the new corporation will impress itself upon this community more forcibly than ever before, and will extend its already high reputation for straightforward dealing with its customers.

—The moment that a young crocodile breaks its shell it is to all intents and purposes as active as it is at any time during its life. It will make straight for the water, even if it be out of sight and a good distance of, and it will pursue its prey with eagerness and agility during the first hour of its free existence.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

Men's Banquet.

The banquet to be served by the men of the Universalist society at their church vestry, this evening, bids fair to be a grand success. A beautiful repast is assured, an unusually large number of tickets are already sold, and a pleasant entertainment of vocal and instrumental music will be rendered by the Raymond family of East Weymouth, assisted by Miss Edith Burrill pianist; Miss Gladys Burrill, singer; Mr. W. B. Gay and Mrs. Wilkins, readers. Rev. Merrill C. Ward will serve as toastmaster and Mayor Hall, and several clergymen will speak. Everybody welcome.

The Magazines.

The March Woman's Home Companion publishes the last musical composition of Johann Strauss—a brilliant piece for the pianoforte, entitled Dream Visions. The Equipages of the Chief Executive, by Waldon Fawcett, and Social Life in the United States Navy, by Anna A. Rogers, are entertaining features. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis discusses The Achievements of the Nineteenth Century, and Frederick Boyd Stevenson writes about the Indian exhibit at the Paris Exposition. Visitor to the Sick-Room, The Care of the Teeth, Child Life in the Home, Dainty Caps for Babies, How to Give a Dinner, Easter Hats and Costumes, Laundering Shirt-Waists, Studies in China-Painting, are other articles. Crowell & Kirkpatrick Co. Springfield, Ohio.

The Cosmopolitan for March opens with an attractive article on The Dramatic Realization of the Novel, illustrated with scenes from "Ben-Hur," "Sapho," and "Becky Sharp." Wolves as pets, great truck-gardens in California, Ruskin and his homes, illustrated, the servant question, the English Inns of courts, the little trick of Smuggling, Thurlow Weed, are subjects of articles. A new department, Men Women and Events has been added to the magazine.

—A Montpelier mother recently took her 4-year-old boy to church, but had to be constantly chiding him for speaking out in meeting. He finally broke out: "Mamma, if you won't let me talk, take off my shoes so I can work my toes."

—Confectioners use a great number of nuts, but it is surprising to learn that in France these are generally purchased already cracked, the peasants in a village in the southwestern department of the Lot making it an actual business to shell nuts with marvelous rapidity for the market.

CARNEGIE AND FRICK.

Possibly Mr. Frick will establish a few law libraries.—Baltimore American.

Carnegie should now say a few more things about the blessings of poverty.—Chicago Record.

Mr. Frick is willing to do his part toward saving Andrew Carnegie from the crime of dying rich.—Chicago Tribune.

Sometimes when millionaires fall out the result is a new industry, as in the Carnegie-Frick imbroglio.—Philadelphia Ledger.

No wonder Andrew Carnegie thinks poverty is a blessing. A poor man is never sued for $21,000,000.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Mr. Frick hasn't figured as prominently in philanthropic work as has Mr. Carnegie, but he's doing a good deal just now in behalf of needy and deserving lawyers.—St. Louis Republic.

Perhaps Mr. Frick thinks Mr. Carnegie is not sufficiently guarding against the disgrace of dying rich. He is trying to relieve him of $21,000,000 through court procedure.—Kansas City Journal.

There is no necessity for any public excitement on account of the report that Mr. Frick and Mr. Carnegie are about to fight over the manufacture of cold steel. They will not use any in the fight.—Boston Advertiser.

Now is the time for Andrew Carnegie and Henry Clay Frick to show their love of public welfare. There is a trifling matter of $10,000,000 at issue between them. Why should they not agree to stop all quarreling, each resign his title to the money and dedicate the little sum to hospitals, colleges and charities?—Chicago News.

POULTRY POINTERS.

Eggs kept for hatching should be turned half over every two or three days at least.

Cramp in the legs is usually caused by too close confinement and by feeding concentrated food.

Geese and ducks need to be kept in warm, dry quarters when there is deep snow on the ground.

The last of March or the 1st of April is plenty early for the first brood of ducklings to be hatched.

Six turkey hens and a tom make a very good breeding pen, but 12 hens may be used with a vigorous tom.

The brooder must always be kept sufficiently warm so that the chicks will not crowd close together and smother.

One quarrelsome, fussy old hen will monopolize food and roosting apartments to the detriment of all the rest of the flock.

Winter layers depend upon early pullets, early pullets depend upon early sitters and early sitters upon the winter layers.

If you want to mate up pullets for next year's breeding, put in a good, vigorous 2-year-old cock with them.—St. Louis Republic.

THE WRITERS.

Henry James' income from his books during 1899 is said to have been something over $6,000.

Vittorio Bersezio, the Italian dramatist and novelist, is dead at the age of 60 years. He has written a history of the reign of Victor Emmanuel II in five volumes.

Frank Stockton has named his new West Virginia home Claymount. He has 150 acres of forest and field, overlooking one of the most beautiful portions of the Shenandoah valley. The house is a handsome old colonial structure.

It is said that when Rudyard Kipling becomes absorbed in his subject he writes with great rapidity, and each succeeding line on a page begins a little farther to the right, so that when he gets to the end of a sheet there are but two or three words to a line.

Anthony Hope, the novelist, does not believe it is harder to succeed in literature than in other professions. "It is impossible to succeed in it without talent," he says, "though many fail who have talent. But even a genius must wait years before he is accepted by both critics and public."

FOREIGN NOTES.

London imports 18,000,000 tons of coal annually.

Monte Carlo is the one spot on the continent at present where everything is done to please the English and make them comfortable, as the Monte Carlo people appreciate British patronage and gold.

Exports from Belgium last year increased $14,389,000 over 1898; imports increased $29,458,000. This is almost the only European country in which imports were larger in 1899 than in the year preceding.

Notwithstanding Russia's enormous expenditures in constructing the Transsiberian railway and for the increase of the army and navy the revenues for 12 years exceeded disbursements by 790,000,000 rubles.

THE MOLINEUX VERDICT.

Molineux has money; therefore the lawyers have hope.—Chicago Record.

Molineux's case is one instance where a man's family connections failed to save him from a conviction on the charge of murder.—Detroit Tribune.

Molineux has had a fair trial among an unprejudiced people. The result is a noteworthy vindication of the weight and value of circumstantial evidence under modern methods of judicial administration and practice.—Philadelphia Record.

Apparently Molineux is regarded by many persons in New York, lawyers as well as laymen, as a defendant who was probably guilty of the crime imputed to him, but whose guilt had not been proved so conclusively as to justify conviction of murder in the first degree.—Baltimore Sun.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

A clothes wringer with cog bearings turns more easily than other kinds.

A lamp chimney should be as large in diameter as the brackets will permit.

Varnish the soles of shoes before wearing. It will add to their length of days.

Damp cornmeal is excellent to use on sweeping day. It not only absorbs the dust, but it freshens and brightens the carpet.

Red wine stains may be removed from table linen with thick milk. Let it remain for several hours, then wash the place in lukewarm water.

"I want a good soap for washing the clothes; they wear out too fast, and I believe the damage is done in the laundry."

"Let me send you a box of Ivory Soap. We know it is pure, and will not injure anything. Many of our customers will not have any other for their laundry work."

The box was sent, and one more family uses no other. Try it for one week in your laundry, and ask your laundress what she thinks of it.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

The rain which continued nearly all Tuesday night carried off all the snow.

C. M. Hayford of Portsmouth, N. H., has been visiting Dr. H. S. Hayford this week.

The directors of the Y. M. C. A. were entertained at dinner Tuesday evening by Mrs. Theophilus King.

The regular meeting of the Quincy branches of the Cutters Union will be held tonight. No action is expected on the strike situation.

A sneak thief entered the cloak room of the Thayer academy, Tuesday, and made off with a lot of the wearing apparel of the students.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Managers of Public Burial Places will be held in the Assessors room at City Hall, Thursday evening.

City Council Committee meetings announced for this week are: Fire Department, Wednesday evening; Streets, Friday evening; Finance, Saturday evening.

At the regular meeting of Court Abigal Adams, C. O. F., last evening, Deputy John F. Reed presented to Mrs. E. W. Jones a gold brooch for proficient work in the interest of the order.

The hearing before the Committee on Counties on the question of having the expenses on the Weymouth and Hingham bridges borne by the counties of Norfolk and Plymouth was adjourned to Friday, March 9th at 10 o'clock A. M.

Work has been commenced moving the present parochial residence, adjoining St. Mary's church at West Quincy to the Davis lot. The new church will be located adjoining the church instead of the site first selected near Hall place.

The horse of John C. Randall while left a few minutes on Spear street, Tuesday, was frightened by a snow ball and took a spin to the depot. While coming out of Savil street he was neatly caught; a man on the sidewalk jumped and caught the animal around the neck.

The second annual exhibit of the amateur photographers at the rooms of the Quincy Y. M. C. A. opened Tuesday. There are some twelve or more exhibitors, each of whom have a dozen specimens of their work. The exhibition is a very creditable one, and shows that considerable interest is taken in the art by Quincy people. The exhibition will be open every afternoon and evening this week.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents.

JUST OPENED,

BY HANS HANSON.

The Store No. 10, Granite street, has just been opened for Shoe Repairing and Manufacturing for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children. From years of experience he guarantees first-class work.

Feb. 24. tf

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Must be competent cook and laundress. Good wages. MRS. GEORGE H. BROWN, 44 Elm street, Quincy. March 6-tf

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also half-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises. Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET—Furnished Room with furnace heat and bath room. Apply at 27 Chestnut street, cor. Cottage ave.

TO LET.

SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

TO LET.

Up Stairs Suite in a Modern House Just Built.

Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address L. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314. Dec. 28. tf

B. F. CURTIS,

49 Elm Street, Quincy.

TO LET.

Half House of 5 rooms on Baxter Place. City water. $8.50 per month.

Half House of 6 rooms on Elm Place, near Universalist church. South side, in good repair. $12.50 per month.

Herd of Cows For Sale.

EIGHTEEN Maine State Jersey grade cows, all carefully selected for us a little more than a year ago. Rare opportunity for people looking for nice family cows.

Fore River Farm, Weymouth, Mass. March 5. 6t

Wagons For Sale.

ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO. March 6. 1m

FOR SALE.

In moving from Hotel in the Briesler Estate to a House No. 3 Granite street, of less rooms, I have the following lot of Furniture, Bedding, etc., which I will sell at a Bargain.

Four Chamber Sets, 10-foot Extension Table, Wardrobe, Lot of Mattresses, Gasoline Stove, Carpets, Bed Springs, etc. etc. Also, A fine Lot af Canaries, Ma'es and Females.

ALEX. E. NASH,

Nash's Hotel, 3 Granite Street.
Quincy, Mar. 2. 6t

R. D. CHASE

Savings Bank Building, Quincy.

Quincy Daily Ledger.

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BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.30.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 115 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
J. P. O'Brien, 38 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. E. Hall, Washington St.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—Loring's Pharmacy.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a.m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a.m.
New Moon	30	3:30 p.m.			

Her Capture.

"Do you remember, Arthur, it was under this tree that you gave me the first kiss?"

"No; you gave it to me!"—Humoristiche Blatter.

Chums on a Fishing Trip.

New York, March 7.—Ex-President and Mrs. Cleveland arrived here yesterday, where Mr. Cleveland joined Daniel Lamont and E. C. Benedict, with whom he started for Florida last night on a pleasure trip. The party will spend about three weeks fishing along the Florida coast. Mrs. Cleveland returned to Princeton today.

Lord Pauncefote Stays.

London, March 7.—The British government has decided that Lord Pauncefote will remain as ambassador at Washington indefinitely, owing to important matters pending in the United States which will need the careful consideration of the ambassador.

Hartford In a Chilian Port.

Valparaiso, March 7.—The United States training ship Hartford has arrived here. She has on board 300 American born enlisted men who have not previously seen sea service. They will be trained on the voyage as men-of-warsmen.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The storm which was central over Missouri has moved rapidly northeastward to Ontario with greatly increased energy and has caused a continuance of the general snow, sleet and rain from the Missouri and Mississippi valleys eastward, except in the extreme southeast. Temperatures have risen decidedly in New England. Snow in New England will be followed by clearing and colder weather. On the New England coast the winds will be brisk to high westerly.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props.,
Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Ten Thousand More Made Idle.

Chicago, March 7.—Building material firms which supply the Chicago market voted yesterday to close their plants until conditions in the building industry here changed for the better. By the closing 10,000 men employed in stone quarries, brick yards and plants where lime, cement, stone and other materials are handled are made idle. This makes the total number of unemployed men in the city 50,000.

TO CURE LA GRIPPE IN TWO DAYS
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS
All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.
W. E. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

TWENTY-FIVE COUNTS

Former President Cole of Globe National Bank Indicted by Grand Jury.

Alleged False Entries and Misapplication of Funds.

A Million Dollars Involved, Which Must Be Made Good by the Stockholders.

Boston, March 7.—Charles H. Cole, former president of the defunct Globe National bank, the stockholders of which have been called upon to make good a large shortage, was yesterday indicted in the United States district court and will be tried April 3 on the 25 counts returned by the grand jury, a majority of which are for false entries. The total amount involved in the different counts alleging false entries in the books of the bank and misapplication of funds is $1,000,074.

Mr. Cole was not in court, his presence not being absolutely necessary. He was represented by his counsel, William Schofield, who endeavored to obtain a postponement of the trial. District Attorney Jones, who addressed the court as soon as the foreman of the grand jury had handed in the indictments, asked for a speedy pleading and trial. To this Mr. Schofield strongly objected and requested 30 days' delay.

Judge Lowell compromised with the lawyers by appointing March 20 for the pleading and setting April 3 for the trial. Mr. Schofield gave as his reason for asking a postponement that his colleague, Congressman Moody, would probably be held in Washington until the last of next month. He also intimated that he should demur to the indictment.

The dates mentioned in the counts of the indictment are nearly all in May, June, July and August of last year.

The Globe National bank closed its doors on Dec. 21, 1899, Mr. Cole having been removed from the presidency of the institution on Nov. 5, after holding the position at the head of the bank for nearly 30 years. A few days after the closing of the bank Mr. Cole was arrested in Los Angeles, Cal., and brought back to this city. For some time previous to the closing of the bank it was known that he was heavily involved in a number of copper companies, whose stocks had fallen considerably.

The closing of the bank, however, was a surprise, but the subsequent developments have shown that the bank was practically wrecked through injudicious loans. In fact the failure bids fair to be one of the worst that has ever overtaken a banking institution in this city, for not only has all the surplus and capital stock of the bank been consumed in making up the amounts due to depositors, but the stockholders have been assessed to the full value of their holdings to make good the deficiency.

Green Mountain State Elections.

Rutland, Vt., March 7.—John D. Spellman, citizens' labor candidate, was elected mayor of Rutland by a plurality of 42. The political makeup of the new board is: Citizens, 5; Republicans, 4; Democrats, 2.

Joseph G. Brown, Citizens' candidate, was elected mayor of Montpelier.

Robert Roberts (Rep.) was re-elected mayor of Burlington. The next board will contain seven Republicans and three Democrats.

Political Deadlock Still Unbroken.

St. John's, March 7.—Mr. Bond, leader of the opposition, or Liberal party, in the legislature, has been in conference with Governor McCallum relative to the formation of a cabinet. Mr. Bond, if he undertakes the task, must guarantee for his ministry the support of a majority in the assembly. Thus far Mr. Bond has been unable to come to an agreement with Mr. Murray, whose participation in the Bond program is essential to its success.

Charged With Murder of Goebel.

Frankfort, Ky., March 7.—A crowd which packed the Franklin county circuit court room gathered yesterday to hear the examining trial of Harlan Whittaker, suspected of being implicated in the murder of William Goebel. The charge was changed from malicious shooting to murder. At the close of the examination Whittaker was held without bail for the April grand jury.

Double Murder by Negroes.

Baxley, Ga., March 7.—Dan Mimms, a young farmer living 20 miles from here, was murdered by two negro robbers. He was on his porch when attacked. His wife tried to escape with her baby, but the negroes killed the child and beat her so cruelly that her life is despaired of. Officers with dogs have gone from here.

Through an Elevator Shaft.

New York, March 7.—Jerome Van Valkenberg was driving a locomobile in practice about the fourth floor of the building at Seventy-sixth street and Broadway, when he and the vehicle fell through an elevator shaft to the ground. Van Valkenberg was instantly killed.

Trial by Jury Wanted.

New York, March 7.—Counsel for Miss Olga Nethersole says that on his application Justice Fursman has issued an order in the "Sapho" case served on the district attorney to show cause why the case should not be tried before a jury.

Insurance Agent Kills Himself.

Boston, March 7.—Charles H. Smith, aged 40, an insurance agent, shot himself in the Boston Tavern yesterday. Death was almost instantaneous. Mr. Smith is though to have suffered several financial losses recently.

Fusionists Beaten at Omaha.

Omaha, March 7.—With but one precinct to hear from Frank E. Moores, Republican, is re-elected mayor of Omaha, by a majority of nearly 1000 over W. S. Poppleton, Fusion.

WONDER AND RIDICULE

Expressed by Cuban Newspaper at Reports of a Possible Uprising on the Island.

Havana, March 7.—The frequent rumors cabled from the United States regarding possible uprisings in Cuba in the early future are causing the press of the island to ask who is responsible for these wonderful stories. The newspapers, without exception, declare that the people of Cuba never felt less like rising than they do at present. Even the agitators against the continuance of the American occupation have been counseling moderation of late, and the tenor of their recent speeches has been greatly modified. Indeed, the wish is everywhere expressed that the forthcoming elections may pass off without friction of any kind, as it is felt that just now the eyes of the world are turned toward Cuba in her efforts to attain self-government, and that any disturbances, or even objections on the part of the minority after the elections, would be injurious to the future of Cuba.

The Lucha says: Even if the people desired an uprising they have not enough arms and ammunition even to begin one.

The Cubano says: Presumably these reports are the tricks of a certain American politician in order to get more United States troops into Cuba. This individual is trying to make it appear that the situation is unsafe, whereas the fact is that just now the Cubans are the most peaceably disposed people in the world.

The Patria says: The recent reports from Washington to the effect that an uprising is imminent in Cuba we can only regard with wonder and ridicule. Cubans are not like the athletic people of Kentucky, who shoot at the smallest provocation. Nor is Cuba yet convinced that the joint resolution of congress is a dead letter.

Death of Congressman Harmer.

Philadelphia, March 7.—Congressman Alfred C. Harmer, "father of the house," the representative from the Fifth Pennsylvania congressional district, died at his home at Germantown last night, aged 75. Mr. Harmer had been ill since last November, when he was

ALFRED C. HARMER.

stricken with a severe attack of kidney trouble. He attended the opening of congress, but before the Christmas recess he returned to his home, and since that time had been confined to his bed.

Authorship of Puerto Rican Bill.

Washington, March 7.—Secretary Root himself drew up the Puerto Rican bill, but only as an alternative measure upon representations by some of the Republican members of the committee to the effect that it was the best possible legislation. While consenting to draft the bill under the circumstances, Secretary Root, it is stated on the highest authority, declared that he is still held to the opinion on the subject expressed in his annual report, and favors doing all that can be done for Puerto Rico.

General Shaw Talks to Southerners.

Norfolk, March 7.—General Shaw, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, addressed a large audience here last night. There were many Union and Confederate veterans present, and he was cheered as he announced that he was on a tour of 12 southern states, and that his mission was one of peace and concord. He pleaded eloquently for unity and fraternity, and made a profound impression.

Chinn's Reputation Damaged.

Frankfort, Ky., March 7.—Colonel Jack Chinn, the turfman and politician, who was with William Goebel when the latter was assassinated, has filed a suit for libel against Kate M. Banta, wife of a merchant of this city. Chinn charges that Mrs. Banta, in the presence of various people, declared that she saw Chinn "shoot Goebel from behind," and that by this libelous declaration he has been damaged in the sum of $25,000.

The Prosecution Rests

Barnstable, Mass., March 7.—The trial of Joseph Hill of Hyannis, charged with the murder of his wife, promises to be unusually brief, as with the ending of the second day the government had finished its case. Evidence of witnesses for the government showed that the woman met her death from bullet wounds, and that the weapon with which the murder was committed was found on Hill's person.

War Department Expenditures.

Washington, March 7.—Acting Secretary of War Meiklejohn sent to the house of representatives yesterday a statement of expenditures by the war department covering the military operations in the Philippines, including outstanding liabilities, from May 1, 1898, to Nov. 1, 1899, prepared in response to a resolution of inquiry from the house. The total is given at $48,928,060.

Skull Was Crushed.

Brattleboro, Vt., March 7.—Adelbert Stearns, aged 58, was found unconscious in the woods at Windham, and died in a short time. He had evidently been dragged some distance by his team, and his skull was crushed. Mr. Stearns was a veteran of the Civil war.

BUT LITTLE INTEREST MANIFESTED.

Senate "Killed Time" Before Voting to Adopt Conference Report on Finance Bill.

Washington, March 7.—The senate yesterday agreed to the conference report on the financial bill. Not probably in the history of the senate was there ever shown so little real interest in the final vote on a great measure. Discussion ceased on the bill 15 minutes before the time fixed for the vote and the senate actually began the consideration of minor bills on the calendar to consume time. The conference report was agreed to by a vote of 44 to 26, the report thus having a majority of 18.

Early in the session discussion of the Quay case was resumed by Mr. Simon, who replied to the speech made Monday by Mr. Carter of Montana. The speech precipitated a debate on Oregon politics, in which Mr. Simon defended Mr. Corbett from the attack made upon him by the Montana senator.

Mr. Allen (Neb.) closed the debate on the financial bill in a characteristic speech, in which he denounced the measure as the most vicious legislation in his experience.

The house spent the entire day in the consideration of the Aldrich-Robbins contested election case from the Fourth Alabama district. Mr. Robbins, the sitting member, made a speech in his own behalf. The other speakers were Mr. Burkett (Neb.) in behalf of the contestant and Messrs. Glynn (N. Y.) and Dearmond (Mo.) for the contestee.

Decidedly Unique Transaction.

Northfield, Vt., March 7.—At town meeting yesterday a resolution was passed providing that all persons procuring liquor at the town liquor agency should have their names printed in the local newspapers at the end of each month, together with the quantity procured, the purpose for which it is obtained, and the amount paid; also that the names of all persons requesting a supply of loquor at the agency shall be published. The town agency is the place provided by the prohibitory law for the purchase of liquors for medical, mechanical and other useful purposes, but not for a beverage. The action in town meeting is the result of a movement to abolish the agency.

For Alleged Manipulation of Stock.

New York, March 7.—The special grand jury which has been investigating Brooklyn Rapid Transit matters yesterday brought in a presentment in the criminal term of the supreme court, together with indictments against six men, making them, in part, responsible for the false reports that had been circulated about Brooklyn Rapid Transit, with a resulting depression of stock. The men indicted are Alfred R. Goslin, Harry J. Alexander, Charles T. Davis, Eugene L. Parker, Warner T. Allen and one Bogart. The presentment of the grand jury intimates that there are others implicated in the circulation of false reports.

No Trace of Burning Ship's Crew.

Philadelphia, March 7.—Steamer Rhynland arrived here yesterday from Liverpool and reports having sighted the Norwegian ship Solheim on Feb. 27 abandoned and on fire. The Rhynland sighted the burning ship at a distance of 12 miles, and immediately changed her course and went to the vessel, to take off anyone who might be aboard the ship, but found no signs of life. The Solheim is supposed to have carried a crew of from 15 to 20 men. She had a cargo of yellow pine lumber.

Had Been Missing Two Months.

Providence, March 7.—The body of Mary McKinney, who had been an inmate of the Butler hospital for the insane, and who escaped from that institution about two months ago, was found yesterday floating in the Seekonk river.

Collision Causes Three Deaths.

Memphis, March 7.—In the Illinois Central yards yesterday a string of coal cars collided with a box car which workmen were repairing on a side track. Three men were killed and two injured.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

A fire in the main storehouse of the William L. Gilbert Clock company at Winsted, Conn., resulted in heavy damage to finished clocks.

Major James B. Washington, one of the oldest officials of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, died at Baltimore. Major Washington's great grandparent was a brother of President Washington's father. Major Washington served in the Confederate army.

Isaac Gordon, the notorious money lender who has figured in numerous scandals, died suddenly at Birmingham, Eng. He is said to have been worth $5,000,000.

The Sunnyside boathouse, the headquarters of the Toronto Rowing club, was destroyed by fire. Loss, $20,000.

The postoffice department announces that on March 15 57 additional cities will begin the system of registration of letters by carriers. This will make 134 cities operating on the new system.

Lady White, wife of General George White, has been invested by Queen Victoria with the Order of the Crown of India.

A case of bubonic plague has developed on board a steamer at Cape Town from the Argentine Republic. The vessel has been quarantined.

At a referee's sale of the Utica Herald the plant was bid in for $27,000 by the company, which already publishes the Utica Deutsche Zeitung, The Sunday Tribune and the Evening Dispatch.

Captain De Bathe, husband of Mrs. Langtry, is lying dangerously ill in a hospital at Cape Town. He was stricken with fever shortly after the relieving force entered Kimberley.

The Bradford (Conn.) lock works department of the Yale and Towne Manufacturing company was badly damaged by fire, caused by one of the lacquer kilns becoming overheated. Upwards of 400 hands will be thrown out of employment pending repairs.

Ernest C. Marshall, penal institution commissioner of Boston for the past three years, has been removed from office by Mayor Hart, and Peter Morrison of East Boston appointed as his successor. The mayor states that he wishes to bring harmony into the department.

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The jewels are represented by colored beads sewed on a transparent

FIG. 1.

JEWELED LAMP SHADE.

foundation of white net, and everything depends on the careful selection of these beads, for it is not every kind through which the light will shine with jewel effect. When choosing the beads, they should be held before the flame of a lamp to judge whether they will retain their brightness or not. Two or more distinct colors may be used, but the merging of one into another should be avoided. The beads used for the shade illustrated were of a rich ruby tint. The design of French bows was carried out entirely in these, the fringe being of the same, interspersed with semiopaque ruby drops and sequins. The materials required are a piece of very stiff white buckram, another of white brussels net of medium texture, some thin white china or pongee silk and a bebe ruching of white or colored ribbon.

Having decided on the size of your shade, cut it out in the buckram in the circular form shown in the second figure. Trace the design upon it clearly in pencil and with a sharp penknife cut away the buckram from the inside of the bows. Now cover the shade with net, tacking down the latter with small stitches at the top and bottom and all round the edges of the design. Take care that the stitches are set close to the edge, or they will show when the shade is completed. After this cover the outside with the silk, tacking it down everywhere with large, firm stitches.

Hold the shade up to the light and cut away the silk from the open design so that the net forms a transparency, leaving sufficient silk for turnings. Turn it down with the point of the needle and hem it finely to the net all round the bows, but do not sew it to the buckram, as this will not hold the stitches at the edge. Take out the tackings from the silk, which must have been left with a wide margin for turning down along the top and bottom of the shade.

Bead the pattern by sewing the beads, six at a time, round in rows, close together, showing no spaces between. After fastening down the last bead in each group of six put the needle again through it, so as to draw the next group up close to it. Sew a large jewel in the center of each bow. Having finished the beading, sew the bebe ruching closely all round the design, hiding the stitches which fastened the net and the silk to the buckram. Turn the silk down over the edges of the shade at the top and bottom and down the sides, and sew a strong silk covered wire along the bottom and top. Add a white silk lining in the same way you arranged the silk on the outside, leaving wide edges to hem down. Join the shade round, sewing the sides together and felling the lining down the seam. Sew a full ruche of silk or chiffon round the top and lower edge of the shade and down the side to cover the join. The latter may be further

FIG. 2.

JEWELED LAMP SHADE.

embellished with loops of bebe ribbon, these being also set in tufts at intervals along the edge, finished with choux of chiffon, each having a jewel in the center. When the ruche is sewed on, make all neat by hemming down the silk lining at top and bottom to cover the stitches, and your shade will be complete and extremely effective.

The New Spring Gowns.

For the spring season black cheviot, French camel's hair and silky English serge will be in marked favor for utility costumes, and with but few of these suits will very long coats or jackets appear. When not in Eton or bolero style, they will be the smallest, trimmest, nattiest sort of jackets, with not an inch of superfluous material about them, the backs ending in little tabs with a scalloped edge but a very few inches below the waist line. Pretty vests and decorated revers do their part toward producing a dressy effect on the front. No other outside wrap will be worn save a fur neck scarf, for the best planned costumes are now so well fitted with soft flannel or fine, thin chamlos linings that they are quite sufficient protection even in cold weather, says L'Art de la Mode.

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Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

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r 7 42 abc		8 02	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 7 56 ad		8 15	10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 45	12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	1 28 cba		1 27 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	2 28 cba		2 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 32	3 28 cba		3 49 r
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

ARE CLOSELY PRESSED.

Boer Positions Attacked by Roberts, Who Makes Still Further Advance.

Clear That British Force Was Overwhelmingly Superior.

Cronje and Other Prisoners to Be Held on St. Helena Until War Ends.

London, March 8.—The war office at midnight posted the following advices from Lord Roberts:

"Poplar Grove, Wednesday, March 7 (Evening).—We had a very successful day and have completely routed the enemy, who are in full retreat. The position which they occupied is extremely strong and cunningly arranged, with a second line of entrenchments, which would have caused us heavy loss had a direct attack been made.

"The turning movement was necessarily wide, owing to the nature of the ground, and the cavalry and horse artillery horses are much done up.

"The fighting was practically confined to the cavalry division, which, as usual, did exceedingly well, and General French reports that the horse artillery batteries did great execution among the enemy.

"Our casualties were about 50. I regret to say that Lieutenant Keswick was killed, and Lieutenant Bailey severely wounded. Both of the Twelfth lancers. Lieutenant De Crespigny of the Second life guards was severely wounded. Remaining casualties will be telegraphed tomorrow. Generals Dewet and Delarey commanded the Boer forces."

Lord Roberts wired yesterday morning from Osfontein, and in the evening from Poplar Grove, 14 miles eastward. By an application of the elementary principle of strategy, the Boer positions, 15 miles long, across his path, have been emptied, and their holders have been obliged to retire in confusion, consequent upon hasty withdrawal.

Nothing was done by Lord Roberts to disturb the symetric and deadly ingenuity of the Boer trenches in front of him. He marched out infantry, estimated, from the commands named, at 30,000 men, and sent 10,000 horsemen and horse artillery in a bold sweep around the Boer left, whereupon the Boer centre and right became untenable. Fifty British fell when the cavalry came into contact with the Boers.

The correspondents differ as to the enemy's strength. The Daily Mail's representative thinks the Boers number something more than 4000. The Daily News' man estimates them at 10,000. As these figures come from men at headquarters, it is clear that Lord Roberts' force was overwhelmingly superior. He can scarcely have fewer than 45,000 men immediately available, as the guards' brigade reached him from Lord Methuen Tuesday.

Lord Methuen now commands only volunteers and the local forces at Kimberley, some of whom have gone towards Mafeking.

The Boers do not yet appear to appreciate the mobility of Lord Roberts' corps, which was able to strike so swiftly in this affair that the enemy had to abandon a gun, much forage, and a large quantity of camp equipage.

The Dutch risings in the northwestern districts of Cape Colony are the only clouds visible in the sky of British prospects.

The military authorities have decided that General Cronje and the other Boer prisoners shall be sent immediately to the island of St. Helena, there to remain until the end of the war.

Lord Roberts has chosen Lord Bathurst, colonel of a militia regiment at the front, to command the escort to St. Helena, which was last month placed in cable communication with Cape Town and London.

It is also asserted that the cabinet has resolved neither to propose nor to entertain proposals at the present juncture for an exchange of prisoners.

A dispatch to The Times from Modder river, dated yesterday, says: The Boers occupy an extensive position between ourselves and both Bloemfontein and Winburg. They include the bulk of the Natal forces and are under General Joubert himself. Only sufficient men have been left to hold Van Reenen's pass and Laing's Nek. Extensive desertions are reported during the trek. An engagement is imminent, which will probably be decisive as to the whole war.

A great movement is in progress among the Cape Dutch to obtain a settlement of the South African question consistent with the maintenance of the independence of the republics. It is doubtless argued that the Dutch, having remained loyal, are entitled to a hearing at the settlement. The argument would have more force if the Dutch had not risen in every district where there was a reasonable chance of success, and it is certain that the whole British community and the actively loyal Dutch are opposed to any settlement short of annexation. A proposal has been made by a deputation of the Dutch party to visit England shortly in the interests of peace.

A. G. Hales, the correspondent of The Daily News, who was captured by the Boers Feb. 9 and released a few days ago at Bloemfontein, telegraphing from Sterkstroom Tuesday, says: While I was a prisoner at Bloemfontein I had an interesting interview with President Steyn. He said the burghers were determined to fight to the last man, and that the struggle in the Free State would be child's play compared with what would follow in the Transvaal. President Steyn predicted that the capitulation of Pretoria would be preceded by events which would astonish Europe.

BOY SENTENCED TO DEATH.

Charles B. Cross Must Pay the Penalty For the Murder of Mrs. King.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 8.—The jury in the case of Charles B. Cross, a 17-year-old boy, who was on trial for the murder of Mrs. Sarah C. King, a woman of over 60 years, returned a verdict Wednesday evening of murder in the first degree. Judge Roraback immediately sentenced Cross to be hanged on July 20.

The crime for which Cross was found guilty was one of the most revolting that ever occurred in this section, and only five days were occupied in the trial. The only defense offered was that of insanity, as the young fellow had confessed to the crime, but maintained that he did not intend to kill the woman.

The murdered woman was the wife of a printer, who was employed in New York, and was able to be home here only once in two weeks. Their home was in a lonely location on the outskirts of Stamford, and Cross was employed to do chores about the house, and also for the purpose of being a companion to Mrs. King.

The crime was committed on the night of Nov. 8 last. Cross was the one to give the alarm, claiming that the deed was committed during his brief absence from the house. The woman was found lying on the floor of the bedroom with all her clothing torn off. In his confession, Cross said that the crime was the outcome of his desire to gratify his passion.

After Judge Roraback pronounced sentence the prisoner completely collapsed.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 8.—After a debate covering practically two sessions the house passed to be engrossed the bill amending the charter of the Boston, Cape Cod and New York Canal company, permitting the company to issue $12,000,000 in stocks and bonds upon the completion of the canal, no matter what might be the cost of construction. The bill provides for the construction of a canal from Buzzard's bay to Cape Cod bay, across Cape Cod. The bill now goes to the senate for concurrence.

In the senate the following reports were received: Reference to next general court on bill to provide a weekly rest day for employes of transportation companies; ought not to pass on bill to establish contributions between defendants in action of tort for negligence.

The following bills were passed to be engrossed: Bill relative to the Plymouth and Sandwich street railway; to extend term of service of Old Colony commission; to provide for assistant register of probate and insolvency for Bristol county; relative to parading with imitation firearms; resolve in favor of the soldiers' home.

Mexicans and Indians Fight.

Oxaca, Mex., March 8.—News has reached here of a hard fight between 300 Maya Indians and 1000 government troops near the town of Aguada. Colonel Gonzales commanded the government forces which made the attack on the Indians. The Mayas were strongly entrenched, but were driven from their position by the terrible fire poured in upon them. Thirty-seven Indians were killed and a large number wounded. Three soldiers were killed.

Coal Schooner Probably Lost.

Providence, March 8.—The three-masted schoner William P. Hood, bound for this port, is supposed to have foundered. The Hood left Baltimore Feb. 7, laden with about 1000 tons of coal. She had a long and probably hard passage from the commencement of the voyage, as it took 15 days for her to reach the point where she was last spoken. This was on Feb. 22, when a vessel spoke her off Delaware breakwater.

Alleged Violation of Pension Laws.

New Haven, March 8.—Charles D. Usinger, who is said to have been a justice of the peace at Salem, Mass., is locked up here. It is alleged that he executed fraudulent pension vouchers. A special agent of the United States pension bureau traced the man through New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Connecticut, finally locating him yesterday. Usinger will be taken to Boston for trial.

With Simple Ceremony.

Washington, March 8.—The remains of 66 soldiers, who died in Cuba, were buried at Arlington cemetery yesterday with military honors. About 500 soldiers who died in Cuba now rest in this historic spot. The officers at Fort Myer had charge of the services, which were very simple. A Protestant and a Catholic clergyman read the burial service, taps were sounded and a volley was fired over the graves.

Battle of Lightweights.

Utica, N. Y., March 8.—Dal Hawkins and Percy McIntyre, two of the cleverest lightweights in the ring, battled for 25 rounds here last night and at the conclusion Referee Hurst gave the decision to Hawkins. McIntyre was badly punished.

Plague Dying Out.

San Francisco, March 8.—Mail advices from Honolulu, dated Feb. 27, say that the plague situation is much improved. But one suspicious case has developed since previous advices.

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DISCUSSED BY LODGE.

Massachusetts Senator Adds to Literature on the Philippine Problem.

Denies the Statements About Aguinaldo and Dewey.

Urges Adoption of Bill Which Gives President Present Control of Affairs.

Washington, March 8.—The senate seldom accords to any of its members a greater compliment than it gave yesterday to Mr. Lodge. The announcement that he would deliver a speech on the Philippine question drew to the senate every senator now in the city, and to the galleries an unusually large number of auditors. Throughout the delivery of the speech, despite the fact that it consumed three hours, the Massachusetts senator was given close attention. Keen interest was aroused in the utterance, not only because of the oratorical ability of Mr. Lodge, but also because, as chairman of the Philippine committee and a prominent member of the committee on foreign relations, who had studied the Philippine question exhaustively, he was expected to present a notable addition to the literature of the great problem which now contronts congress and the American people.

SENATOR HENRY CABOT LODGE.

Neither his colleagues in the senate or his other auditors were disappointed in his address. When he had concluded he was overwhelmed with congratulations from both sides of the chamber. Soon after Mr. Lodge had concluded the senate adjourned out of respect to the memory of the late Representative Harmer.

As action on the Spooner bill is likely to be all that will be done by congress at this session relative to the Philippines, Senator Lodge's speech is particularly interesting. The measure gives the president power to manage the affairs of the islands until further action is taken; it makes no promise for the future, but meets present needs, and Mr. Lodge says "is sufficient." He believes further legislation at present would be a mistake, but thinks the president should be authorized by congress. He referred to the action of the Democrats in making the question a political issue, and declared it to be contrary to their previous traditions. He said the administration's policy is simple and straightforward; that the Republican idea is to accept existing facts and deal with them as they are.

The title to the islands, he said, is not at all in question, it being perfect. He reviewed at length former acquisitions of territory, showing that in all cases there had been no reference to the consent of the governed. He argued that the natives are incapable of self-government and quoted Mr. Bryan and other prominent Democrats in support of this statement.

Senator Lodge denounced as utterly fictitious all statements that Admiral Dewey saluted the Philippine flag, or received Aguinaldo with military honors, or in any way recognized the republic. In support of this argument he read a letter from Captain Coghlan, showing that Aguinaldo had no part in the capture of Subig bay.

He discussed at length the good progress made in Luzon, and the methods of Aguinaldo's army; how it burned villages and robbed the inhabitants. He expressed the opinion that the president needs no defense; that the administration's policy has been its own defense, and declared he was amazed by the attacks made on the president.

He drew a bright picture of the commercial possibilities of the Philippines and the great advantage the islands would be to the United States, not only because of their own value, but because they are the gate of the Orient. He spoke of the brilliant triumph of Secretary Hay in relation to the open door policy, and said the islands would be of great value in carrying out this policy. He said he believed this country has a great mission, which he feels sure it will fulfil.

Hill Gets Life Imprisonment.

Barnstable, Mass., March 8.—The trial of Joseph Hill for wife murder was abruptly terminated Wednesday afternoon when, after a conference, the defendant retracted his former plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree. Hill was immediately sentenced to life imprisonment, the first day to be solitary confinement.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

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Sunday,	40	25	39	42	36
Monday,	34	23	58	41	37
Tuesday,	35	12	43	43	50
Wednesday,	39	32	39	48	26
Thursday,	34	42	37	50	40
Friday,	—	41	36	54	44
Saturday,	—	35	35	60	51

New Advertisements Today.

Administratrix Notice.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Canton has had a sufficiency of experience with the open saloon and has returned to the no-license column. Marshfield has swung over to license. The latter place, however, is less accessible to the bibulous Brocktonians than the nearby North county town. —Brockton Times.

☞Gen. Corbin, whose war record has been attacked, comes out boldly and demands a thorough investigation. He further says that if anything wrong is found his resignation is ready. Corbin has done many things since he came to the office of Adjutant General of the army that is open to criticism, but the attack on his record as a fighter will fail.—Lynn Item.

☞In offering to furnish free tuition to 1,000 Cuban teachers at the Harvard summer school, President Eliot and the institution which he represents shows a philanthropic spirit that is most commendable. Six weeks of instruction to teachers like that offered at Harvard's summer school together with a glimpse of American people and institutions on their home soil, will be of immense advantage to Cuban teachers, and through them to the entire Cuban people. No one thing could do more to Americanize the island, both in thought and action, and bring about an awakening such as Cuba needs.—Nashua Telegraph.

☞The Hawaiian bill for a territorial government has been amended, or proposed to be amended, by striking out the property qualifications for voters. This is a change which ought to be made if the island is to come permanently under the constitution of the United States. We do not want any property qualification for the suffrage anywhere under our flag. But such a change will imperil the white domination. With only some 5,000 whites in a population of 125,000 it looks as if they would have hard lines to keep the upper hand, as they have done under the monarchy and the Dole republic.—Fitchburg Sentinel.

—In Arabia the Arabs sometimes find in the sandy deserts a kind of fungus which apparently resembles the manna of the Bible, and which serves as food for both men and camels when no better is to be had. It appears upon the sand after every rain, sometimes in little heaps.

—In China, 12-12 miles from the village of Lio-Chek, there is a mountain of alum, which, in addition to being a natural curiosity, is a source of wealth for the inhabitants of the country, who dig from it yearly tons of alum.

—When a burglar wants to break into a Peruvian house he takes a sponge and a bucket of water and moistens the walls, which are covered with only a thin coating of mud and easily dissolve upon the application of moisture.

—The highest observatory in Germany is now completed. It is situated on the Schnee Koppe, the highest summit of the Silesian mountains, at an elevation of 5,216 feet. It will be managed as a Prussian state institute.

—In the possession of the Baroness Burdett-Coutts is a guinea which she treasures above all her minor belongings. Her grandfather, who was a gentleman of slovenly outward appearance, was given it by a benevolent old party, who chance to mistake him for a pauper.

MEN'S BANQUET.

Gentlemen of Universalist Church Outdo Themselves.

About Three Hundred Enjoy the Feast.

A Flow of Wit and Wisdom and Music Follow.

It was like good old times at the Universalist church Wednesday evening, only that it eclipsed all the many grand social events of this society. Since Rev. Merrill C. Ward became preacher at this church a few months ago, there has been a revival, and the cooperation, particularly of the young people, has apparently brought success.

The attendance at the banquet by far exceeded the expectations, so that it was necessary at the last moment to crowd in all the tables possible. Four long tables extended across the vestry, and there was a table on the platform, another short table and still another in the parlor.

The menu included cold meats, salads, pickles, pies, cakes, jellies, bread, rolls, apples, bananas, tea, coffee, etc., etc.

About 30 were unable to get seats at the first table, but there was an abundance of eatables at the second table; in fact they fared even better than at the first table.

From 7 until about 8.30 the good things for the inner man were enjoyed, and then there was a rather long but exceedingly interesting programme.

Mr. Leonard Hewson, as chairman, briefly introduced Rev. M. C. Ward, the pastor, as toastmaster, speaking in complimentary terms of his successful work.

The pastor made an excellent toastmaster, having a story to tell to introduce each speaker. He had an unstinted praise for the committee, who must have attended to all the little details. He was pleased to see that the society was now working together.

A duet by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Raymond of East Weymouth with local hits was very amusing, and they responded to the encore.

Rev. C. H. Pennoyer of the Braintree church brought greeting, and hoped for a closer relationship. He took for his text "Wards and re-Wards, and had much of interest to say about the pastor and his wife.

A reading by Mr. Ellis B. Gay was the hit of the evening. First it was a religious story, then one where he laughed so heartily that he convulsed the whole audience, and finally a horse car story.

Little Gladys Burrell sang sweetly and was encored.

Rev. E. W. Preble, a former pastor, was introduced and had a kind word for Rev. Mr. Ward, and the new lease of life which was evident in the church. Alluding to Mayor Hall, he said Quincy had a Mayor of which any city might be proud. The "victorious oblique" was his text.

After a pleasing solo by Mr. Raymond, Mayor Hall was introduced. The toastmaster sounded his honor on the strike situation and economy in city affairs, but he had little to say on these issues. Having formerly been active in the church he was carried in memory back to those days. He was pleased at the accomplishments of today.

Miss Edith Burrell sang and was encored.

Regrets were received from Dr. Biddle.

Rev. E. C. Butler of the Unitarian church made one of his entertaining characteristic speeches, and a reading by Mr. Gay closed the programme.

Mr. Leonard Hewson was chairman of the committee on the banquet, the head waiters were: George Spooner, C. B. Tilton, Frank Hobart and Franklin Jacobs; and the waiters were, Everett Winslow, Elisha Hobart, Lewis Gomez, Walter V. Loud, Peter Gomez, George Sprague, Henry P. Furnald, Abel Gomez, Luther Hanson, Ernest Leavitt, George Hewson, Herbert R. Holmes, Lemuel Hewson, S. B. Sargent.

Among others present were:

Rev. E. C. Butler and wife, Rev. E. W. Preble and wife, Henry H. Faxon, Miss Brown, Mayor Hall and wife, Rev. C. H. Pennoyer, Rev. M. C. Ward and wife.

Mrs. Tenny, Miss Jennie Bishop, Thomas H. Gould, Miss Bertha Tenney, Miss Olive Pratt, Miss Ida Johnson, Edyth Scott, Mrs Joseph Gardner Jr., H. D. Adams, E. F. McConarty, Fred L. Frost, Edgar G. Cleaves, Ada Nutting, Miss A. A. Bartlett, Mrs. Daniel McGrath, Mrs. Joseph W. Newcomb, R. W. Tracy and wife, A. A. Linscott, Richard Bishop, Miss Lillian Clark.

T. B. Crane, Cora M. Dyer, Dora Good, Mrs. Henry Furnald, Miss Elizabeth W. Furnald, Mrs. Geo. E. Sprague, Miss Eliza Crane, Maud H. Cudworth, Lillian S. Gay, Abel Gomez, John Q. Newcomb, Thos. A. Addison and wife, G. W. Arnold, F. Boyden Foss, Chancy Depew W. F. Hodgkinson, Lottie B. Berry, Mrs Frank Perry.

C. A. Dyer and wife, Mrs. Hersey, Robert T. Johnson and wife, Miss F. A. Damon, C. H. Brooks, Frances A. Glover, Mrs. John Shaw, Mrs. M. A. Perkins, Mrs. N. B. Furnald, E. B. Gay, Miss Ethel Gay, Gladys Burrell, Henry B. Baymond and wife, Lester M. Blackwell, Edith M. Burrill.

Mrs. Franklin Jacobs, George Crane, John Gray and wife, F. W. Crane and wife, Mrs. M. Burke, Mrs. Flora Dunn, Mrs. Jane A. Gillis, J. H. Gillis, T. J. Collins, W. J. Parker, C. W. Simmonds, L. E. Walker, Miss P. L. Jones, W. P. Ela, Mrs. F. F. Blauvelt, Mrs. H. A. Guthrie, Mrs. J. E. Odom, Mrs. Emma Baker, Mrs G. F. Spooner.

Alfred W. Brown, Mrs. C. S. Brown, Adeline Holton, Josie Emery, Miss S. R. Gates, Mrs. G. T. Magee, Mrs. H. A. Lombard, Mrs. E. A. Prichard Mrs. M. E. Hanson, Mrs. Grace Cain Condon, Mrs. George W. Hobart, Miss Addie M. Wheble, Mrs. Edwin R. Wheble, Andrew W. Gardner and wife, Miss Adah Emery, Miss Mattie Eldridge Holton, Mrs. Elizebeth Emery, Mrs. E. Jennie Holton, Master Harry R. Holton, Mrs. George Pawsey.

Mrs. Clara Stoddard, Mrs. B. Johnson, Jr., A. F. Macleod, Ira Litchfield, Walter Pratt, George Howes, Mrs. C.F. Veazie, Abbie Feltis, Mrs. S. A. Feltis, George N. Field, Lester M. Pratt, Lillian M. Pratt, R. E. Thompson and wife, Mrs. N. E. Brown, M. M. Fletcher, Mrs. Bell Morton, William Parker, 2d. Mrs. J. N. Kelsey, J. N. Kelsey, Miss May L. Kelsey, Alice L. Newcomb, R. Loud, Herbert L. Kelsey, Willey E. Stoddard.

George H. Brown and wife, Miss E S. Newcomb, Miss M. L. Cobb, Herbert P. Arnold, Ralph E. Winslow, E. H. Doane, Mrs E. H Doane, Frank F. Crane and wife, B. F. Hodgkinson and wife, Mrs. Herbert Holmes, Miss Elvira Ewell, Mrs. Edward E. Hayden, Mrs. M. E. Lowes, Mrs. G. Fuller, Mrs. W. A. Sturgis, Miss Mary W. Field, Miss Lila G. Haskell, F. F. Prescott and wife.

G. M. Sweeny, Thomas G. Smith and wife, M. S. Field, Miss C. Newcomb, Mrs. T. M. Souther, Mrs. Batcheldor, Frances E. Roberts, W. G. Woodward, Elvira Hirtle, George Hardwick, Miss Bessie L. Reith, William Hobart, Amos E. Damon and wife, Mr. James Harris, Mrs. Susie Harris, Miss Maria Young, Miss Angie Harris, Miss Bradbury, J. S. Gay and wife, Walter Holmes, W. C. Hart and wife of Boston.

Miss M. H. Cudworth, E. E. Newcomb, A. B. Hultman, Mr. Smith and family, Annie Hobart, Mary Hobart, Nellie T. Gragg, Benjamin F. Linton and wife, N. C. Gragg, M. L. Linton, Ella L. Stetson, Mrs. H. O. Studley, Vesta L. Pawsey, Elizabeth Wilborough Browne, Harriet M. Phillips.

S. W. Foster and wife, George D. Langley and wife, Mrs. A. B. Arnold, M. D. Phelan and wife, A. H. Hall and wife, Lizzie Arnold, Joseph W. Johnson and wife, E. B. Fuller, T. H. Newcomb, Frank H. Cobb, Jeannette Tanner, Florence E. Holton, Ellen A. Pike, Mrs. Arthur C. Merritt, Stephen Penniman and wife, Mrs. J. B. Pollock, Mrs. Emma Marnock, Miss Mary W. Johnston, Esther V. Ellis, Mrs. S. F. Ellis and wife.

Mrs. Richard Newcomb, Mrs. James W. Rideout, Eunice A. Adams, E. E. Blake, William C. Cushing, David Cain, Joseph A. Newhall, Mrs. I. A. Newhall, Mrs. L. C. Hewson, Mrs. B. F. White, Bella Bernie, Mrs. R. P. Coombs. R. P. Coomb, Mrs. W. R. Drake, Mrs. Frank Hobart, Mrs, A. B. Moor, Mrs. B. F Lapham, Evelyn B. Newcomb, Mrs. Charles Newcomb, Etta Lapham, Flora Lapham, Joseph Lapham.

Robert Emmet.

The birthday of Robert Emmet was celebrated Wednesday evening at French's hall by the local Robert Emmet club. The affair was very largely attended, visitors being present from Boston and other places. Speeches recitations, vocal and instrumental music made the evening pass pleasantly. A lunch was served during the evening. It was expected that Hon. Henry Naphen, representative in Congress from this district, would be present, but he was unable to. He, however, sent a letter of regrets and congratulations.

The Wollaston Unity Club.

The meeting on Friday evening, March 9, will continue the study of Switzerland, being the fifth in this series.

Mrs. Wilson Marsh has charge of the literary part of the programme and has provided a rare treat for the club: "The Burgundian Wars," Mr. W. G. Corthell; "Zwingli and Calvin," Rev. E. C. Butler; "Mountain Climbing, Mr. Arthur Hall. The music will consist of an Overture by Mendelssohn four hands, Mrs. C. W. Smith and Mrs. A. R. Moulton; also songs by Schnecker and Meyer-Helmund, Mary V. Hastings.

—A woman in Rumford, Me., was somewhat surprised the other day, to pluck a needle from her thigh. She wondered where it came from. Her husband recalled that 36 years before she had acidentally swallowed two needles she was holdng in her mouth The other needle has not been heard from.

—Australia raises tarantulas for the sake of their webs, the filaments of which are made into thread for balloons. They are lighter than silk and when woven lighter than canvas. Each tarantula yields from 20 to 40 yards of filament, of which eight twisted together form a single thread.

—The coast of Cherbourg promontory, France, has of late been visited by a plague of octopi. They eat everything including even crabs, lobsters and oysters, and many fishermen have been forced to lay up their boats. A correspondent of a London paper counted 68 dead octopi one day at low tide in a stretch of 200 yards.

BALANCE REPORTED

Annual Meeting of Memorial Congregational Church.

On Tuesday evening, notwithstanding the exceedingly forbidding weather there where about a hundred present at the annual parish meeting of the Atlantic Memorial Congregational church.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mr. William F. Cummings. The various reports of the activities and organizations connected with the church were very gratifying showing great gain in every department.

Mr. Theodore Parker gave the collector's report. Mr. George Todd, the treasurer's report; Mr. Charles Hall the trustee's report; Dr. Maria Drew, the secretary's report; Mr. Walter F. Blake, the Sunday School superintendent's report; Mrs. Charles Coe, the report of the Ladies' Benevolent society; Mrs. Edward Crocker, the Y. P. S. C. E.'s report; Mrs. Roger Wilde, the Calling Committee's report; Mrs. Bemis, the report of the "Mothers' Meeting; and Mrs. W. N. Ware, that of the Children's Christian Union.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President,—Mr. Charles Cherrington.
Clerk,—Miss Lillian Waterhouse.
Treasurer,—Mr. George E. Todd.
Collector,—Mr. Theodore Parker.
Trustee for three years,—Dr. Maria E. Drew, making the board of trustees consist of Mr. Roger B. Wilde, for two years, Mr. Charles Hall, for one year, and Dr. Maria E. Drew for three years.

After the business meeting a collation of sandwiches, coffee, ice cream and cake was served, the waiters being young ladies and young gentlemen from the Sunday School.

Following the collation a fine musical entertainmennt was presented. Miss Adelaide Thomas played two selections on the violin bside responding to an encore, being accompanied at the piano by Miss Otis. The members of the church choir entertained vocally with several choice numbers.

The finances of the church by the treasurer's report showed a balance in the treasury of two hundred and sixty-six dollars

A Good Memory.

Officer Barry has a good memory. Last September it was reported to him by a family on Newcomb place, that one of the many travelling mechanics had been given a clothes wringer to repair and had failed to return it. A good description was given of the fellow, but he was never located. This week, however, Officer Barry saw a man toasting his shins over a fire in blacksmith shop on Granite street, and immediately sized him up as the clothes wringer man. He lit upon the fellow, who, however, denied all knowledge of clothes wringers in general, and this clothes wringer in particular. The yarn the fellow told did not go down, however, and Officer Barry made him accompany him to the Newcomb place residence where the woman immediately recognized the fellow. Then he weakened and after having the riot act read to him in Officer Barry's inimitable manner, an arrangement was made whereby he agreed to return the aforesaid wringer the following day.

This little episode only goes to show that Officer Barry has a good memory, and it takes considerable to fool him.

School Attendance.

The High school led in percentage of attendance for the four weeks ending Feb. 23, and the Lincoln was second. Supt. Lull reports but a single case of truancy:

	Whole Number at Date.	Average Daily Attendance.	Per Cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissals.	Truants.
High	426	405.3	94.5	12	26	0
Adams	399	362.4	90.1	36	15	0
Coddington	451	404.7	90.5	4	12	1
Gridley Bryant	321	290.6	91.8	4	15	0
John Hancock	484	447.2	92.9	6	30	0
Lincoln	397	373.1	93.9	9	25	0
Mass. Fields	295	270.8	91.3	3	33	0
Quincy	343	308.2	89.5	20	24	0
Washington	300	271.2	90.2	7	24	0
Willard	833	763.5	92.1	9	33	0
Wollaston	345	315.7	91.6	7	77	0
	4,594	4,212.7	91.8	117	314	1
COMPARISON.						
1898,	4,239	3,989.5	95.1	125	287	3
1899,	4,311	3,779.3	87.1	160	255	1

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Eben Moulton, Jr., of Randolph, was called and was placed on file.

John McGillvary was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

—A couple divorced 42 years ago in Seneca, Mich., have been married to each other again. After being divorced each married three times. Recently, both were divorced from their last selection and upon meeting each other talked matters over, and as a result a marriage license and wedding speedily followed, and after a separation of 42 years both are living together again as husband and wife.

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

Store awnings are going up, a sure sign of spring.

Another whist party will be held at Odd Fellows hall tonight.

Mr. Harry M. Fairbanks of Wollaston is ill with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Weeden left today for Philadelphia for a short visit.

Albert Shackley of Barre, Vt., made a brief visit to West Quincy this week.

A new fence is being built in front of the estates at 133, 135 and 137 Water street.

Rev. E. W. Whitney will preach at the Universalist church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harriet Lombard entertained the Ladies' whist club Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. Fr. McNulty of Dedham preached at St. Mary's church Tuesday evening.

Rev. Fr. Roche gave an address on Temperance at Dedham last Sunday evening.

The A. O. U. W. contemplates holding a masquerade in Music hall, Atlantic, early next month.

No action was taken on the strike situation at the meetings of the Cutters Unions Wednesday night.

The regular meeting of John A. Boyd Camp, Legion of Spanish War Veterans, will be held tonight.

Charles C. Hearn and Benjamin Johnson, Jr., secured prizes at the Granite City club whist, Wednesday evening.

As a result of the so called investigation of the Metropolitan Water Board the Third Hill reservoir will not be built this year.

Mr. and Mrs. John Golden of Sagamore street are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, born Wednesday.

A mission is being held in the Catholic church in Neponset and is being attended by many Atlantic and Wollaston people.

Business at the District court continues quiet. It will probably pick up some when the new town officials elected Monday get down to work.

The young misses of St. Mary's church, who recently gave a flag drill exhibition, are to repeat the drill at Quincy in the near future, for the benefit of the Grand Army.

The new club which has recently been organized of men from Norfolk Downs and Atlantic, is now planing a minstrel show which is to be given sometime in April. Dr. F. J. Peirce is coaching the artists.

The postponed meeting of the Women's Alliance branch of Wollaston will be held in the Unitarian vestry on Wednesday, March 14, at 2.30 o'clock. Miss Lillian Freeman Clark will speak on "The Ideal Church." All ladies are cordially invited.

All graduates of the Quincy High school who have been unable to procure tickets for the reunion tomorrow evening, may procure them for themselves and friends at the door. Special cars will be run at the close to Wollaston and Atlantic, to Quincy Point, and to South and West Quincy.

☞Holbrook holds the New England record for hospitality to wayfarers. The past year's entertainment cost the town $4.81. It would be interesting to know on what this sum was expended.—Brockton Times.

—Silk stockings did not come into vogue until the period of Queen Elizabeth of England. It is reported of her that she wore the first silken hosiery knitted by hand.

DIED.

ENNIS—In Quincy, March 8, Mr. Austin G. Ennis, aged 30 years, 3 months. Beverly, Mass., papers please copy.

SPRAGUE—In Wollaston, March 6, Mrs. Eliza Ann, widow of Mr. Joseph Sprague, aged 72 years, 1 month and 2 days.

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Administratrix's Notice.

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THE CENSOR.

The New York man who drank 6,000 hogsheads of whisky in a lifetime of 75 years must have frequently had one in the morning.—St. Paul Globe.

A schoolmistress in one of the New York public schools has had her salary docked 9 cents for having been ten minutes late to school the other day. How's this for a picayune?—Boston Herald.

With 110 young men coming forward to try for the baseball team, the elective system at Yale seems to prove itself, and the cause of education shines with a new and gratifying effulgence. — Hartford Courant.

The Boston Authors' club has been disbanded owing to the fact that some of the "authors" were of such a kind that "a real literary pacemaker could have stampeded the bunch." And this from Boston!—New York Press.

A bill to protect candidates for public office from groundless accusations in the newspapers is before the Massachusetts legislature. How would it do to pass a companion measure, providing that no man with a past should become a candidate for office?—Indianapolis Journal.

American inventions adopted by foreign armies have included weapons of destruction, but the British army is to be supplied with an American apparatus for sterilizing water and an American style of ventilated hospital tent used by the United States army medical department. Our inventors cure as well as kill.—Kansas City Star.

THE HONEY MAKERS.

Bees can endure dry cold, but not dampness.

There are no lazy bees. Queenless bees build drone comb.

Heat does not damage honey, but tends to ripen and improve it. Dampness and darkness do not agree with it.

Honey that remains in the comb for some time after being stored is always the best article when extracted.

In very cold weather bees often die, and, falling, will clog the entrance. They must be removed or the bees will smother.

During the winter care must be taken in removing dead bees, so as not to disturb the hive and arouse them into activity.

It is not so much in understanding the theory of beekeeping that brings success as in the capacity for looking after the details.

If there is too much drone comb in the hive, remove it and replace it with worker comb. In this way the supply of drones is easily regulated.

By having and keeping the entrance to the hives and vicinity clean and convenient for the bees to get in and out many bees may be saved in winter.

When bees receive but little attention and are allowed to build all of their own comb, they always have a large amount of drone comb, and this results in an overproduction of drones.—St. Louis Republic.

RECENT INVENTIONS.

Electro medical treatment is given patients by means of a new sofa, which has batteries and an induction coil contained in the lower portion, with head and foot plates to be placed in contact with the patient.

India rubber can be devulcanized by a new Danish process, consisting in reducing the rubber to pieces of suitable size and then subjecting them to a solution of sulphite under heat, the solution being washed out after it has softened the rubber.

For scattering the compound contained in hand fire grenades when broken, a Massachusetts man has designed a spring, which is contracted and placed in the center of the extinguisher, to expand suddenly and act on the contents when the grenade is broken.

A western man has patented a warming device for raising bread, having a lamp set in the bottom of a casing, with a number of trays to carry the dough arranged in a tier in an upper compartment, the heat circulating around the trays and passing off at the top.

THE JEWEL CASKET.

Some of the gold scarfpins for men are in light, open designs set with the tiniest of pearls and olivines.

Elegant bits of usefulness for milady's toilet are silk stocking supporters with gold mountings either plain or chased.

Gold bracelets studded across the top with turquoises graduated from one large stone in the center to small ones at either end commend themselves to the admirers of this stone.

Bracelets that appear to be inspired by French taste consist of fine chain linking together small enameled blossoms, such as the violet or wild rose delicately ornamented with choice stones.

The hitherto exceedingly utilitarian aspect of the heavy chain bracelets is now modified by the addition of gems. Into one attractive chain bracelet are introduced rings set with pearls.—Jewelers' Circular Weekly.

CURIOUS CULLINGS.

In Tyrol the rose is believed to be a sleep producer, and rose leaves are thrown into the fire for "good luck."

The following notice is posted on a private road near London: "Funerals, hawkers and other objectionable traffic not allowed."

In many parts of Europe it is at the present day considered an omen of ill luck for a bare to cross the road in front of a traveler.

A child in Arkansas recently having died at the age of 10 months, a coroner held an inquest over the body and in making out the certificate of death stated that the child was unmarried and that its occupation was "keeping its parents awake o' nights."

TRUST THRUSTS.

The trusts were never safer. There are about 100 bills against them in the house of representatives.—Chicago Journal.

The Globe pays a daily tribute of $6 to the print paper trust; that is, it pays $6 a day more for white paper than it should pay.—Atchison Globe.

It has already been made apparent that while a great trust combination bent on the establishment of a monopoly may defy for years the application of the common and statute law, it must sooner or later succumb to the ordinary laws of trade.—Journal of Commerce.

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THE Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition (with accompanying bill, House No. 692) of John Woodbury, secretary, for legislation relative to the laying of drains and sewers in or across lands owned, or controlled by the Metropolitan Park Commission, at room No. 436, State House, on FRIDAY, March 9, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

A. A. MAXWELL, Chairman.
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FRANK A. PATCH, Chairman.
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To the Editor:

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DATE.		NAME AND PLACE OF BIRTH.	PARENTS.
Jan.	3.	Hilda M. Korlora, at Finland,	John and Theresa
	16.	John E. Drake, at Boston,	David J. and Lizzie M.
	17.	Harold F. Holland, at Boston,	Philip and Annie
Feb.	8.	Carlo Fede, at Boston,	Ginseppe and Filomena
	27.	Catherine Hennessey, at Boston,	Frank and Catherine
Mar.	21.	Joseph C. Mallon, at Stony Creek, Conn.,	John T. and Catharine
April	5.	Annie K. Schlager, at Woods Hole,	Michael and Carolina
	9.	Edith Cullen, at East Boston,	John F. and Johanna J.
	13.	Joseph Clevera, at Barre, Vt.,	Frank and Regina
	13.	Louise Clevera, at Barre, Vt.,	Frank and Regina
	15.	Harry C. Kalo, at Boston,	Dave and Sarah
	26.	Karl W. Sidelinger, at Melrose,	William F. and Mary A.
	27.	Viola G. Bailey, at Roxbury.	Chauncey R. and Katherine L.
May	18.	Alburi Dellarocca, at Boston,	Antonio and Maria G.
June	19.	Owen T. Whitney, at Vermont,	George O. and Matilda
	30.	Marie Landie, at Marlboro, N. H.,	John S. and Annie
July	5.	Catherine F. Gilcoine, at Dorchester,	John and Elizabeth
	12.	——— Linhie, at Finland,	Carl and ———
Aug.	5.	Marion O. Gordon, at Milton,	Harry E. and Ida R.
Sept.	18.	Mabel Benedict, at Fitchburg,	William H. and Ida
	27.	Annie E. Clark, at Roxbury,	George H. and Mary E.

TO LET.
Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.
Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.
Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.
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We are Looking for people who are Looking for Bargains, and if you are one of them just call at
The Quincy New and Second-Hand Variety Co.,
20 Franklin Street,
And be convinced that this is the place to get Bargains.
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TAKING THE REINS.

Walter O. Parmer, the Nashville horseman, says he has cleared $30,000 on mules inside of a year.

Alta McDonald predicts that Coney, 2:07¾, will be a good and consistent race horse this season. He has wintered in grand shape.

The famous kite track at Columbia, Tenn., is going to ruin. But one meeting was ever held there, and it is now used as a cattle yard.

The Detroit Driving club announces that the entrance fee will be 3 per cent of the purse in all early closing races for the grand circuit trotting meeting of 1900.

Northumberland, by Trevillian, 2:08¼, dam Gladsome, by Dictator, is one of the handsome youngsters at Penn Valley farm, as well as one of the most promising, being capable of 2:25 now.

Lady of the Manor, 2:04¼, the champion pacing mare, has been permanently retired from the turf and bred to Direct Hal, the $10,000 pacing stallion recently purchased from Ed Geers by the Hamlins.

Ben Kenney is probably the only lighthouse keeper in the world who devotes his spare time to the handling of the light harness horse. He thinks that some of the Schmulback colts will do to take to the races.

W. H. Jackson Junior's string is composed entirely of 2-year-olds, and the sweetest looking member of the lot is a racy looking filly by Tenny, a horse that was famous on the turf a few years ago, out of Ma Belle. John Brannon is training.

THE PARIS SHOW.

The personally conducted tour of the clubwomen of New York to the Paris exposition promises to be one of the most notable of the exhibits illustrating this country's advancement.

Alvin S. Sanders of Chicago, who has been appointed a United States commissioner to the Paris exposition, will be the special representative of the live stock interests of this country in the exposition. He is the publisher of The Breeder's Gazette.

A plaster paris design for an "Uncle Sam" hat—probably the largest in the world—containing within its crown practical models for upward of 200 distinct styles of hats worn by 23 nationalities, will be sent from Philadelphia to the Paris exposition.

There will be over 7,000 exhibitors at the Paris exposition, and the United States is in the first rank of the exhibitors. The display will be strictly representative and will show in an adequate manner the excellence of our productions. In 1873 we had less than a seventh as many exhibitors.

WAS A BIG BLUFF.

The Inconsistency of the Cutters Union.

Barre Said to Have Played a Trick.

Has Expected Agreement and Has Refused No Orders.

The exodus of granite cutters from Quincy has already commenced, and over one hundred cutters have left town this week, for places where the trouble has been settled. Fifteen left town in one bunch Tuesday night, and another gang of thirty left town Wednesday night, and if the present situation continues, Quincy's best cutters will be among missing.

These men have not all gone to the same place however, although the larger part of the men who have left Quincy up to the present time have gone south.

The Petersburg, Va., Granite Co. have telegraphed for twenty-five men and the order has been filled.

The thirty who left Wednesday night went to Petacolet, South Carolina, where they expect to go to work for the Keystone Granite Co.

The men who have gone south expect and understand that they are to receive $3 for eight hours work. A few men have gone to Milford, N. H., and others have gone to Barre, Vt. These men will get the pay according to the recent settlements in these places.

As far as Quincy is concerned there is no change in the situation, and the outlook is anything but bright. The feeling in Quincy, in view of the recent settlements at Barre and other places, is that the demand of the cutters for $3 and eight hours was a big bluff.

Ever since the first of December last year, when the demand was made, the statement was sent broadcast through the country, that inasmuch as the constitution of the National Cutters Union said that eight hours and $3 should be the rule after March first that a settlement on no other basis would be made. Then came the request of the New England Manufacturers Association for a conference with the National Cutters Union committee, and the reply from Secretary Duncan of the cutters union that no conference could be held until the demand of eight hours and $3 had been granted. The ink with which this reply was written was not many days old, when comes the report that the cutters at Barre had signed an agreement at an average price of 35 cents per hour for eight hours, and that the men had returned to work on these terms.

Following this came the report of other places that had settled on the same terms, and the newspapers report that Secretary Duncan, who a few days before had notified the New England Association that no conference could be held until the eight-hour-$3-day had been granted advising the men at Barre to accept 35 cents, and advising the men at Quincy to accept the same terms.

That Secretary Duncan so notified the Cutters Union is not known for a fact, but it has been so reported in the daily papers, and no denial has as yet come from Mr. Duncan. If these things are true, as the public have good reason to believe, they can not be blamed if they think that the National Cutters Union has been making a big bluff.

Another rumor that is being circulated in Quincy, is that Barre has been playing a sharp game on Quincy, and that it was well understood between the Manufacturers and Cutters of that place had an understanding that there should be no suspension of work, and that the Barre Manufacturers have never refused an order, as they knew long ago upon what terms an agreement would be reached.

If Barre, which is the place Quincy Cutters have always held up as a criterion, has settled for an average of 35 cents., it seems queer that they could not be willing to settle for an average price instead of standing out for a 35 cent minimum, although everybody will admit an average price means no price at all.

Conference Wanted.

The Milford, Mass., granite cutters decided Wednesday to seek a conference with Mr. O. W. Norcross at an early date, to ascertain from him the probable action of the local manufacturers in response to the local union's request for eight hours and $3 a day.

Proposition at Concord.

A conference between Manufacturers and Cutters was held at Concord, N. H. Wednesday night at which a proposition for settlement was made, which will be submitted to the cutters union today. The terms of the proporsition are not made public.

A Settlement.

The morning papers report that the twelve granite cutters employed at Nashua, N. H., have reached a settlement upon the same basis as at Medfosd, N. H., and have returned to work.

Fraud Exploded.

Many Quincy people have no doubt invested in the so-called three star Hindoo lucky boxes that have been so extensively advertised in the daily papers for the past few weeks. Those who have invested their ninety-nine cents will no doubt be pleased to learn that the suckers are not all dead yet.

The post-office department Wednesday issued an order forbiding the delivery of mail matter and the payment of money orders to Henry Parker, 26 Bromfield street, Boston, for conducting a scheme through the mails to obtain money by means of false and fraudulent pretenses.

The story told in the advertisements was that Parker while in London got in hard luck and a Hindoo made him a "Good Luck Box," which was endowed with miraculous power. His luck immediately changed and he purchased a few which he brought to Boston, and would sell as long as they lasted for 99 cents. Many cases were cited of good luck that had followed persons possessing these boxes, and their sale was enormous.

It now turns out that the boxes were made in large quantities at a turning mill in Lynn, Mass., and at a cost of five cents each. It is alleged that during the past few weeks he has sold from 2000 to 3000 of these boxes a day.

—In a recent test of floor material the most durable turned out to be a tile made of rubber. An Enlgish earthen tile comes next. Vermont marble, flagstone, granolith, marble mosaic, yellow pine, oak, Oregon pine and teak came in the order named.

—The finest brougham in the world is owned by the maharajah of Ghened, one of the wealthiest of Indian potentates. The handles of the doors this brougham are of solid gold, while the rest of the carriage, down to the tires of the wheels, is of silver.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?
This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents.

LIVE STOCK IN CUBA.

AN INDUSTRY WHICH DESERVES SYSTEMATIC DEVELOPMENT.

Rich and Extensive Ranges In Puerto Principe—Native Cattle Resemble Old Time Texans and May Be Similarly Improved.

[Special Correspondence.]

HAVANA, Feb. 5.—In estimating the resources of Cuba the live stock industry assumes a greater relative importance than anticipated. Stock raising is an occupation in which extremes meet. In a primitive way it requires less brains and money than any other industry, and in its highest state of development the best experience and unlimited capital find occupation. It is almost needless to say that in Cuba primitive conditions prevail. If Abel himself were to come to Cuba, he would find stock raising very much as he found it when the family emigrated from Eden.

The best stock ranges of Cuba are in the province of Puerto Principe and cover an area of some 12,000 square miles. It is a vast wilderness, less than 1,000 square miles being utilized at the present time. The country is mountainous, interspersed with valleys and tablelands. The elevated plateaus are covered with nutritive native grasses, which would be the envy of American ranchmen who herd their flocks in the semiarid sections of the western plains. The climate is all in favor of Cuba. Cattle thrive here with as little attention as the laziest cowboys choose to bestow upon them, and no losses are sustained through blizzards. Before the wars which devastated the island large herds were common, but the cattle have mostly been killed. Those that remain are of scrubby varieties, and indeed the quality of Cuban cattle has never been anything to brag of. They resemble the tough Texas longhorns of former days.

The Cuban cattle industry has not yet reached the stage where animals are fattened for the market. They are sold as they come from the range, thin and tough. Oxen bring about $40 a head and ordinary cattle 25 per cent less. Calves are worth $10 or thereabout. It must not be concluded that the climate impairs the temper of Cuban cattle, for the fiercest fighting bulls that ever entertained aristocratic spectators at Havana come from the mountain regions of Puerto Principe.

Primitive as are the methods of stock raising in Cuba, the methods of preparing it for eating are equally so. A popular way of curing beef is to salt it and put it in the sun to dry. The

CUBAN CATTLE.

product is called tasajo, which would be known in the States as jerked beef. Tasajo will keep for several weeks, if not forever, and is used for home consumption by the masses of the people. The chief beef product exported is hides, and no effort has yet been made to utilize other parts of the animal which have made fortunes for the big Chicago packers. The prospects of the cattle industry in Cuba are dazzling, but of course there may be obstacles which have not yet appeared.

Cuban horses are also profitable to raise, and Puerto Principe seems to be the proper place for them. The prevailing type bears the mark of Spanish blood, more or less modified by climatic conditions. The result is a fine animal with stocky body and lithe limbs, remarkably intelligent eyes and capacity for long journeys under the saddle. The manes and tails give Cuban horses an attractive appearance, which may be brought out by careful grooming. Common Cuban horses are worth about $60, but some choice stallions are very valuable. American breeders who want to introduce a strain of wild blood into their animals may find something to suit their ideas among the horses of this province.

To attain the highest success in stock raising in Cuba it will be necessary to improve the native herds by the introduction of better blood. As Texas cattle have been revolutionized by means of Hereford, Shorthorn, Galloway and Aberdeen-Angus bulls, so may the herds of Puerto Principe be doubled in value by following the methods of successful breeders in other parts of the world. It can hardly be expected that Cuban ranchmen will fatten their own cattle, but this branch of the industry ought to be attractive to Americans, who can double the value of Cuban steers at little cost for feed. Transportation to United States ports is easy and cheap, and improved feeds may be imported from the cotton states and used as an auxiliary to the native grasses that grow in abundance.

I can advise Americans to take up cattle raising in Cuba with the same confidence with which I would advise them to avoid almost everything else.

ANGUS MERRITT.

THE HOUSE COMFORTABLE.

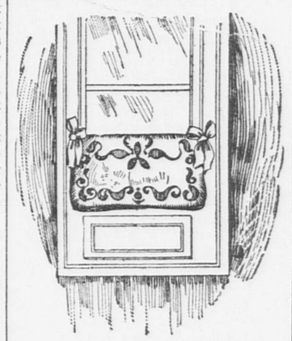
Remedies For Rattling Windows. Protection From Drafts.

Every household should look well to whatever will make the home more comfortable when it is in the stern and icy grip of settled winter weather. If it has not already been accomplished, such work is still in order, and the following hints from The Household will be found useful in providing against the little discomforts that are likely to become apparent in any house at this season:

Windows that rattle and are loose in their frames should have weather strips tacked to them that the cold air may not rush in. A piece of listing or the selvage edge of woolen cloth or flannel will answer if a weather strip is not convenient of adjustment. Tack the strip across the top sash of the lower half of the window and see that it is wide enough to overlap the bottom sash of the upper half. Tack another across the bottom sash of the lower half on a level with the sill and make sure that it extends over the sill. This should give sufficient protection unless the windows are very loose in their frames, when it will be necessary to list the sides also.

A most useful and decorative protector for the window is shown by the sketch. It is largely used in France and has been adopted here for many country houses. It is called a window screen and is made of velveteen or plush, large enough to cover half of the lower section of the windows. It should be padded with wadding and supplied at the four corners with small brass rings, which may be covered with ribbon bows. These rings fasten on small hooks screwed into the window casing and serve to hold the screen in its proper place.

Charming effects in the way of needlework will make this draft pro-



A DECORATIVE WINDOW PROTECTOR.

tector a decorative bit of furnishing, giving the room a cozy look which in winter is most attractive.

A more simple and homely arrangement, which is most desirable for fresh air in bedrooms at night, is a board which fits snugly into the sides of the window casing and is about two feet high, although it may be any width. By opening the window a few inches at the bottom fresh air will enter, and the board will serve to protect the sleeper from direct draft.

Another simple arrangement, often used in country houses of exposed situation, is a board six inches wide which is fitted into the lower part of the window frame, the window being opened to admit it and then closed to meet it. In this board tiny holes are bored with an auger and through these the air is filtered into the room. This is an excellent device for a bedroom in winter with a northeastern exposure, and in case of snowstorms there is no danger that the snow will drift into the room, as is often the case when the window is left open even for the space of an inch.

When it is possible, there should be a portable storm door with vestibule built outside the door leading into the house. This will save fuel, as enough cold air will rush into the house which is not thus protected every time the door is opened to make the halls cold even though they may have been well heated.

When there is no storm door, there should be weather strips for protection. Even then it would be well to have at hand an old piece of carpet that may be banked against the inside of the doors at night.

Maple Sugar Creams.

To each pound of maple sugar allow one pint of fresh cream. Break the sugar into small bits and put it with the cream in an agate saucepan. Boil over a moderate fire for about one hour or until a little dropped in a bowl of cold water can be rolled into a soft ball. Take from the fire and stir slowly until the mixture cools and begins to thicken, then pour into shallow buttered pans and set aside until firm, says an exchange.

Fashion's Echoes.

Entire fur mantles and jackets are worn as outdoor garments. Three-quarter length prevails in the beautiful broadtail sack coats, which, some inches below the waist, have an added flounce headed by a rouleau of the fur.

In spite of all other furry attractions, the sealskin coat holds its own bravely.

A pretty bow for the hair is made of white lace insertion with a scalloped irregular edge and a little more than an inch wide. It is wired in the center and arranged in two loops spreading each way from a close knot and bent in a waved effect.

The plaited gowns, especially tea gowns, in pure white are made very soft falling, with long pointed trains, bodice and skirt in one, with winged shaped sleeves. The underskirt of soft satin has innumerable deep lace flounces.

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Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:
Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
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TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also half-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises.
Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, steres, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET.
SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.
CLARENCE BURGIN,
Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

TO LET.
Up Stairs Suite in a Modern House Just Built.
Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address L. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314.
Dec. 28. tf

Herd of Cows For Sale.
EIGHTEEN Maine State Jersey grade cows, all carefully selected for us a little more than a year ago. Rare opportunity for people looking for nice family cows.
Fore River Farm, Weymouth, Mass.
March 5. 6t

Wagons For Sale.
ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO.
March 6. 1m

FOR SALE.
In moving from Hotel in the Briesler Estate to a House No. 3 Granite street, of less rooms, I have the following lot of Furniture, Bedding, etc., which I will sell at a Bargain.
Four Chamber Sets, 10-foot Extension Table, Wardrobe, Lot of Mattresses, Gasoline Stove, Carpets, Bed Springs, etc. etc. Also, A fine Lot af Canaries, Males and Females.
ALEX. E. NASH,
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Quincy, Mar. 2. 6t

First-Class Dressmaking,
MRS. GEORGE A. CHELIUS of Boston will be pleased to meet the ladies of Quincy and vicinity at *No. 6 Coddington St., March 8, 1900.* Feb. 26-1m

Dressmaking.
THE Subscriber is prepared to do dressmaking at the home of her patrons. A number of years experience.
M. H. CARRICK,
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March 6. 6t

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The Store No. 10, Granite street, has just been opened for Shoe Repairing and Manufacturing for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children. From years of experience he guarantees first-class work.
Feb. 24. tf

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Piano Tuner.
Quincy Office, C. F. Pettengill's Jewelry Store, 126 Hancock street.
Residence, No. 5 Cleverly Court, Quincy Point.
Oct. 6 tf

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a. m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a. m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a. m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a. m.
New Moon	30	3:30 p. m.			

He Is Comforted.

The Crow—Fine feathers make short lived birds.—Nuggets.

More Than $220,000 Saved In One Month.

Boston, March 8.—Thus early in the administration of Mayor Hart a big saving in the city's payrolls is shown. The payroll drafts of all the departments for February amounted to $772,065.08, as against $994,443.96 for January, a saving of $222,378.28. The collections for the month amounted to $930,985.62, as against $860,182.27 for the corresponding month a year ago.

Bomb Throwers Escaped.

Paris, March 8.—A bomb was thrown yesterday through a window of the Paris residence of Alfred Picard, commissioner general of the Paris exposition. It did not explode. A lady who saw two men light the fuse and who gave the alarm was attacked and severely handled by them.

Norwegian Steamer Missing.

Mobile, Ala., March 8.—The Norwegian steamer Franklin, which sailed Feb. 23 and was due at Belize, British Honduras, Feb. 27, has not been heard from, and fears for her safety are expressed. The crew numbered 16 men.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The eastern storm has practically passed beyond the field of observation. It is warmer through the great river valleys and the upper lage region, and the high temperature will reach New England tomorrow. The weather will be fair. On the coast the winds will be light to fresh and mostly north to east.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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S. F. COPELAND.

Plague Stricken India.

Calcutta, March 9.—The bubonic plauge increases, there being 411 deaths from the disease here last week. This is causing a great exodus of merchants.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free)

uincy Department Store, Quincy.

—The national dish of Boliva and the common food of the masses is "chupe," a sort of first cousin to the Irish stew. It is a conglomerate composed of irregular constituents from the animal and vegetable kingdoms.

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE

Who are injured by the use or coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

THE RED ASH DISASTER.

Number of Miners Killed Is Now Estimated at Seventy.

But One of Those Who Entered Pit Escaped Alive.

Governor Atkinson Intends to Fix Responsibility For Accident if Possible.

Fire Creek, W. Va., March 8.—The surviving miners of the Red Ash mine disaster and others estimate that there are still 39 miners at least entombed. General Manager Howell says there are still in the mine only 36. The estimate of the latter would indicate that there were 70 killed and five injured, and it is conceded that all of those still in the mine are dead.

The only person who entered the Red Ash mine just before the explosion and who is known to have escaped alive is Electrician Evans, who was near the entrance. In relating his experience, Mr. Evans said: "I heard a low rumbling sound, similar to an earthquake. I realized in an instant that fire damp had exploded, and before the force of the concussion reached me, I threw myself down on my face. A sheet of flame, rock and debris shot over my head. I managed to creep to the mouth and into the fresh air. My God, it was awful. I saw I was the only one left. Every one of the other fellows was lost."

A pathetic feature of the disaster was in the annihilation of the family of B. B. Long, a fire boss. His wife died some time ago, leaving to his care five little boys. Having no one to care for in their desolate home, the boys begged to go with their father into the mine to spend the day with him. He consented, and when the search is finished their blackened little bodies will be found beside their father.

The unexplained cause of the accident has terrified miners in adjoining localities. Very many are afraid to go to work, and it will require the most searching inspection by competent men to remove their fears and induce them to return to their places.

The work of rescue is being pushed as rapidly as possible, but the after-damp being very strong, men can work but a few minutes at a time.

Governor Atkinson and Secretary Boggs have arrived also. The governor declares his intention to fix the responsibility if possible and see that proper punishment is meted out.

A Pautucket Mixup.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 8.—The appeal of the losing side in a ward caucus Monday night, to the board of aldermen as a canvassing board, last night resulted in the declaration that the ballot was void, as nine more ballots were cast than there were names checked on the list. In opening the recount last night Mayor Fitzgerald ordered from behind the rail Councilman Brennan, who appeared as counsel for the Democrats. Brennan refused to go and the mayor ordered Sergeant Wilson to remove Brennan. As the sergeant was loth to eject the councilman the mayor suspended the sergeant.

Secretary Root In Cuba.

Havana, March 8.—Secretary Root arrived here yesterday. The local papers indulge in much speculation as to the reasons for the visit, but, almost without exception, they say that he will learn more about the Cuban people than he ever could by reading newspaper dispatches and opinions, which give such varying opinions that no man can tell what to believe.

Newfoundland Squabble Patched Up.

St. John's, March 8.—Messrs. Bond and Morris, the chiefs of the Liberal factions in the colony, have compromised their differences, united forces and formed a government. A Bond cabinet is likely to be announced, Mr. Bond taking the premiership and the portfolio of finance, Mr. Morris the portfolio of justice.

Students Have Sore Arms.

New Haven, March 8.—It is stated that the varioloid case of G. W. Perkins, Jr., at Yale, is doing fairly well, and there are no new cases and no symptoms of anything that foreshadows a spread of the disease. The students at the college, beyond the inconvenience of sore arms, due to vaccination, are not worrying.

Defrauded the City.

Cleveland, March 8.—The jury in the case against Albert E. Davis and Samuel G. Brooker, charged with defrauding the city in connection with the so-called city hall steals, brought in a verdict finding both of the accused men guilty. They were employed as clerks in the public works department.

Wreckage From Planet Mercury.

Halifax, March 8.—Large quantities of wreckage are going ashore at Port Maitland and Pubnico, the scene of the supposed steamship disaster. The wreckage includes several life buoys with name "Planet Mercury" and a section of a life boat, also bearing the steamer's name.

Crushed Beneath Heavy Weight.

New York, March 8.—A bundle of iron pipe, which fell from a window on the sixth floor of the rear of H. C. F. Kocke & Co.'s department store, struck Walter Walsh and George Connors, who were unloading a truck below. They received injuries from which they soon died.

Jay Gould's Name In Hall of Fame.

New York, March 8.—It is stated that the donor of the $100,000 contributed to the New York university to build the new hall of fame is Miss Helen Gould, and that the name of Jay Gould is to be among those of the distinguished dead inscribed in the hall.

A TEN-CLUB LEAGUE.

Manion Will Block Magnates' Plans For Reducing the National Circuit.

New York, March 8.—The annual spring meeting of the National league and American Association of Baseball clubs began at the Fifth Avenue hotel yesterday, but the magnates did not really get down to business until they met last night.

The circuit committee has finished its labors and is ready to make its report to the league. What the report contains none but the magnates know. All efforts at reduction of the circuit to eight clubs have been blocked by the Baltimore people, who are holding out for a big price for their franchise. "You may safely say that it will be a 10-club league," said Mr. Hanlon of Baltimore. "I am in a position to know and that is my prediction."

President Young has made provision for any emergency. He has prepared schedules suitable for eight or 10 clubs and will present them to the league. The schedule will be taken up the last thing.

According to President Young, the magnates spent their entire session last night in discussing and passing resolutions rescinding the $1000 fine imposed on the New York club two years ago in the "Ducky" Holmes case.

The matter was really settled by a mail vote some time ago, and the New York management received its check several days ago. Last night's action was merely a formal ratification. Holmes was a New York player, but was allowed to go to Baltimore. In a game at the Polo grounds, it was alleged by the local management that Holmes made some remarks offensive to the spectators. The president of the New York team insisted on the removal of Holmes. The umpire, acting under instructions, refused to grant this demand. New York forfeited the game, and was fined $1000, keeping up the fight ever since, and finally winning.

Famous Detective Killed.

Lexington, Ky., March 8.—George W. Drake, the famous mountain detective and ex-deputy United States marshal, and a man named Ford were shot to death last night near Torrent by William St. John. Bad feeling of long standing is said to have existed between Drake

GEORGE W. DRAKE.

and St. John. Drake is said to have run down more moonshiners and criminals in the mountains of eastern Kentucky than any other officer in the service of the government.

In One Pulpit For Sixty-One Years.

New York, March 8.—After serving for 61 years as pastor of St. Mark's Protestant Episcopal church, Brooklyn, Rev. Dr. Samuel M. Haskins died last night, aged nearly 87 years. He was attacked by grip on Thursday last and gradually sank until he expired. Dr. Haskins' long continuous term as pastor of one church is said to have no equal in the United States. He was the first and only pastor of "Old St. Mark's." Dr. Haskins was born in Maine.

Electricity Supersedes Steam.

Boston, March 8.—Electricity will take the place of steam as the motive power for ropemaking at the Charlestown navy yard next week. Preparatory to the introduction of the new power the walk has been entirely refitted and re-equipped with the most modern machinery. This is the only ropewalk owned by the government, and the greater portion of the rope used in the service is made here.

Author of His Own Undoing.

Vancouver, B. C., March 8.—Chinese advices say that in effecting the dethronement of Kwang Su on Jan. 24, the dowager empress practically forced the monarch to renounce the throne, proclaim a new emperor and practically assert himself a usurper by stating that his election had been discovered to be illegal.

Wreck of the Songa.

Tampico, Mex., March 8.—The first officer and crew of the Norwegian steamer Songa arrived here yesterday. They say that, in a dense fog, the Songa ran aground on a bar, in 18 feet of water, 48 miles north of here. Her cargo consisted of 5000 tons of coal. The vessel will be a total loss.

Assets Heavily Encumbered.

Boston, March 8.—Edwin K. & W. E. Blaikie, architects, have filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. The firm's liabilities are $47,749.35. The assets are accounts, $257, and real estate, valued at $65,300, mortgaged for $62,600. In addition each member has submitted an individual petition.

He ped Wreck a Bank.

Caledonia, Minn., March 7.—A jury last night brought in a verdict of guilty of grand larceny in the first degree in the trial of Clements, the Lacrosse man charged with complicity in wrecking the Fillmore County bank.

Gradually Losing Ground.

New Haven, March 8.—There is no visible change in the condition of E. J. Phelps. He is gradually losing ground. He is at times rational and appears to realize that the end is not far off.

WANT CONTRACT FULFILLED.

Puerto Ricans Are Starving While Waiting For Relief Promised by United States.

New York, March 8.—Dr. Julio Henna, a member of the Puerto Rican delegation which has been in Washington, says that the Puerto Ricans will never stop agitation until the United States recognizes the island as a territory, and gives it the privileges of unrestricted trade with the states.

"We expect, and shall insist," said Dr. Henna, "that this government fulfil its part of the contract entered into by General Miles when an alliance was made with Puerto Rico. Things are going from bad to worse in the island. The people are starving. We do not want alms, but justice. I believe that President McKinley is in favor of granting us unrestricted trade with this country. He has never said anything to the contrary. In addition to that we want permission to borrow for our necessities, say $3,000,000. One million dollars would be expended for day schools for children and night schools for the laborers. We would make education compulsory. Another $1,000,000 would be used on public works, and the remaining $1,000,000 for government purposes. We would have it so arranged that nobody need pay any taxes for the first year. How can they pay when the tornado ruined the crops and the island can only export 10 percent of what it did under Spanish rule? The second year we would be able to raise one-half of this $3,000,000. The third year would see us with a surplus.

"You must remember that Puerto Rico has no debt. There is something behind this 15-percent revenue bill, for not enough money could be raised under this plan. The $2,000,000 is offered to make up the balance. But it is the principle of the thing that we are contending for. I firmly believe that the supreme court will reverse the tariff. In any event I believe that Puerto Rico will enjoy trade justice at the expiration of two years. We plead for the justice of trade that will tide our country over the disastrous effects produced by the tornado. But in the meantime our people are starving."

An Appalling State of Affairs.

Jackson, Miss., March 8.—The neighborhood of Jonesville is literally honeycombed with smallpox of the most virulent and loathsome form and, during the past six weeks, nearly 100 deaths have occurred. On some days the death rate has been so large that it was impossible to secure coffins and rude caskets were made from rails. Whole families have been wiped out of existence. The death rate exceeds 75 percent and the entire lower portion of the county is demoralized.

To Visit the Emerald Isle.

London, March 8.—The announcement of the queen's intention to visit Ireland is regarded as one of the most remarkable acts of the queen's life. "The trip," says a well informed official, "is the suggestion of the queen alone, and the enthusiasm it is bound to create can scarcely be estimated. Her sacrifice in making the trip at such a season of the year is renewed evidence of the keenness of her mind in selecting the proper act at the proper time."

Contractors Won't Arbitrate.

Chicago, March 8.—Apparently all hope of a settlement in the near future of the differences existing between the unions affiliated with the Building Trades council and the contractors were dissipated when the Building Contractors' council made a declaration that no opportunity to arbitrate will be afforded by that body. It is now believed that the combination of strike and lockout will develop into a simple test of endurance.

Trouble Threatened In Barbadoes.

Kingston, March 8.—Barbadoes, hitherto the most loyal colony of the West Indian group, is about to give trouble to the home government in regard to the sugar question. They ask "why is the secretary for the colonies protecting the outlanders in Africa and ruining the West Indian planter." As the natives of Barbadoes are vigorous in asserting their rights they may give Mr. Chamberlain some trouble.

Bankruptcy Doesn't Wipe Out Alimony.

Boston, March 8.—Judge Lowell, in the United States district court, has denied a petition brought by Arthur L. Nowell, bankrupt, asking for an injunction to restrain the wife from prosecuting contempt proceedings she has begun against him in the state court for his failure to comply with an allmony decree.

Riches Didn't Bring Happiness.

New York, March 8.—Conrad H. Ableman, a wealthy retired produce dealer, was found dead in his handsome home in Brooklyn last night. He had shot himself in the head. For months Mr. Ableman had been suffering from nervous prostration, and his condition at times bordered on insanity.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

William F. Cummings, one of the best known marksmen of Maine, died at Saco, aged 51. He was formerly a member of the Biddeford light infantry and participated in many state shoots, winning a great number of trophies for company, team and individual work.

H. F. McHenry of Boston was dangerously injured in a collision at Brockton, Mass. An electric car struck a carriage he occupied, and he was thrown violently to the ground.

Mrs. Mary B. Duryea of Portsmouth, N. H., widow of the late General Duryea, died at her winter residence at Santa Barbara, Cal., after an illness of two weeks.

The Gloucester Business Men's association voted to request the senators and representatives from that district in the legislature to support the Cape Cod ship canal bill and the Boston and Albany lease.

Captain Silas W. Terry, late in command of the Iowa, has been assigned to succeed Admiral McCormick as commandant at the Washington navy yard.

Captain Robert E. Impey of the navy has made application for retirement with the grade of commodore. Captain George M. Book will also be retired with the rank of rear admiral.

A GLANCE AT FASHIONS.

Evening and Day Gowns—Popular Colors, Trimmings, Etc.

Pastel shades are seen at their best in the brocades with misty mingling of several tones in the pattern which are being largely made up for evening dresses. The groundwork is sometimes white, sometimes black, but more often gray or biscuit, and garlands and medallions of a darker tone than the ground inclose natural tinted flowers and form part of a flowing scroll which meanders all over the width of the fabric.

Cloth in the same delicate pastel tones is employed for day and evening wear, the tunics trimmed with stitchings and bordered with a trellis work of narrow velvet, with a frou frou of

SKATING COSTUME.

flounces at the hem. Lace fichus figure on such dresses. Reds, scarlet, crimson, pinky mauve and kindred shades are more appropriate perhaps for dull winter days. They are trimmed with Persian lamb, broadtail and astrakhan. The best modistes are using cut out cloth over satin for evening gowns.

Paillettes are rarely seen on any good models now unless lightly sprinkled on tulle. They are admissible as a cuirass or pannier, but the cheap net robes with sequined pattern have proved their deathblow.

Evening bodices are cut lower than heretofore at the back. For day wear many bodices are drawn tightly in to the figure all round till within three or four inches of the center, when they are allowed to fall into a pouch, coming to a point well below the waist. Occasionally the pouch is repeated at the back, but this is a treatment becoming to very few figures.

Stylish French waists are steel embroidered, the steel running in a thin meandering pattern all over the plain pouched fronts, which are slashed up at the sides and at the neck to show an undercorselet of stitched white satin.

A costume originally designed for skating, but a very chic exponent of smart winter modes in general, is of malachite green cloth, with collar, revers, cuff and hem band in chinchilla, like the muff. The tabs on the jacket are of green velvet tipped with old silver buttons. The vest is of white cloth embroidered with green and the scarf of white silk with green and white chenille fringe. The toque is of green velvet and chinchilla.

Novel trimming is shown on a light cloth dress which has extending down the front and round the shoulders graduated squares of cloth one above the other, the widest on the outside, each bordered with a line of stitching, the center square bearing in the middle an applique of a white lace flower. Indeed, these cloth squares placed one on the top of the other have somewhat the appearance of the old fashioned penwiper.

Novelties In Jewelry, Purses, Etc.

In Elsie Bee's fashions in The Jewelers' Circular occur the following:

Quite the swell affair of the moment in its line is the very fine chain of extra length punctuated with cabochon turquoises or carbuncles. And those wearers who note each passing wave of social caprice attach, at most, two pendants to their chain, but these must be of the richest and most beautiful or quaint and rare.

It is not unusual for flashing gems to form a continuous line of light and color across the back of the hand, as every finger may be allowed its quota of rings, provided always that they are tastefully chosen with reference to one another.

Newest and daintiest in cigarette cases for the feminine contingent are those of soft, undressed leathers in delicate gray or tan tones, with fastening jeweled with a turquoise.

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Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

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Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
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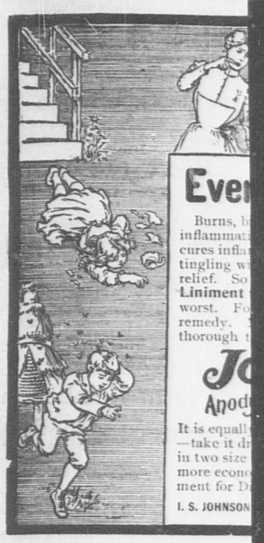

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OVERTURES OF PEACE.

London Hears That the Republics Are Evidently Tired of Fighting.

Boers Twice Repulsed French While In Retreat.

British Cavalry Almost Ready to Charge, but Foiled by Boers' Maneuvering.

London, March 9.—The editorials in this morning's newspapers admit that yesterday's demonstrations in honor of Queen Victoria were quite without precedent; and they teem with patriotic expressions of gratification at the queen's opportune and tactful contribution toward the unity of the empire. The Daily Telegraph says: The demonstration has never been equalled in the annals of any other nation. Not even the queen herself has ever known a demonstration of love and loyalty so deep, so immediate, so poignant, so inexpressible in solicitude and tenderness, so touching and so thrilling. The bonds between the empire and the queen today are those of loving, breathing, chivalrous devotion.

The Boers appear to have made no stand whatever except that, while in retreat, they twice repulsed General French's cavalry with rifle fire. As no report has been made of the capture of prisoners, the enemy probably got away with their entire force. General French is still following them and keeping between them and Bloemfontein.

The evacuation of the northern districts of Cape Colony is now nearly complete. The British are in possession of the railroad crossings. The military critics comment on the discouraging news from Mafeking. Colonel Baden-Powell seems to be in grave need of outside help. Otherwise he would not allow the correspondents to send out information respecting the distress of the garrison.

A readjustment of some of the higher commands is taking place. General White is to go to Stormberg, to take supreme command of General Gatacre's division, and the Tenth division, now in process of formation, will be under the immediate command of General Hunter, General White's chief of staff.

A dispatch from Osfontein, dated March 7, says: Lord Roberts' movement today again thoroughly surprised, outwitted and outmaneuvered the Boers, who fled almost without firing a shot. The plan of battle was as follows: General Colvile's division extended along the north bank; General Tucker held the center reserve, and the guards brigade had the center advanced. General Kelly-Kenny's division was ordered to make a huge flanking movement on the Boers left, following General French, who was instructed to move southeast until opposite the Boer flank, and then to swing around the rear.

Every movement was admirably executed and entirely successful. The Boers was surprised, as was evident from the state of the deserted camps. Twice the British cavalry were almost in a position to charge; but they admit that they were foiled by the maneuvering of the Boers.

When last seen, General French was pursuing the enemy vigorously. He was between them and Bloemfontein, about 11 miles from the right wing.

General Colvile merely demonstrated against a high mountain occupied by the Transvaal troops, who are now fleeing in consequence of the flight of the Free Staters south of the river.

It is impossible at present to give the Boer numbers; but it is estimated that they reach 14,000, all of whom are now in flight.

In the course of the operations the Ninth lancers attempted to get close to the Boers' right, with the object of charging; but the Boers came out in great force and the lancers were compelled to retire. A battery was then sent forward to hold the enemy in check while the Grahamstown volunteers and a company of mounted infantry, supported by another battery, engaged the Boers on their right flank.

The Boers fired shell, falling short, however; and they made a stubborn defense on the kopje on our right, enfilading the battery and killing 18 of the battery horses. The mounted infantry gradually repelled the Boers; and the battery then took a position and expelled them from their laager in confusion.

The Boers held a strong position on the north bank of the river; but the flight from the southern bank compelled them to retreat. They showed great adroitness in getting away the wagons and displayed a bold front while the rest of the force was busy inspanning. General French's division consisted of three brigades of cavalry, two of mounted infantry and seven horse batteries.

Aged Couple Died Together.

Boston, March 9.—Jonathan L. Frye and his wife, a Roxbury couple, about 75 years old, died yesterday within an hour of each other. Mr. Frye had been suffering from lung trouble for some time, and his wife at last was taken down with pneumonia. They have had no one to care for them, until within a few days, when neighbors rendered assistance. They are said to have several children somewhere in New England.

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DISAGREES WITH ANTI-INPERIALISTS.

Lecturer Lala Says They Are Assisting Aguinaldo and Causing Bloodshed In Philippines.

Boston, March 9.—There was a great scramble of the politicians at city hall yesterday to see Ramon Reyes Lala, a native of Manila, who is at present on a lecturing tour in this country. Mr. Lala's purpose in visiting city hall was to pay Mayor Hart a friendly call. They had an interesting talk over the present situation in the Philippines, Mr. Lala firmly believing in imperialism.

Previous to his calling to see the mayor, Mr. Lala visited the office of the Anti-Imperialistic league, by request of Erving Winslow. When Mr. Lala called, William Lloyd Garrison was also present. The three men had a long, interesting talk, after which Mr. Lala said that he and his newly-formed acquaintances could hardly agree on a single point. During the conversation, Mr. Lala told the Boston men that Aguinaldo's following is among the uneducated, and that he fills these people full of stories, making them believe that if they accept American government they will only be returned to Spanish oppression. Mr. Lala further said that Aguinaldo is assisted by the anti-imperialists in this country.

Continuing his interview, Mr. Lala said: "These latter I blame for the bloodshed in the Philippines. They have sent documents to that country, and these are published in the Filipino papers. Aguinaldo reads them and shows them to his followers, with the statement: 'I told you that the Americans want us to continue the war.' As a result, the poor fellows continue to fight."

Declined Presidential Nomination.

Indianapolis, March 9.—The Social Democratic national convention held a stormy session yesterday. The committee from the social labor party and the sub-committee from the convention reported in favor of amalgamation of the two parties. The two committees locked horns on a name for the united party. The majority report instructed the committee to stand firmly for the name Social-Democrat Party, while the minority report merely told the committee to urge the selection of the name "Social-Democrat." The minority report was adopted after a prolonged discussion. Eugene Debs was placed in nomination for president. Mr. Debs said that under no circumstances would he be a candidate for president.

Gloucester Man Shoots His Wife.

Gloucester, Mass., March 9.—John Lund, a Swede, is under arrest, on the charge of shooting his wife in the back. Although the woman received a serious wound, it will not result fatally unless the injury is followed by blood poisoning. Lund is about 40 years of age, while his wife is 35. Lund has followed the occupation of fisherman, and recently run a boarding house. It is claimed there have been family quarrels of late, and only a few days ago Mrs. Lund left her husband and started housekeeping for herself. It is generally believed that Lund was jealous of his wife.

Officials Charged With Felony.

Lexington, Ky., March 9.—Chief of Police John Ross, License Inspector Welsh, Patrolmen O'Reilly and Mucci of this city and three Democratic election commissioners gave bond yesterday in the sum of $1500 each for a appearance in the United States court at Louisville, charging felonies in intimidating or interfering with voters at the November elections.

To Look For the Minerva.

Norfolk, March 9.—The revenue cutter Onondaga left this port yesterday on a second search for the lost Spanish ship Minerva, which, with a crew of 40 men aboard and no coal, has been drifting helplessly about the north Atlantic since Feb. 21. Marine men are now of the opinion that the Minerva has drifted half way across the ocean.

Panic Narrowly Averted.

Chicago, March 9.—The Second Presbyterian church was completely destroyed by fire last night. The building was the home of one of the most aristocratic congregations in the city. A panic was, with difficulty, prevented at the meeting of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. Loss, $200,000.

"HINDOO LUCKY BOXES"

Appear to Have Brought In Thousands of Dollars to a Man Who Is Wanted at Boston.

Boston, March 9.—Henry Parker, the promoter of the "Three Star Ring Hindoo Lucky Box," has, with his scheme, joined the ranks of the fugitives from justice. At 1 p. m. yesterday authority was given the United States marshal's office to arrest Parker on the harge of using the mails for fraudulent purposes. The order for the arrest came from Washington.

Inquiries made at the Boston postoffice showed that between 7000 and 8000 ordinary letters, and several hundred registered letters, which evidently contained valuables, addressed to Henry Parker, have accumulated since that order was issued. This is all stored away in sacks at present; it is increased daily by hundreds of letters from all over the country, even from Boston. In the money order division there are perhaps 600 or 700 advices of orders, each one of which represents 99 cents at least, the price for one "lucky box."

An investigation brought to light the significant fact, which has been guarded as an all important secret, that that mystic "lucky box" is made at a factory in Lynn. This is what the postoffice department says about the box:

"The representations that the boxes were made by Hindoos and imported, and that they had been endowed by the Hindoos with their alleged marvelous powers, were absolutely false, as the boxes were made in large quantities at Lynn, Mass., at a cost of 5 cents each, and the great 'work of phylanthropy' in which Parker was engaged therefore brought him a handsome profit on each box sold, as it is estimated that during the few weeks in which the scheme was in operation he disposed of 2000 or 3000 boxes daily."

Deaths From Liquor and Exposure.

Lexington, Mass., March 9.—The dead body of Matthew Ahern, formerly employed as a farm hand in Bedford, and who had been missing since Feb. 17, was found Thursday in an open field, two miles from Lexington, death having evidently been caued by exposure. Persons who last saw Ahern alive say he was under the influence of liquor. It was snowing, and it is supposed that he became bewildered and tired, and laid down to rest against a haystack, when death overtook him.

Uxbridge, Mass., March 9.—The body of Antonio F. Arozas of Millville was found in an outhouse connected with the South Uxbridge Quaker meeting house yesterday. The man had frozen to death while intoxicated. The body had lain undiscovered over two weeks.

Famous French Playhouse Destroyed.

Paris, March 9.—The Theatre Francais, the historical playhouse of Paris and the home of the world-famed Comedie Francaise, is a mass of smoking ruins. Only the mere outside shell remains standing. The dome has collapsed and the magnificent interior is an utter wreck. The only victim of the fire, so far as is known, was Mlle. Henriet, a beautiful young actress of 19, whose photograph has been displayed in the shop windows along the boulevards as a type of beauty. It was, however, only a matter of an hour that saved Paris a catastrophe, as a crowd of women and children had already gathered at the doors, awaiting the opening for the matinee, when the alarm was raised. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Margaret Schriver's Windfall.

Pittsburg, March 9.—The will of Charles Davis (Alvin Joslin) was filed for probate yesterday. He leaves $100,000 in real estate and $50,000 in personal property. After bequeathing sums ranging from $200 to $1000 to employes of the Alvin theater and providing for the payment of his debts he directs that $500 be paid to Maud L. Strain, $1000 to Charles M. Johnson and $1000 to Harry C. Stanley, a former member of his company. The residue of his estate is left to Margaret Schriver, an actress.

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Sequel to New Hampshire Tragedy.

Franklin, N. H., March 9.—As a sequel to the death of L. M. Yeaton, from a blow inflicted by M. C. Wingate, last December, Mrs. Mary R. Yeaton, the widow, has brought suit against Wingate in the sum of $10,000 for loss of her husband. Wingate and Yeaton had a discussion, and it was after Yeaton drew a revolver, Wingate killed him with a piece of pipe. The death was pronounced accidental. Wingate is ill from the mental strain which followed the tragedy.

Wagon and Harness Gone.

Winsted, Conn., March 9.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of John Barnum on a charge of larceny of a wagon and two harness, valued at $150. Barnum, who owned a pair of horses, borrowed the wagon and harness Wednesday and, it is alleged, after packing up his household goods drove away with his wife during the night.

Spinners' Wages Reduced.

Worcester, Mass., March 9.—Eleven spiners at the Worcester Woolen Mills company went out on strike yesterday. The men claim that the introduction of women into this department of mill work has caused a reduction of wages. The strikers claim to have been able to earn only $8.50 for 64 hours' work. The places have not been filled.

Killed by News From Ladysmith.

St. John, March 9.—James R. Ruel, who has been the collector of customs at this port for the past 30 years, died at his home at midnight, aged 80. When he heard the news that General White was relieved he was so overcome that he suffered a paralytic shock, which resulted in his death.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Precipitation has been limited except in the east gulf and south Atlantic states, where there has been general heavy rain. Temperatures have fallen 10 to 20 degrees in the south Atlantic states. They have risen in the interior and are generally above the seasonable average. It will be warmer from the middle and upper Mississippi valley and lake region eastward. Generally fair weather is indicated. On the Atlantic coast winds will be light to fresh and mostly east to south.

Lanky Bob Sued by Roeber.

New York, March 9.—Ernest Roeber, who was for some time trainer and boxing partner for "Bob" Fitzsimmons, has brought suit to recover $1750 which he claims to be due him for services.

Norwegian Steamer Wrecked.

New Orleans, March 9.—The Norwegian steamship Franklin has been wrecked on Chinchora banks, about 100 miles north of Belize, Honduras. No lives were lost.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Grand Trunk Railway company announces an increase of 10 cents a day in the wages of section men, on all sections of the system in Canada, becoming effective April 1.

Letters of administration have been issued to Mrs. Mary C. Lawton, in the matter of the estate of her deceased husband, Major General Henry W. Lawton. Those entitled to the estate, it is explained, are the four children of the deceased general.

The congressional committee on Cuba and Puerto Rican affairs will go to Cuba early next week.

After considerable discussion the convention of Amalgamated Woodworkers of America decided not to admit upholsterers, varnishers and gilders to membership in the Woodworkers' union.

The commissioner of internal revenue has decided that the check or receipt given for a bicycle transported on a passenger train along with the owner is not subject to war revenue tax.

The will of Anna S. C. Blake, late of Santa Barbara, Cal., on file in the probate office at Boston, gives $10,000 each to the Massachusetts general hospital and the orthopoedic hospital in Philadelphia.

The sanitary condition of the Argentine ports is officially declared to be bad, and stringent measures have been taken to prevent the spreading of disease to Brazilian ports.

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Tuesday,	35	12	43	43	50
Wednesday,	39	32	39	48	26
Thursday,	34	42	37	50	40
Friday,	44	41	36	54	44
Saturday,	—	35	35	60	51

New Advertisements Today.

High School Hall—Lecture.
Citation Notice.

Good Afternoon.

Rah for the M. Y. R. A.; it's evidently getting its back up.

The President very quickly headed off the report that he was wobbling in his views on expansion.

Congressman Terry, of Arkansas who is serving his fifth term in the House, has been defeated for renomination.

Get together, gentlemen, and try to come to an agreement on the wages which shall be paid the granite cutters.

Many appeals are being made to the President by German-Americans to offer meditation in the South Africa war.

That boulevard to Houghs Neck promises to be an expensive job before it reaches Great Hill. Wonder if Houghs Neck people will be satisfied.

Walter L. Farnsworth, who is said to have forty wives, doubtless welcomed the sentence for bigamy, recently given him in Chicago.

The list of births for 1899 as published were an eye opener for many. It did not seem that there would be people with such names in the city.

Congress will have to get a move on, if the early adjournment promised is to materialize. Advices from Washington show that the regular appropriation bills are not as far advanced as usual at this date, in long sessions of Congress.

The Clark bribery case has cost the people of this country $50,000, and, according to the testimony it had cost the principals more than $200,000 before it reached Washington. From which it would seem that Senator Clark holds the most costly seat in the "Millionaires club."

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Hereafter those who purchase liquor at the Northfield, Vt., town agency, will have their names published in the local newspapers at the end of each month, together with the quantity procured and the purpose for which it was ordered. Now won't there be an exodus of the truly good into the next town whenever they feel the need of a drop for their stomach's sake?—Haverhill Gazette.

☞ The bill of Congressman Gillett of this state, restricting the liquor trade in the Philippines, is a step in the right direction, if what we have heard of the establishment of saloons in Manila is reliable. Statements have appeared to the effect that our civilization has carried hundreds of liquor saloons into that locality, where previously such places were almost unknown.—Milford Journal.

☞ Joseph C. Bailey, M. C., discourses in Harper's Bazar of "Why Women Fail as Parliamentarians." After a perusal of his reasons we discover that they fail for the same reasons that men fail except his last reason, because they are women, which is no reason at all. It is hardly worth the while to discuss Mr. Bailey's argument. All there is in it is the old one which has been tossed back and forth since the debate on woman's rights began, and which really satisfies nobody except those who make it. But we would like to hear what he would say on the question, "Why Men Fail as Parliamentarians." He might use himself for an example.—New Bedford Standard.

☞ President Eliot of Harvard thinks it rather hard that his institution has to surrender 15 per cent. of a half million donation to the government in taxes. If the inheritance tax never worked any more hardship than in that case no one, outside of the college at least, would find fault with it. He ought to be thankful for what he gets rather than complain about what he doesn't.—Gardiner, Me., Reporter Journal.

☞ It is stated upon unquestionable authority that in New York, Boston and Chicago within the past three months over eight thousand women have gone out of business positions and men have been selected to take their places. This is only illustrative of what is taking place all over the country. The business women are everywhere finding that while they have the mental qualifications necessary to the successful occupation of a great variety of business positions, that pysically very many of them cannot endure the constant strain and so are returning to domestic employments. It will as in everything else be a survival of the fittest, and those who have the physique to carry them through will remain in their chosen lines of work and will be benefitted in the end by the retirement of many of the less capable from their ranks by receiving wages on the same scale as those paid to men. During the period of hard times from which the country is now recovering many men have been out of employment simply because women could be hired to do the work so much cheaper. Now that prosperity is once more in the ascendant the men will again have their inning and this will tend to carry the prosperity to many homes which had felt the pressure of the hard times because of the lack of work for the husband and father.—Beverly Times.

Another on Kittridge.

The Palm Beach Daily News has this story to tell of a well known Quincy man:

"A gentleman who left the cold, bleak state of Massachusetts to come south and bask in the sunshine of fair Florida this winter is H. P. Kittredge, but is better known to the guests of the Palms hotel, West Palm beach, as 'the soda water man,' on account of the vast fortune he has made selling pop.

"Mr. Kittredge was caught napping last week very nicely by a poor uneducated man of the wood, or in other words, Tommie Jumper, a Seminole Indian.

"This is the way the story goes. He met the Indian some days ago while in company with a photographer and offered Tommy and an Indian friend 50 cents to allow the photographer to take their picture and also to present them with one when completed he was taken up after coaxing them a great deal, and the pictures were taken. Kittredge laughed in his sleeves at the Indians and went to the hotel to sit and think of his good luck. He little knew that an Indian never allowed himself to forget a promise and as soon as the pictures were completed he purchased two very large and handsome ones, thinking the Indian would not come back; but, alas and alack, the Indian came back with a mighty knowing look upon his face and went to Mr. Kittredge's room and knocked on the door. Mr. Kittredge sprang up, very angry at having his dream of love and soda water broken up, and opened the door, not knowing he was to meet a face that showed manhood and nerve in every line with the question on his lips: 'Where me picture? Me want em.'

"Well, as a general thing he is a very brave man, but this was too much for him and he stood, unable to utter a sound for at least five minutes. When at last he came to, he hurried to his trunk and produced the picture, which he presented to Tommie not being able to say a word. When he saw that the Indian had vanished he fell into a chair, swearing that he would never deal in anything, henceforward and forever, but soda water."

Eight Prizes.

Thirty-six tables were in play at the whist party at Odd Fellows hall, Thursday evening. At the conclusion of play prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies—Mrs. E. Frank Michell, a picture; Bertha Richards, silver pepper and salts; Mrs. E. E. Munroe, glass pitcher; Mrs. Lucas, begonia plant.

Gentlemen—M. H. Gillis, a gloria umbrella,; Mr. E. H. Lowe, china loving cup; Mr. Pitts, glass tooth brush holder; E. E. Prince, cake of soap in box.

—Those who propose to try to hatch eggs under hens in this month or the next will do well to remember that while 13 eggs is called by custom the right number to put under her, and a Brahma or Cochin may cover 15 or 17 and succeed in hatching nearly every one in warm weather, it will be better at this season to reduce the number considerably.

—Callous spots may be removed from either the hands or feet by bathing daily in a fairly strong solution of common baking soda and hot water.

WAITING FOR QUINCY.

But Here Apparently Nothing Is Being Done.

Quincy Cutters Are Now Drawing Strike Pay.

Many, However, Have Gone to Seek Work Elsewhere.

The strike situation in Quincy remains unchanged and seems likely to go on for an indefinite period. Neither the Manufacturers' Committee or the Cutters' Committee have made any move as far as known toward another conference, both sides apparently waiting for the other to make the first move.

As stated in Thursday's Ledger many of the men both married and single have left town seeking work elsewhere and the number is increased every day. When the strike is settled the married men will probably return. The single men however will doubtless remain where they are unless work should become quiet when they would float back to Quincy again.

The men in Quincy who are out on strike are now drawing strike pay and will continue to be paid every week as long as the money lasts. Then when their is no money the amount due is credited to them and will be paid at some future time. There are always some men who have money due them when a strike is settled although they often have to wait some time for it.

Reports from Barre and some other granite centres show that the men are at work and have been nearly all the week. Rumor has it that these men are working upon the Barre terms of settlement until such time as an agreement shall be made in Quincy which will then be adopted as a uniform rate.

No Agreement at Concord.

The terms of settlement offered by the Granite Manufacturer's Association of Concord, N. H., have been rejected by the Granite Cutters' Union.

The settlement committee of the manufacturers had a long conference with the dispute committee of the union Wednesday during which the manufacturers submitted a proposition for settlement. The terms of this proposition were practically those of the agreement at Barre—eight hours a day and 35 cents an hour, average, not minimum, as has been stated.

The union held a meeting Thursday, and after a roll call, which showed a full attendance of members, the proposition of the manufacturers was laid before the union, and a vote resulted in its rejection, unanimously it is said.

No Settlement.

A settlement at Hurricane Island, and other granite centers in Maine was reported this week, but it was evidently a mistake, as there has been no settlement.

Barrows' Banquet.

The banquet at the American house, Boston, two years ago, during the Barrows campaign, which many Quincy citizens enjoyed, and for which the hotel proprietors have since been waiting to be paid, was disposed of in the third session of the Superior Court in Boston, Thursday, when a verdict of $165.89 was returned against the defendants, Stephen M. Marshall and T. C. Batchelder.

Batchelder was chairman of the campaign committee, and Marshall was secretary. Both of the defendants disclaimed the responsibility for the dinner, Batchelder saying that he did not authorize Marshall to order it, and Marshall claiming that he was acting under Batchelder's instructions in ordering the dinner. The verdict was against both defendants.

Faxon Outdone.

Marshfield by a small majority voted for license on Monday, but later the town meeting voted that the fee for licenses should be one million dollars. As yet there have been no applicants.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

A mild spring-like day.

The corresponding week last year was also mild.

Rev. N. K. Bishop of the Emmanuel church, Somerville, will lecture at Christ church tonight.

Mr. B. J. Holcombe will give a demonstration on Velox paper tonight at 8 P. M. at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. All interested are invited. Free.

As originally intended the National convention of the A. O. H. will be held May 8 and 9, and not on Memorial day as suggested. It is well, and others should be careful how they encroach on this sacred day of the soldiers.

A pamphlet issued by a committee representing various temperance organizations is through the generosity of Mr. Henry H. Faxon being sent to the teachers of Quincy by the State Superintendent of Scientific Temperance Instruction of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. It is earnestly hoped that the teachers will give it careful perusal.

A RAP AT Q. Y. C.

Must Be Specially Invited to Enter Open Races.

The Massachusetts Yacht Racing Association got in a little rap at the Quincy Yacht Club at a special meeting, Thursday night, when the racing rules were so changed so as to read:

A yacht belonging to a member of any club of the association may enter any open race of a club of the association, provided such yacht has previously entered for the season.

In past years association races were open to yachts of all clubs, whether belonging to the association or not. Under the present rule, clubs of the association may invite yachts from outside clubs to enter or not just as they see fit.

This of course means that if the club holding open races do not see fit to invite the Quincy club she will be barred out.

High School Debates.

At the High school Wednesday, the subject of the Senior debate was: "The Curfew Law is a Success."

The affirmative was assigned to Miss Lulu Phelan, Miss Charlotte Sweeney and Mr. Richard McGrath.

The negative to Miss Nettie Phelps and Miss Mary Swain.

The critic was Mr. George Hewson; and the presiding officer, Mr. John King.

Decided, on the merits of the debate, in the affirmative. A popular vote decided that the Curfew Law of today is desirable and successful.

For the Junior debate the question was: Resolved, That the United States should own and operate its railroads."

Affirmative — Miss Menhenick, and Mr. Tierman.

Negative—Miss McConnell and Miss Sanders.

Decided in favor of the negative.

—Chicago has been having a symposium, in which various men of important position have told what they would do if they became women. It is interesting to learn that only one thought he would "take a day off to swear about it," while most of the others considered they would, is suddenly placed in a woman's shoes, make strenuous endeavor to make happy the life of a man. Despite the "new" woman, and woman suffrage associations, there can be little doubt but man generally continues to look on woman as the "moonlight unto sunlight" of mankind, and that whatever woman's opinion may be, it is still his that the woman's sphere is making home happy for husband and children. And it is the opinion of a good many women—including even such an ardent woman suffragist as Julia Ward Howe—and she is quite right.—Boston Home Journal.

—When women go to buy a dress in Japan they tell the shopkeeper their age, and if they are married or not, because there are special designs for the single and double relations of life, as well as for ages. The consequence of this painful custom is that you can tell the age of every woman you meet, and know whether she is married, precisely as though she were labeled.

Banker Charged With Robbery.

Columbus, O., March 9.—A special from Lima says: N. L. Michael, vice president of the late American bank, that was mysteriously robbed of $18,000 over a year ago, is under arrest, charged with the robbery. Michael brands his arrest as blackmail.

The Red Ash Mine Horror.

Charlestown, W. Va., March 9.—Three more dead bodies were taken from the Red Ash mine yesterday, making the total number of dead recovered 21. Twenty-eight is the number known to be still in the mine.

A BEAR FOR A ROOMMATE.

Funny Story About a Russian Beast Which Slept In a Bed.

Livonia is a part of our globe where fondness for pets coexists with love of sport. A Russian subject from that province tells me of the strange consideration evinced by one of her neighbors for the feelings of a bear. The animal had an odd fancy for sleeping indoors and in a bed. To humor him, a room in a tower was always left open for the animal. Some nights he came and availed himself of the hospitality, but often he staid out in the woods. If he arrived at his tower and mounted the long flight of steps which led from outside to his own door and found that anything prevented his entrance, the bear made a horrible noise, growling and battering the woodwork. In Livonia, during the brief northern summer, the local magnates visit each other without prior arrangement, and they arrive prepared to stop the night. It not infrequently occurs that many carriages converge at the same time on one country house, with the result that as many as 40 beds may be required. A large influx of visitors arrived one night at the house where the bear had his room. The last comer was a timid youth, a cousin of the house. The host met him, radiant:

"What a pleasure, Ivan! You'll find half the relations here. But, alas, you'll not have a good room. Every other corner is full. There's only the tower left. As you know, the bear comes there. But never mind! He does not put in an appearance every night." The young man would fain have gone farther, but the nearest country house was ten miles off, his horse tired, and the hospitable relations very pressing in their invitation to him to remain. He was greatly afraid of the bear, but still more afraid of offending host, hostess and all the other cousins and neighbors. He decided to stay, and at last retired to rest in a large, square room, with two beds in it. He inquired if he might not bar out the bear (the door had but a latch), but he was told that no fastenings might be used; the bear was too noisy if shut out. He "would not let a soul in the place have a wink of sleep." Besides, "he wasn't coming very likely." And, further, "there wasn't any means of altogether fastening the door." "It was left on the latch on purpose." The last words of a rather sleepy cousin to the newcomer were, "Better take the bed in the far corner, Ivan!"

The guest can hardly be said to have slept there. The terror of bruin kept him awake at first and then bruin himself, for in the small hours a shambling step and a sound of claws on the steps and balustrade froze the blood in the unhappy youth's veins. The noise came nearer. There was a fumbling at the latch. With great growling and grumbling, bruin entered and put himself to bed in the couch near the door. There the beast grumbled, grunted and seemed to sniff. That sniffing alarmed the other occupant of the room most of all, for he thought it meant that the bear scented him and might resent his presence. The wretch dared scarcely breathe. Dawn was breaking, but that was only another danger. The bear might see him. Bruin, a great, curled lump above the blankets, became in due time visible to his fellow lodger. Then the bear snored! There was comfort in that sound. But soon he rolled about and growled and groaned discontentedly. The heart of the watcher beat painfully loud. He dared not rise. He had not nerve enough to pass the sleeping animal and rush down the steps. Terror paralyzed the youth, and prudence whispered that inactivity can be sometimes masterly. The slow hours dragged on. All the company had assembled down stairs at breakfast, but bruin still slept, and the timid cousin watched him with eyes that burned and throbbed. At last the host said: "Where's Ivan? Where's the bear too?" And a messenger was dispatched to the tower, there to find a pallid guest and his uninvited companion. The messenger routed out the bear, who had been kept as a pet when a cub and who was really only half a wild beast, and helped the nerve shattered youth to dress and join the breakfast party.—London News.

Her Ambition.

After the youthful but powerful intellects of the observation class in a West Philadelphia school had devoted 15 minutes the other day to making known the results of their thoughts upon nature and surrounding objects the teacher diverted their minds by asking each of the dozen youngsters what they meant to be when they grew up.

One precocious girl of 7, looking up at the strong, but not overly comely, face of the teacher, whispered timidly, "If I'ze pretty when I gets big, I am going to be an actress, but if I grows ugly I'll be a schoolteacher."—Philadelphia Record.

A Healthy Locality.

To all appearance Ardnamurchan, on the west coast of Scotland, is a great place for longevity. Whether it is because of the soft and salubrious climate or the remoteness of the place from the centers and the sins of population or something indigenous to the Ardnamurchan nature it would be rash to say, but certain it is that an Ardnamurchanite seems to have a good chance of becoming a patriarch. Within 30 years many of the inhabitants have been cut off at verying ripe ages between 100 and 112.—Scottish American.

His Distinction.

"Yes, sir," said Broncho Bob, "when I was east I was a regular literary lion. I got in with some people who are interested in dialect."

"But you can't write dialect."

"No, I can't write it. But I kin talk it great."—Washington Star.

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Former High School Master.

Mr. Granville Bradstreet Putnam, recently headmaster of the Franklin Grammar school, Boston, died Thursday at his home on Webster street, West Newton, aged sixty-five years. Mr. Putnam's appointment to the Franklin school dates back to 1865. His special distinction as a master is that he was the first to introduce into his school the Ling system of gymnastics, now so widely adopted. He was also among the first of the masters to interest himself in the Boston Teachers' Mutual Benefit Association of which he has been president.

Mr. Putnam was born in Danvers, Aug. 27, 1835.

In 1854 he entered the Bridgewater State Normal school, graduated the following year and immediately began teaching at Fall River. He entered Amherst College in 1857 and graduated in 1861. Early in April of that year he received an invitation to the principalship of the Quincy High school, and by the advice of his college teachers accepted and commenced his labors there on the 12th of April, 1861. He remained in Quincy three and a half years, declining the position of principal of the Salem High school, and in 1864 received from Amherst the honorary degree of master of arts. In September, 1864, he went to Boston as submaster in the Bigelow school then in charge of the late C. Goodwin Clark, and in the following January he was elected master of the Franklin school.

He was twice married, the first wife being Jane E. Hitchcock, daughter of Professor Edward Hitchcock of Amherst College, whom he married Aug. 31, 1864. He was married the second time Aug. 1, 1895, to Emma Elizabeth Upham who survives him with two young children. He had lived in West Newton for the past eighteen years and had been deacon of the Congregational church at West Newton for sixteen years.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the Civil session of the District court next Tuesday:

271—Wallace Vs. Kennier & tr.
329—Leonard Vs. Davis & tr.
353—Backers Vs. Maloney.
28—Miller Vs. Stuart.

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THE SYNDICATE.

Seems Now to Be an Assured Fact.

Corporations Vote This Week to Transfer Stock.

The Syndicate May Be in Control Next Week.

It is now quite certain that the quarry syndicate, of which there has been more or less talk for several months past, will become an assured fact in the very near future. In fact March 15 should see the company doing business.

With such an undertaking, considerable time was necessarily required to perfect the plans. There were many things that constantly came up, of which the public could not know, that continually delayed matters, and at times it seemed that the proposed plan had or was about to fall through. Those who have been instrumental in forming the company have however always held that the company would be a go.

From what can now be learned, it is believed that March 15, will see the new company in control of a large part of the quarries of Quincy.

Meetings of the Lyons Granite Co., the Blue Hill Granite Co., and the Quincy Quarry Co. have been held this week, and each have voted with but little opposition to transfer their stock to the new company.

Much of this stock has already passed into the hands of the new company and the balance will probably be transferred before the fifteenth. Just what the plan of the new company is, has not been made public as yet, but the promoters promise to give the public everything in due time.

Bridges Inspected.

Parties from Boston were in Quincy, Thursday looking at the Quincy Point bridge. Whether they were from the Legislature, or represented some bridge building company, is not known. There were three gentlemen in the party, and they took one of Bisson's carriages, first visiting the Quincy Point bridge, then the bridge between Weymouth and Hingham and lastly the bridge near the works of the Fore River Engine Co. Each of these bridges were looked over thoroughly and measured.

TODAY'S COURT.

Thomas Magill and Timothy Sullivan were fined $5 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

Thomas Smith was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. Case continued until Saturday.

The continued case of Joseph F. Simpson, for assault on Clarence E. Coffin at Quincy, was called, and he was fined $5, and given until next Tuesday to raise the money.

—Eighteen of his poor relations recently dropped in on a Georgia man and said that their visit would last all winter whereupon he went out and got drunk. The judge before whom he was hauled let him go on the ground that it was enough to drive a man to drink.

—The popularity of golf in England is proving a godsend to the farmers and landlords in the near vicinity of the larger towns. In many cases fabulous prices have been paid for club grounds.

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DIED.

PACKARD—In Quincy, March 8, Anna J. Packard, aged 43 years and 9 months. Funeral at Christ church, Saturday, Mar. 10, at 2 o'clock.

DENNIS—In Quincy, March 8, Mr. Austin G. Dennis, aged 30 years and 3 months.

EGAN—In East Milton, March 3, Mrs Annie wife of Mr. William Egan, aged 46 years, 7 months and 9 days.

PIERCE—In Dorchester, Mar. 8, Mrs. Carrie T., wife of Mr. Edward Pierce.

WATSON—In East Dedham, Mar. 6, Mrs. Mary Jane, wife of Mr. Alexander H. Watson, aged 71 years, 6 months and 20 days.

ORCUTT—In Hingham, Mar. 7, Mr. Hosea V. Orcutt, aged 78 years and 11 months.

COFFIN—In Newton, Mar. 7, Mrs. Catherine H. Coffin, widow of Langdon Coffin, aged 83 years and 7 months.

HATCH—In Boston, Mar. 7, Mary Quincy Hatch.

PUTNAM—In West Newton, March 7, Granville Bradstreet Putnam aged 64 years, 6 months and 8 days. Services at his late residence, Webster street, on Saturday, March 10 at 10.30 A. M. Train leaves sonth terminal at 10.02 A. M.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents.

QUINCY MARRIAGES OF 1899.

As a matter of reference, the marriages of 1899 in Quincy are given herewith. Former residents of the city would be pleased to receive a copy of the paper:

Jan.	2.	John G. Miller and Katherine P. Shuman both of Quincy.
	3.	Harry E. Winslow and Jennie C. Ellis both of Quincy.
	4.	Ernest A. Hicks of Brookline, Mass., and Mae A. Lincoln of Quincy.
	7.	Benjamin Bovin and Nellie Hartley both of Quincy.
	7.	Fenelle Seppala and Fanny Luato, both of Quincy.
	8.	James H. Harvey of Brockton, Mass., and Maria (Prosser) Chubbuck of Quincy.
	9.	William J. Houlihan of Quincy and Helena A. McCarthy of Middleboro, Mass.,
	10.	Frank Q. Fruth of Quincy and Scholastika Kummel of Somerville.
	11.	Thomas Newcombe and Emma (Hitchens) Andrew both of Quincy.
	12.	James M. Barnes and Gertrude A. Gould both of Quincy.
	14.	Jacob L. Jacobson and Alma Augusta Borg both of Quincy.
	18.	Frank P. McNally of Quincy and Annie E. Flemming of Boston.
	21.	William R. Lofgren and Augusta Petterson both of Quincy.
	26.	Robert T. Johnson and Edna L. Morton both of Quincy.
Feb.	1.	Daniel Long of Brockton and Margaret E. Horrigan of Quincy.
	1.	Samuel Tite and Nellie M. Kelly both of Quincy.
	6.	David J. Carney of Quincy and Hattie M. Thibodeau of Weymouth.
	11.	John J. N. Foley of Quincy and Catherine E. Crosse of Weymouth.
	13.	Godfrey J. Raymond of Quincy and Rosie Hubert of Fall River.
	14.	Henry F. Tilden and Abbie L. Curtis both of Quincy.
	16.	Wallace S. Reynolds and Evona M. Morse both of Randolph.
	17.	William F. Prescott and Anna M. Robinson both of Quincy.
	18.	Gustaf A. Gustafson and Hulde S. Swanson both of Quincy.
	21.	William H. Smith and Agnes Kennedy both of Quincy.
	21.	James Birnie and Margaret O'Neil both of Quincy.
	22.	Ernest M. Shay and Abbie M. Simmons both of Quincy.
	24.	Pehr A. Bergren and Amanda Hansson both of Quincy.
	26.	Edgar L. Prince and Florence M. Monroe both of Quincy.
Mar.	8.	Jacob Peterson and Alice M. McLean both of Quincy.
	13.	Charles J. Anderson of Cambridge and Emelia Granfors of Quincy.
	18.	Victor Johnson and Olga Anderson both of Quincy.
	18.	Jakob Niemi and Mary Maki both of Quincy.
	22.	Charles W. Purdy and Elizabeth A. McIntosh both of Quincy.
	22.	Millidge LeCain and Lottie M. Brown both of Quincy.
	26.	Mortimer A. Dill of Quincy and Maud L. Cummings of Boston.
April	3.	Robert J. Williams, Jr., and Margaret A. Minnihan both of Quincy.
	4.	John Kelly and Cora B. Holmes both of Quincy.
	4.	Alfred Luard and Grace E. Lord both of Quincy.
	5.	Timothy J. Connor of Quincy and Catherine E. Cushing of Weymouth.
	6.	John D. McKenzie and Bella Nicholson both of Quincy.
	11.	George A. Cahill and Annie M. Dunphey both of Quincy.
	15.	Carl F. Fredrickson and Margareta W. Bergman both of Quincy.
	18.	Albert D. Kingsley and Betsey Ward both of Quincy.
	19.	Charles S. Irving of Boston and Carrie E. Geer of Quincy.
	19.	Robert G. Burke of Quincy and Julia B. McDermott of Boston.
	26.	Daniel Collins and Catherine Donovan both of Quincy.
	26.	John F. Lordan of Malden, Mass., and Mary A. Creed of Quincy.
	26.	Elphege Messier of Manchester, N. H. and Nellie Trepanier of Quincy.
	26.	Charles D. Fostello and Mary F. Duan both of Quincy.
	26.	Charles C. Loug of Chelsea, Mass., and Jennie S. Howie of Quincy.
	27.	George W. Imlay and Hannah J. Hughes both of Quincy.
May	3.	Frederick W. Williams and Elizabeth C. Litchfield both of Quincy.
	6.	Johan A. Haapaniemi of Quincy and Maria S. Hietala of Fitchburg.
	11.	Patrick J. Fitzgerald and Josephine Geddes both of Quincy.
	11.	Patrick Flaherty of Quincy and Ellen Forde of Boston.
	13.	Andrew Johnson and Cecilia M. Christianson both of Quincy.
	23.	Ephraim P. Choiniere of Bristol, Conn., and Jennie Dufour of Quincy.
	25.	James W. Fletcher and Flora E. Roberson both of Quincy.
	31.	Andrew C. Woodward and Louise F. (Payne) Herren both of Quincy.
June	1.	William A. Thomson and Mary J. Dockendorff both of Quincy.
	5.	Herbert H. Newcomb and Helen A. Spearwater both of Quincy.
	7.	James W. McFadden and Balinda A. Kilawee both of Quincy.
	7.	Timothy F. Callahan of Quincy and Mary C. F. Murphy of Boston.
	7.	Charles N. Croke and Elizabeth F. Crabbe both of Quincy.
	7.	Henry L. Kincaide and Grace W. Pettengill both of Quincy.
	7.	James B. Geddes and Harriet L. Phelan both of Quincy.
	14.	William A. Bavin of Quincy and Ellen T. Quigley of Cambridgeport.
	14.	Herbert F. Tucker and Alice M. Jilbert both of Quincy.
	14.	Hugh A. Gillis and Annie Murcheson both of Quincy.
	14.	Benjamin F. Macomber of Quincy and Frances A. Magee of Boston.
	14.	George P. Berry of Quincy and Joanna L. Gallagher of Milton.
	14.	Martin Niland and Angeline Vahey both of Quincy.
	14.	Charles F. Twiss of North Tewksbury, Mass., and Fanny L. Coles of Quincy.
	14.	Thomas B. Blodgett of Fitzwilliam, N. H., and Elizabeth (Gale) Willard of Quincy.
	15.	Kaarlo Hanrulo and Anna L. Luama both of Quincy.
	15.	Otto Gelotte and Ida M. Petterson both of Quincy.
	19.	William G. Burns and Maria J. Barrett both of Quincy.
	21.	Joshua Brown, Jr., of Quincy and Catherine K. Hollinshead of Braintree.
	21.	William E. Costello of Boston and Margaret A. McNally of Quincy.
	27.	Jeremiah Muse and Mary E. (Aberboyne) Muse both of Quincy.
	27.	John G. Rutherford of Woburn and Mary J. Thompson of Quincy.
	28.	James S. Gallagher of Milton and Margaret A. Callahan of Quincy.
	28.	Daniel W. Dawson and Julia B. Campbell both of Quincy.
	28.	John J. Shaughnessy of Boston and Katherine F. Kerins of Quincy
	28.	Michael J. Doyle and Ellen A. Sullivan both of Quincy.
	28.	Joseph D. Griffin of Quincy and Hannah J. Cavanagh of Boston.
	28.	George A. McDonald and Catherine F. Kelly both of Quincy.
	29.	William W. Jenness and Ella A. Becker both of Quincy.

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MILTON.

There is considerable illness at East Milton this week, due largely to colds.

The Milton fire and police departments are now upon a permanent basis, from chief down, as the special act to have them included in the civil service list has become a law. No more politics in these departments.

The ladies of the East Milton Congregational church will hold a midwinter picnic at Ellsworth hall next Wednesday evening. The ladies attending are expected to wear summer dresses and bring a lunch for two. The usual picnic games and sports will be held.

The Belcher branch of the Milton Women's club meets with Mrs. Edwin Wheeler next Tuesday evening. The subject will be Scotch readings and music.

Mrs. Annie, wife of Mr. William Egan, died last Saturday of pneumonia, after a brief illness. Mr. Egan was also confined to the bed by illness at the time, but is now reported as a little better.

It was social night at the Thursday Evening club this week, and a musical programme was presented.

The Oakland club of Mattapan will visit the Thursday Evening club next week, and play a match game of whist.

March 21 will be ladies night at the Unquity club and a special committee has been appointed to arrange the programme.

Politics in Milton have been laid on the shelf for a few months.

A lecture on the Transvaal, illustrated with the stereopticon, was given at Associates' hall Wednesday evening. The subject for next Wednesday will be "Imperial India."

The pension of Charles C. Murdock was increased this week from $6 to $12.

Real Estate Sales.

James Needham to Charles H. Griffin, $175.

Louisa M. or W. Rogers to Gerald M. Fennell, $1.

Fannie C. Adams to Angelo Malnati, $1.

Richard J. Barry to Isabella R. Gay, $1.

Charles W. Eaton to Richard J. Barry, $1

Henry W. Hunt to Commonwealth of Massachusetts, $800.

Nicholas J. Halphine to D. B. Macomb, $1.

City of Quincy to Frank Hall, $15.

John F. Kimball to James Donnelly, $1.

Edward Norton to William H. Fay, $1.

Irving A. Minzy to John R. S. Ross, $1.

Kate M. Sherman to Hamilton Flood et al $1.

Jennie Miller to Mason P. Harvey, $1.

Charles A. Homes et al to Lillian McIntire $1.

Charles F. Howe to Edith Howe, $400.

Edith Howe to Franklin A. Howe, $200.

Edith Howe to Lucy R. Elliot, $200.

—At the Ursuline convent at Bologna lives a nun who joined the Ursuline sisterhood 80 years ago, when she was just 20 years of age. Since she took the veil she has never crossed the threshold of the convent nor held intercourse with the world outside its walls.

—The largest waves are seen off Cape Horn, rising to 46 feet in height and 765 feet long from crest to crest. Waves in the North Atlantic have been observed to rise 43 feet in height. In the German ocean their height does not exceed 13 1-2 feet, and in the Mediterranean 14 1-2 feet.

—Charity is not Christianity, but Christianity is charity.

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

AT THE THEATRE.

As the cue is given, a last look into the mirror testifies to a fairness not gained with paints and powders, but by the use of a soap free from harmful alkali, and made of clean vegetable oils. Such a soap is "Ivory"—it is 99 44/100 per cent. pure.

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HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

High school reunion this evening.

Theophilus King has returned from Ohio.

A commandery of the Knights of Malta is being organized.

A special meeting of the Board of Health was held Thursday night.

D. W. Reeves, the well known bandmaster, died at Providence, Thursday.

The Street department is removing a lot of trees in different parts of the city.

A new invoice of Morrill's tree ink has been received by Geo. W. Prescott & Son.

Ground was broken Wednesday north of Sagamore street for the new station at Atlantic.

The Managers of Public Burial Places met Thursday evening and transacted routine business.

Mrs. Bertha Whitcomb of Sharon is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. N. Fosdick of Billings street.

Someone entered the henyard of Mrs. Barker on Greenleaf street, Wednesday night and stole eight hens.

An experienced optician will examine your eyes free of charge at A. A. Linscotts jewelry store; see "ad."

Rev. F. T. Knight occupied his pulpit last Sunday for the first time since the last of last year, preaching morning and evening.

The Quincy Adams and West Quincy depots are busy places this week, for on nearly every outward train some stone cutter's tool box is loaded onto the cars.

Representative Sprague was in favor and Representative Sheppard opposed to the Colby amendment to the Cape Cod canal bill in the Legislature on Wednesday. It was rejected.

Notice will be found in this issue, of the next lecture in the Teachers' Association Course. This lecture by Prof. Fay, of Tuft's College is a popular one; the views are especially fine.

Mrs. Joseph Sprague, whose death at Wollaston is reported, was for about fifteen years the popular propietor of the Centre House at Nantasket, relinquishing the position about 1894. She is remembered as "Auntie Sprague."

The annual prize speaking contest of the Quincy High school will take place April 27. Thirteen have entered and are being trained by Miss Addie Chase Smith of Springfield. All essays and translations should be handed in before March 26.

—A great many things that are now used for food were once considered poisonous. Lemons were considered poisonous by the Romans, who used them to scatter among their clothes and keep away moths. It was a bold man who first dared to eat a tomato or cook an egg-plant.

—If miik is kept in a large, shallow basin it will remain sweet for a longer time than if kept in a deep jug.

—To increase in weight no one need abstain from exercise, but nutritious food should be eaten. It is not a question of amount, but kind.

—Moisture is the great enemy of the piano, and it cannot be too carefully guarded.

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TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, steres, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

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Quincy, April 25. tf

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Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address L. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314. Feb. 28. tf

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EIGHTEEN Maine State Jersey grade cows, all carefully selected for us a little more than a year ago. Rare opportunity for people looking for nice family cows.
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Wagons For Sale.

ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
ABIGAIL N. CHAMBERLIN,
late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.
Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John Chamberlin of Quincy, without giving a surety on his bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.
Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of March, A. D., 1900. JONATHAN COBB, Register.
March 9-3t 9-16-19

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EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon 1 6:25 a. m.
First Quarter 8 0:34 a. m.
Full Moon 16 3:12 a. m.
Third Quarter 24 0:34 a. m.
New Moon 30 2:30 p. m.

Severe Criticism.

"Would you believe it, professor, that a few weeks ago I sang that same song that Nelly is singing now on the summit of Mont Blanc?"

"Ah, madam, it's unfortunate that all young ladies when they intend to sing are not so considerate as you are!"—Der Flob.

THE DRESSY WOMAN.

French milliners will continue to use bright combinations on spring hats.

Now come tucked and machine stitched spring and summer hats in straw, velvet and tulle.

Lace waists in delicate, lovely designs will be among the prominent features of fashion among evening toilets for the summer.

Deft French gathers, perpendicular tucks and underfolded side plaitings appear at the back of some of the latest Paris made dress skirts.

From Lyons looms this season come double width silks both plain and bordered to be used for the new kilted and box plaited skirts and circular overdresses.

Fan shaped side plaitings of silk or wool or a mixture of the two fabrics arranged in clusters of five, next to a single box plait, around the entire skirt from the belt down give the demitrain a very pretty flare.

Russian and Venetian guipure laces in heavy applique patterns, wrought on delicate net meshes, are much used by French tailors and modistes for trimming handsome cloth gowns in the soft pastel tints.

The new spring jackets for youthful wearers are very simple—some double breasted with turn down collar and handsome buttons, others single breasted with strapped revers. The extra deep front gives a remarkably graceful curve to the figure.

Tailor costumes with some added decoration are to be seen among the new spring fashions, but for those who make one or two stylish gowns for an entire season the plainer skirt and jacket, made by a first class tailor or modiste, is decidedly the wisest choice.

Recamier folds, draped berthas, narrow venise lace yoke pieces at the tops of decollete bodices, accordion plaited fronts of diaphanous textiles, Greek draperies brought from the right shoulder to the waist and terminating in long scarf ends and fichus of lace or chiffon are in the highest favor for elegant evening toilets.—New York Post.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

"Poor Timmie! Foive years in Sing Sing! I do feel sorry for him."

"Bedad, an' ye shympthy's trowed away—He's surrounded by friends."—Harlem Life.

A RIGHT OF DEFENSE.

Great Britain Likely to Accept an Amendment to the Canal Treaty.

Robbins of Alabama Ousted From Seat In the House.

Foraker Argues For Puerto Rican Measure and Pettus Declares Against It.

Washington, March 9.—There seems to be no doubt that the Hay-Pauncefote treaty will be amended by the senate foreign relations committee to provide that it shall be under American control. This fact is acknowledged by some of the committee members. The amendment will probably be accepted by the senate and in that form the treaty will be ratified. The amendment will take the form of that provision of the Suez canal convention which relates to its control and defense, and it is remarked as very peculiar that in arranging the Hay-Pauncefote treaty no notice was taken of this provision. Under the Suez convention Turkey had defense rights over the canal, which have descended to Great Britain because of the assumption of the rule of Egypt by the British government. These rights were stated in article 10 of the Suez treaty; similarly the provisions of articles 4, 5, 7 and 8 shall not interfere with the measures which the sultan and the khedive in the name of the sultan, and within the limits of the firmans granted, might find it necessary to take for securing by their own forces the defense of Egypt and the maintenance of public order.

In case the sultan or the khedive should find it necessary to avail themselves of the exceptions for which this article provides, the signatory powers of the declaration of London shall be notified thereof by the imperial Ottoman government. It is likewise understood that the provisions of the four articles aforesaid shall in no case occasion any obstacle to the measures which the imperial Ottoman government may think it necessary to take in order to insure by its own forces the defense of its possessions situated on the eastern coast of the Red sea.

When the treaty has been amended by the senate it will be presented to the secretary of state for his signature and then to the British ambassador. It is believed that Great Britain will not object to the amendment and the difficulty will be soon adjusted. Indeed, it is rumored that the change of front by Senator Davis, who was disposed to pigeonhole the treaty, was due to a realization that the president and the British ambassador would consent to the change.

The house yesterday unseated Gaston A. Robbins, a Democrat from the Fourth Alabama district, and seated in his stead William P. Aldrich, a Republican, who has been three times a contestant from the same district, on the ground of fraud, and who is now given his seat for the third time by a Republican house. The vote was a strict party one.

This case out of the way, a new rule was brought in to set aside the day sessions on the second and fourth Fridays of each month for pension legislation. The rule limited debate on each bill to 10 minutes on a side, but this provision was withdrawn upon the assurance of Mr. Richardson, the minority leader, that his side of the house would not indulge in filibustering. During the debate on the rule there was quite a lively row between Mr. Mahon of Pennsylvania and Mr. Talbert of South Carolina.

Before adjourning the house took up the contested election case of Wise vs. Young from the Second Virginia district. Mr. Weeks giving notice that he would ask for a vote on it at 2 o'clock on Monday.

Formal discussion of the Puerto Rican tariff and civil government began in the senate, and continued uninterruptedly for 4½ hours. The principal speakers were Mr. Foraker (Rep., O.), in charge of the measure, and Mr. Pettus (Dem., Ala.), but at various times during the debate lively colloquies occurred, in which other senators were participants.

After Mr. Mason (Ills.) had entered his motion to discharge the committee on foreign relations from further consideration of his resolution, expressing sympathy for the Boers, and it had gone over until today, under the rules, Mr. Pettus delivered a carefully prepared speech in opposition to the pending bill. He argued that it was unconstitutional.

Mr. Foraker occupied the floor during the remainder of the session. He explained the measure in detail, and gave the reasons why the committee had determined upon the levying of a tariff upon Puerto Rican products.

Committees Illegally Appointed.

Albany, March 9.—A decision in the senate practically declares the Mazet committee and all other investigating committees appointed by either house, without consent of the other, at public expense, to have been illegally appointed. The point was raised that an investigating committee could only be appointed by concurrent resolution.

Wanted More Hours' Work.

Halifax, March 9.—Two hundred carpenters struck work yesterday on the steamer Monterey, being fitted up for the transport of Strathcona's horse to South Africa. They complain that imported workmen get more hours work per day. The management of the Elder-Dempster line professes to be able to fill the strikers' places at once.

Leadville's Big Fire.

Leadville, S. D., March 9.—The loss on 40 buildings, destroyed by fire yesterday, is estimated at $500,000. Most of the business blocks burned were wooden, and they will be replaced immediately by stone and brick structures, including a three-story hotel.

THE CIRCUIT REDUCED.

National League For 1900 Will Consist of Eight Clubs—Washington Bought Outright.

New York, March 9.—The circuit committee of the National Baseball league got together last night and called before it the clubs whose franchises it desires to get possession of in order that an eight-club circuit may be organized. The committee would not disclose the result of the negotiations. The meeting adjourned at 11:30 o'clock. President Young made the announcement that a verbal agreement for an eight-club circuit for the season of 1900 had been reached unanimously. The written agreement and details will be formally executed today.

All the clubs dropped have the right under the agreement to reserve their players, except Washington, which has been purchased outright by the league. Washington's players will be distributed among the eight clubs. The Brooklyn-Baltimore combination controls the Baltimore players.

Andrew Freedman is on record as saying that if an eight-club circuit were formed he would spend any sum of money to make New York a winning team. His friends say he fully intends to do this and they predict that the New York team will be up near the top this season.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 9.—The sessions in both branches of the legislature were dull yesterday, but few important measures being considered. The house killed the bill forbidding savings banks to invest in national bank stocks. The bill was a result of a loss by savings banks of $300,000 through the failure of the Globe bank of this city. Only a weak fight was made in favor of the bill.

The sensation of the day came at the close of the investigation of the metropolitan water board, when Representative Walsh, one of the prosecuting counsel, at the instigation of the investigation, withdrew as counsel for various clients who have suits against the state for damages, it being intimated that he had become interested in the investigation through selfish motives.

Work of a Firebug.

Boston, March 9.—For a third time this week, the large haysheds of the Boston and Maine railroad, on Rutherford avenue, and rented by them to various firms, were visited by fire Thursday, when a shed, in which were stored 35 carloads of baled hay, was almost completely burned, together with four loaded freight cars and a building occupied by E. A. Gillette and Sons, carriage manufacturers. The losses will aggregate $25,000. Nicholas J. Canfield, 18 years old, was arrested on suspicion of having caused yesterday's fire. He was taken to the fire marshal's office where he confessed. He said he did it because it would give him work loading up teams with burnt hay.

Highwaymen Were Baffled.

Brattleboro, Vt., March 9.—Joseph Houghton, aged 70, visited Guilford yesterday and was returning home late in the afternoon when he met three men, who ordered him to throw up his hands. He immediately urged his horse forward. At the same instant one of the men fired a revolver, the bullet passing through Houghton's neck. Although bleeding profusely, he drove to Brattleboro and was attended by physicians. Houghton's condition is serious, but it is believed he will recover.

Alarmed Block Island Folk.

Providence, March 9.—During the entire forenoon Thursday the sea at Block Island flowed a two thirds full tide, occupying from five to seven minutes in its ebb, and its reflux was of the same duration, the flow and ebb occupying about 14 minutes, when, according to all known regulations of tides, they ebb and flow twice in 24 hours. Some of the people on the island were afraid that something unusual was going to happen, and there was quite a little excitement for a time.

Defender of "Oleo" Criticised.

Washington, March 9.—Considerable indignation was expressed at the meeting of the national pure food and drug congress over a paper read by Colonel John F. Hobbs of New York, the result of which was the expunging of Colonel Hobbs' paper from the official records of the organization. Colonel Hobbs defended the sale of certain substitutes for butter, declaring them to be much purer than the direct products of the country.

Charged With Poisoning Husband.

Columbia, S. C., March 9.—Mrs. Belle Graddick, a handsome young woman, is in jail here, charged with poisoning her husband, J. W. Graddick, a baker, who died Feb. 10. The widow and Eldredge Dawkins, who had been paying attention to her, were arrested, but subsequently released. An analysis of Graddick's stomach is said to have showed that it contained arsenic. Mrs. Graddick was thereupon rearrested.

Workmen In a Riot.

Chicago, March 9.—Labor troubles culminated in a riot at Thirty-sixth and Wallace streets last evening. One man was shot and probably fatally wounded, and six others were injured, one of them severely. Strikers to the number of 40 made an attack upon the workmen, who defended themselves vigorously. William Watts, who probably fatally shot William Schindler, was placed under arrest.

Suits May Be Headed Off.

Pittsburg, March 9.—An apparently important conference was held between the defendants and plaintiffs in the equity suits against the Carnegie Steel company and the Frick Coke company. To outsiders it looked as though the long talked of compromise was being arranged, but this could not be confirmed.

Beyond Recovery.

New Haven, March 9.—Hon. E. J. Phelps is very weak and is gradually, though not rapidly, failing. The immediate members of his family are at his bedside, and apparently his death is only a matter of a day or two. The physicians hold out no hope whatever for recovery.

BRITONS' PATRIOTISM

Finds Full Vent on the Occasion of the Queen's Visit to London.

Impressive Spectacle In the Streets of the Metropolis.

Aged Sovereign Moved to Tears of Joy at the Demonstration of Affection.

London, March 9.—The Daily News makes the following editorial announcement: It was rumored in London yesterday—and we have reason for believing the rumor to be correct—that the two republics have made informal and unofficial overtures of peace. Unfortunately the conditions suggested were of such a character as to preclude the possibility of leading to any result. Terms which might have been gladly accepted before the war, in order to avert it, are impossible after the war, with all the sacrifices it has entailed.

QUEEN VICTORIA.

In many ways these demonstrations outdid those of the diamond jubilee, although there were only a dozen life guards, followed by a little old lady in the plainest black costume, who had come for a few days' stay at Buckingham palace, as she had done many times before.

Yet her hold upon the hearts of her people was probably never more strikingly manifested. The depth of feeling which these demonstrations represented could only be gauged by those who mingled with the crowd. Mothers in deep mourning for sons killed on the far-off veldt struggled bravely with the most hilarious to catch a glimpse of the queen, whose womanly sympathy and thoughtfulness for the soldiers had touched their hearts. Often the long, cold vigils were rendered futile by tears that dimmed the eyes and blurred the vision as the royal carriage passed.

Thousands braved the raw east wind and stood for hours waiting patiently, who have often seen the queen, and who, in ordinary circumstances, would scarcely budge to watch her pass. In short it was not so much a desire to see the monarch, as it was an overwhelming need of an outlet for jubilation over the war, and a natural inclination to let the queen see and share the gladness of her people, that prompted London spontaneously to make the day one of the most memorable celebrations of Victoria's reign.

The semi-official duties undertaken by the queen during the day would have tried the resources of many a woman far under 81 years of age. Starting early from Windsor by train she reached the metropolis shortly after noon. Until she reached Buckingham palace there was never a moment of quiet. Cheers spread along her route. Previous to her arrival Lord Roberts, General Buller and other heroes of the war had monopolized the lung power of the waiting crowds; and such crowds were never seen in London even on jubilee day. Whenever a soldier or a sailor appeared he was almost mobbed.

The scene in the quadrangle of the palace, after the queen's arrival, when lords and commoners joined in singing the national anthem, was unprecedented and will probably never be repeated during the present reign. Viscount Cross and Mr. Chamberlain acted as spokesmen and graciously greeted the royal visitor; but it was to Lady Buller that the queen quickly turned with a grateful smile. Then in the presence of the legislators of the United Kingdom, drawing the wife of the reliever of Ladysmith closer to her, she whispered words of thanks.

After scarcely three hours of rest her majesty made a tour of the city proper, amid the greatest enthusiasm. It is impossible to estimate the extent of the crowds through which she passed before returning to Buckingham palace, but the numbers were well up in the hundreds of thousands.

The crowd outside Buckingham palace had increased shortly before midnight to 300,000 people, all singing patriotic songs. Finally the Prince of Wales and Duke of York came upon the balcony and vociferous cheering followed. A few minutes later they disappeared; and then the queen herself, accompanied by several ladies, made her appearance. This was the signal for the national anthem—a perfect roar of song—and for never to be forgotten cheers. Then the blinds of the palace were drawn, but thousands remained to sing and cheer.

It is now said that her majesty will extend the visit to Ireland to three weeks, and will take the opportunity of her presence there to announce her consent to the formation of a regiment of Irish guards. It is also expected that she will hold a drawing room at Dublin castle, or, at least, open it in person. This would be the most magnificent and brilliant state ceremonial ever held in Ireland's metropolis.

Famous Racer Sold For Nearly $200,000.

London, March 9.—At the sale of the late Duke of Westminster's string of race horses, which took place yesterday at Kingsclere, Flying Fox was bought by Edmond Blanc for $196,900. Blanc is the son of the founder of Monte Carlo.

SHE SCARED THEM.

But Really They Were Quite Needlessly Alarmed.

When she entered the restaurant and passed down the aisle, every head turned to watch her. It was after 1 o'clock, but the tables were well filled yet, and, ignoring the seat to which the head waiter directed her, she deliberately chose an isolated one at the far end of the room.

It was not the swell tailor made suit she wore nor the striking style about her whole appearance that attracted attention, but the anxious, worn look on her face and her evident desire to be far from the madding crowd.

She gave her order listlessly—a sardine sandwich and a dish of ice cream—then sat with one cheek leaning on her hand and gazing fixedly at the glass of water beside her.

The young man at the nearest table was interested, and his Boston fry grew cold as he watched the changing expressions on her face. Once or twice she moved restlessly, as if half inclined to leave the place, then relapsed into abstraction again, her face white and drawn.

Suddenly she raised her head and cast a furtive glance about as if to assure herself that she was unobserved. The Boston fry received attention at once, but before a single oyster had found a resting place a movement on the part of the tailor made girl startled every one.

She had drawn a small vial from an inner pocket and with hands that trembled poured half its contents into the glass of water. The waiter was fast approaching, and the sardines and ice cream fell with a crash to the floor as he made a dash forward. But with a hunted, desperate look in her eyes she hastily swallowed the contents of the glass before he could reach her.

The young man gasped and rose, with visions of green blue faces and convulsive struggles in his mind's eye. A benevolent old man near the door started for the nearest policeman, and the waiter snatched the emptied glass from her with a horrified cry and raised it to his nostrils.

"Carbolic acid?" exclaimed the young man. But the waiter smiled a sickly, ghastly smile as he bent over the debris of mingled ice cream and sardines.

"Nope," he whispered sadly; "peppermint."—Chicago Tribune.

He Had Feared the Worst.

"Are you able to stand a terrible shock?" asked the rich broker's gardener as he rushed into the former's private office.

"Heavens! What is it? Speak, man! Don't keep me in suspense! I can stand anything better than your terrible silence!"

"Your—your wife eloped this afternoon with your automobile driver."

"Oh! By George, you had me scared for a few seconds. I thought something might have happened to that new orchid of mine."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Intelligent Conduct.

Judge—Don't you know what your duty is in case of accident?

Motorman—Yes, your honor. I got off the car and proved by everybody standing around that I wasn't to blame.

The Rigid Censorship.

"Chawley Chumpleigh of the'Steenth Shraphires is letting his bang grow."

"Yaas. And the censor is looking for him, don't you know?"

"What for?"

"Says the report of every bang must pass undah his blue pencil."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"East" In St. Louis Means Chicago.

"You middle western people get your spirit of push from the far west, I suppose."

"No. We get it by going east and seeing how slow and poky things are there."—Indianapolis Journal.

One Method.

Manager—The villain doesn't seem up to the mark tonight.

Press Agent—Tell him that the box office will not pay salaries till a week from Saturday.—Syracuse Herald.

Unlike the Feminine Reader.

"Mr. Flambeaux, have you any special methods in writing your novels?"

"Yes; I generally try to begin at the beginning and wind up at the end."—Indianapolis Journal.

Gamy.

Mr. Tenderfoot—This bear meat seems very highly spiced.

Cactus Charley—It ought to be, pardner. That's a cinnamon bear steak.—Baltimore American.

The Important Question.

"Say, do you know Henderson is a fellow worth knowing?"

"That so? How much is he worth?"—Philadelphia North American.

Besides, They Never Spoke of Him.

"Why is it you never mention your ancestors?"

"Because I believe in letting bygones be bygones."—Chicago Times-Herald.

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Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Neponset and Squantum.

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Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.55, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M., 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Dobie's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
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r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 45 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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And things can never go badly wrong,
If the heart be true, and the love be strong
For the mist, if it comes, and the weeping rain
Will be changed by the love into sunshine again,

—George MacDonald.

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Mrs. Wilson Marsh of Quincy was in charge of the literary part of the Unity club's programme on Friday evening. There was the usual large attendance. The study of Switzerland was continued. Mr. W. G. Corthell read a paper on "the Burgundian Wars"; the Rev. Ellery C. Butler on "Zwingli and Calvin"; and Arthur Hall on "Mountain Climbing." The music consisted of an overture by Mendelssolm for four hands,—Mrs. Alma Faunce Smith and Mrs. Albert R. Moulton; also songs by Schnecker and Meyer—Helmund by Miss Mary Virginia Hastings.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Worth, who have been the guests of Mrs. John H. Wales, have returned to their home at Nantucket.

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At the home of Mrs. George Saville on Tuesday next will be given the first of Miss Thompson's second series of afternoon talks. The subjects of this course beginning with "Dublin, There and Thereabout" and including the "Beckey Sharp" edition of "Vanity Fair" promises to be of especial interest. Other hostesses for this course are Mrs. Joseph C. Morse, Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick, Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard and Mrs. George W. Morton.

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Thomas E. Grover of Canton will deliver two addresses on Memorial Day—at Bridgewater and Avon.

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Miss Eva B. Reed has returned to Atlantic, after an extended visit in East Braintree.

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The large audience of about 400 people that listened to the concert by the Tufts College Glee and Mandolin club last evening under the auspices of Thayer Academy A. A. were very much pleased with the entertainment.

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Ex-Representative David Neal of Dedham is out again after his illness.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Nevin and Mrs. Bates of South Weymouth are in the South for the remainder of the winter.

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There were more dresses made in Braintree in the last two weeks than ever before in the history of the good old town, in that space of time.

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The great society event this spring will be the Pi Eta show at Music hall given under the auspices of the Quincy Yacht club. It will be a two-act musical comedietta "The Campaigners." The book is by B. Taylor '01, and the music by F. C. Gulick '00 and J. S. Chipman, '01. The cast of the play is much larger than last year, and there is a decided improvement in the scenic effects and in situations.

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Mrs. Edwin Jones of Liberty street is visiting friends in Lowell for a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. John W. West entertained the Jonas Perkins school asssociation at their pleasant home East Braintree on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Loring read an excellent paper on Child Life and its Possibilities and Mrs. Crocker read a very interesting account of the Sanitary Fair of the Great Northwest under the direction of Mrs. Mary A. Livermore. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. J. F. Perry on March 20.

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Benjamin J. Weeks, who has been confined to his home for a few days by illness, was out for a little while Friday.

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Cards are out for a whist to be given Thursday afternoon, March fifteenth, by Mrs. W. E. Morrison, at her home on Middle street, Braintree.

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The many friends of Miss Nettie M. Phelps tendered her a surprise party at her home, Prospect avenue, Wollaston, March third. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and music after which a collation was served. Four of the party formed a quartette and favored them with a few selections. During the evening Miss Phelps was presented with a silk umbrella. Among those present were: Misses Mattie Weber of Roxbury, Ethel Haven, Lulu Phelan, Clara Lingley, Bessie Whittemore, Annie Pinkham, Olive Shuman, Messrs. Fred Bosworth of Everett, Edward Wales, Alfred Nelson, Frank Curtin, Henry McLean, William Field, Preston McDonald, Ernest Armstrong, Tyler Brigham.

Founder's day will be observed at Woodward Institute on Monday evening. The entertainment will consist of music and gymnastic exercises, together with a game of basket-ball, between two of the Woodward teams. Owing to the fact that a large portion of the floor will be needed for the exercises only a limited number of tickets will be issued, as usual, graduates of the school are cordially welcome.

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The Literary club of Braintree met Monday evening March 4th, with Mrs. W. E. Morrison, Two very fine papers upon the "Growth of Libraries" were given by Mrs Morrison. and Mr. Morris and Mrs. Gallagher contributed a very interesting chapter of the Original Work. The club will meet March 19, with Mr. and Mrs. Morris.

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Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson left on Thursday, for a visit to the principal Florida resorts.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Hearn entertained a few friends at whist Tuesday evening. Souvenirs for the best scores were awarded Horace F. Spear and Mrs. Frank S. Patch. A dainty lunch was served.

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Mrs. S. W. Thorndike and Mrs. Franklin Shaw have been travelling in Spain the past three weeks, visiting all the principal cities. They write of the very enjoyable time they have had, one round of pleasure, and of their delight with the country.

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A large number of the Appalachian club arrived in Quincy on the 1.50 train this noon. They were met by W. G. Spear of the Quincy Historical Society, who will show them some of the points of interest in Quincy.

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In the class of 1864 graduated from the Quincy High school in 1864 by the late Granville B. Putnam were: Helen (Churchill) Emery, Emma Duggan, Emma (French) Burrell, Emma Glover, Sarah Glover, John Mundy, P. J. O'Neil, Helen Porter, Mary E. (Sargent) Simpson, Eliza C. Sheahan, Sarah A. (Souther) Mead and Josephine Wright.

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Ex-Mayor Keith, who has been ill for several weeks, is about again.

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Mr. H. Parker Hobart, son of Mr. C. Harrison Hobart, and Miss Ethel M. Gage, daughter of Mr. R. Allen Gage, were united in marriage, Wednesday evening, March seventh, by the Rev. A. A. Ellsworth at Braintree. Escorted by the "Bronco club" with jingling bells and red lights, they left for a ten days' trip to New York and Washington. They will reside at the home of the groom's parents on Washington street, South Braintree. No cards.

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The Massasoit Whist Club will be entertained by Thurlow Torrey at his home on Pond street, Braintree, this evening.

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Friday afternoon, March 16, Mrs. Hayward of Coddington street, entertains the Friday club. Mrs. John F. Welch has charge of the meeting and has arranged for papers on: Charles II, and the dramatists, Dryden, Otway, Wycherly, Etheridge, Congreve and Mrs. Aphra Behn.

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Mrs. Blanche G. Whittier of Hyde Park and C. H. Hollowell, M. D., of Walpole, were married March seventh at Hyde Park, the Rev. C. C. Tilley officiating.

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The Quincy Teachers' Association has been quite successful in raising funds for the Parker anniversary having obtained about half the sum necessary.

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The members of the Ivaloo Club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Elbridge F. Porter at her home on Franklin street, Braintree.

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Mrs. George Morris of Quincy is enjoying a trip with her friends in Maine.

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Mrs. Francis Ambler of Weymouth has been detained in quarantine at Honolulu because of the bubonic plague, but is so on to visit the other Hawaiian islands.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Willis and children of Worcester have been the guests of Mrs. Willis parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Thayer on Crescent avenue Braintree this week.

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Mrs. Ella C. Richards and Mrs. Roe Harkins have returned from the congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution at Washington.

City Book Ahead of Time.

A cowardly attempt is being made by a rival printer to impress the public with the fact that the annual City Books are late this year.

The facts are that the book, which is being printed at the office of Geo. W. Prescott & Son, was never further advanced at this date, and will be out ahead of the usual time. If necessity required, it could be completed in a week or it could have been completed March 1, as far as the printing was concerned. But there is need of no such rush, and the contract does not call for it. We have heard of no one who is really anxious to read the book.

Some of the reports have not yet reached the printers, but the end is in sight, and the book will be the best printed City Book ever issued in Quincy—heavy white paper, good press work, neat typographical appearance, uniform in style, and remarkably free from errors. All the work has been done in regular working hours, and largely by the regular office force, in addition to the publication of a daily paper, two weeklies, two monthlies, and over twice as many orders for job printing as during the same period of 1899. Good work, as you want it, and when you want it, is the motto of Geo. W. Prescott & Son.

Cold in the South.

The editor of the Patriot who returned last evening from a weeks visit at New Orleans, says it was very warm and pleasant there last Sunday. It was not uncomfortable setting by an open window reading the news from home. Many of the people were on the piazzas, or on the front doorsteps enjoying the balmy breezes. It was the finest day seen during the week he stopped in the city. Peach trees were in bloom and also large beds of pansies and other small flowering plants. Still at no time were thick underflannels uncomfortable. On the Monday following a thick overcoat was needed as much as in Quincy at most any time during the past winter. The people there have not been troubled with snow this winter, but last year there was quite a heavy fall, and the cold weather kills the orange trees and many tender plants. There was good sleighing yesterday in all the states he passed through from St. Louis, Missouri, to Massachusetts.

Vespers at Wollaston.

The musical programme at the Wollaston Unitarian church at 4 o'clock Sunday will be by a male quartette including: Jewell Boyd of Harvard quartette, first tenor; Prof. J. H. Mahan, second tenor; Mr. E. Walter Arnold, baritone; Mr. J. E. Davison, basso; assisted by Miss Thomas, violinist.

Tenor solo and quartette, "Father Hear Thy Children," Barnby.

Violin solo, "Elegie," Ernst.

Quartette, "All Glory Laud and Honor," Schuman.

Bass solo and quartette, "Jehovah, Great Jehovah Guide Us." Mozart.

Tenor solo with violin obligato, "My Soul is Athirst for God," from The Holy City, Gau.

Violin solo, air from Suite, Bach.

At Harvard Today.

The ninth annual meeting of the Harvard Teachers' Association takes place today in Sander's theatre, Harvard university. The meeting is open to the public, and the teachers of Thayer academy, and some from our public schools are in attendance. Dr. William Gallagher is the president of the association and Prof Otis B. Oakman is treasurer.

The Harvard Teachers' Association was founded in 1891. It is composed of officers and graduates of Harvard University and of Radcliffe College, and of persons who have been officers or students of the University, either in term time or in Summer School, and who are now teachers or intend to be teachers. Its object is to promote educational progress through the free interchange of thought among the teachers whom the University has sent forth.

Foot Jammed.

George Loud of East Milton, employed as a teamster, met with a painful accident at West Quincy, Friday afternoon. He was at work unloading stone at Bizzozero's sheds, when he got his right foot jammed between two blocks of granite. His foot was quite badly crushed, and several bones were broken. Dr. Dion attended the man and dressed his injury.

The gentlemen of the Universalist church at Canton had a banquet on Wednesday evening which was largely attended, but we doubt if it was a greater success than that of the Quincy church.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

STRIKE NEARLY OVER.

Such the Claim of a Boston Daily Paper.

No Evidence of It, However, in Quincy.

Reported Settlements Contradicted by Manufacturers.

In the absence of any news locally in the granite strike, the following from the Herald may prove interesting:

"Since the ordering of the granite cutters' strike, on March 1, for an eight-hour day and a minimum wage of $3 a day, fully 250 of the men who struck, have returned to work.

While the men in every instance have not obtained the minimum rate of $3 a day, they have secured the eight hours, and have also obtained a substantial advance in wages in every case. Most of the settlements have been upon the basis of 35 cents an hour as a minimum.

"The 1500 granite cutters in Barre Vt., were the first to settle and return to work. In this place the men accepted the minimum rate of 35 cents an hour.

"According to Secretary Duncan of the Granite Cutters' National Union, settlements have been reached in the following places: Morrisville, South Ryegate, Montpelier, East Barre, Northfield, Williamstown and East Montpelier, Vt., Groton and Roxbury, N. H., Hurricane Island and Waldoboro, Me. A number of manufacturers in Milford, Mass., have settled. Five granite cutters from the Milford quarry of Norcross Bros., waited upon Orlando W. Norcross at Worcester yesterday morning. The cutters were disposed to accept 35 cents an hour, instead of $3 per eight-hour day, but would sign no agreement except by national executive approval. Another conference will be held in ten days.

"Conferences have been held in other places, but no settlement has been reached, as the manufactures insist that 35 cents an hour shall be the average wage, and the strikers that it shall be the minimum rate.

"However, the officials of the national union believe that the end is in sight, as over one-half the men who struck have returned to work.

"The officials of the union thought on March 1, that at least 3500 would have to be carried on the strike roll for three months. There are today between 1150 and 1200 cutters drawing strike benefits. The men now out, it is claimed, can be supported in opposition to the manufacturers indefinitely.

"The active members of the New England Granite Manufacturers' Association take many exceptions to the statements made by union cutters. They claim that no such number of men have returned to work as is stated; that men who have been reported as settling have not done so, and that the contest is going much more to their liking than would appear from the reports purporting to be given out by Secretary Duncan. It is also claimed by several manufacturers that none of the compromise settlements will be valid should the manufacturers' association refuse at its meeting next Tuesday to ratify them."

At Milford, N. H.

The Granite Manufacturers' Association of Quincy has received word from Milford, N. H., that there has been no settlement there as reported. There has been an agreement, however, whereby the cutters will continue work the old basis until April 1, when work will be continued under whatever bill may be adopted in Barre.

At Concord, N. H.

A morning paper reports that the manufacturers at Concord, N. H., have made a proposition to the Cutters' Union to settle for a minimum of 34 cents per hour, for an eight hour day. The cutters meet today to consider the proposition.

—Russia is putting the screws on students. In future all students who create or instigate disorder, whether in the university or out, will be sent into the army to serve from one to three years. The regulation applies also to those who persistently refuse to continue their studies. Another regulation orders the removal from the lists of all married students, as improvident marriages are a cause of pauperism.

—Wildey lodge of Odd Fellows of South Weymouth observed their 25th anniversary last evening.

OUR HOME COMMANDER.

With laudations elate you may prate of the great
Of mankind that were born to command,
Sing your lustiest chant to Napoleon and Grant,
To Lee and our Washington grand.
But your loudest acclaim will be tame when the same
Is compared with the name on the leaf
Of our history's page that presents to the age
Our little commander in chief.

He's a midget of men that has ne'er wielded pen
Or a sword in fierce battle's array,
And though martial affairs are no part of his cares,
Yet a conquest is his every day,
For no foe to his whim braves a contest with him,
But the struggle's decisive and brief,
For there's none in the list can the power resist
Of our little commander in chief.

You may call him a tyrant and try to decry
Our submission to rule such as his,
But there's that in his eyes that resistance defies,
Be it craft or whatever it is.
And e'en when in sleep he seems deep, and we creep
From his thralldom for needed relief;
If he move but his thumb, we do dumbly succumb
To our little commander in chief.

Ah, would that the might of all rulers were quite
Of the sort I have pictured above,
Where the victor were he that was destined to be
So crowned through concession of love,
And would to each home might the influence come—
We muse of all others with grief—
That would cause to espouse the pure motive that bows
To a little commander in chief.

—Boston Courier.

THE SLEEPING CAR ROBBERIES OF '83 AND '84.

A Detective Yarn
By J. P. Barnitz.

We had returned from the dining car to the smoking compartment of our sleeper. There were five of us, all bound for Pacific coast points, and, having occupied the same car since leaving St. Paul, we had become pretty well acquainted with each other.

There was but one other passenger in the car, an elderly, taciturn man, who, although exceedingly polite and gentlemanly in his deportment, rarely joined in the conversation when we all gathered in the smoking room.

"Porter," one of us asked when the darky brought some cigars we had ordered, "can you tell us the name of the gentleman in section 10?"

"Yes, sah; his name is Mr. Shortwell. He trabels a heap, he does, on dis yeah line. He's de company's chief of detectives an de only one of 'em we knows by sight. He's a-goin eb'ry place an no place all de time. But he's de whitest man on tips I'ze eber seen—'deed an 'deed he is, sah!" he replied insinuatingly.

We were passing through the great wheat district of North Dakota. The immense expanse of ripe grain glistening in the slanting rays of the fast sinking sun seemed a vast golden sea stretching away to the northern horizon. In the southwest a heavy thunderstorm was raging, the lightning vivid and grand. The thunder rolled across the plains like the distant rattle of musketry, and the sun, dipping behind the bank of black clouds, left a lurid glare athwart the sky.

"Gentlemen, have you ever seen a finer sight than that?" remarked Mr. Shortwell as he came into the compartment and took a seat by the window. "I've seen such storms frequently in this section," he continued, "and each time I imagine I'm looking at battling armies, the victorious forces sweeping on, leaving fire and destruction in their wake. The forces of nature are truly marvelous, are they not?"

From the subject of storms the conversation drifted to personal experiences of a more or less remarkable nature, and we noticed Mr. Shortwell brightening up and listening intently to the accounts of our various adventures.

Just as Fred Hardy, a traveling salesman for a New York jewelry house, finished relating how his trunk of valuable samples had been mistaken by a lot of train robbers for a book agent's outfit from the heft of it in a hold up on the Santa Fe two years before, Mr. Shortwell straightened up from his lounging position on the heavily upholstered seat and said:

"I presume, being traveling men, you all remember the series of mysterious robberies that occurred on the sleeping cars of various lines during the winter of 1883-4? At that time I was an employee of one of the best known detective agencies in the country, and when the sleeping car company which had suffered most from the depredations of the wily thief requested our agency to take hold of the matter I was given the case.

"When I took up the scent, the thief was operating on this line, and my first move was to be employed by the sleeping car company as one of their conductors. For six or seven weeks there were no robberies reported, and I was working along in the role of a sleeping car conductor as completely in the dark as when I took hold of the case.

"One night in the middle of June, just after leaving a station, where we changed engines, I walked out upon the platform of the rear sleeper in order to catch the breeze, as the air in the car was stuffy and hot. I lounged over the brake wheel, watching the lights of the town grow fainter and fainter until nothing but a pale white glow on the sky marked its site. Suddenly some one touched me lightly on the arm, and an agitated voice said:

"'Conductor, I've been robbed of all my money! Even my watch is gone!'

"My detective instincts were aroused in an instant. The opportunity for which I had been waiting had at last presented itself. I swung quickly around and followed my scantily clad passenger into the dimly lighted body of the car.

"He was a short, stout man, probably 40 or 45 years of age, and was ticketed to Butte, where, he said, he was going for the purpose of looking at a hotel property he desired to buy. He claimed to have had $22,000 in treasury notes and drafts in a wallet which he had shoved in the pillowcase with the pillow, pinning up the open end and putting that end against the side of the car. He occupied the drawing room, but, owing to the heat, had left the door open.

"The pillowcase was torn where it had been pinned and was found on the floor beside the berth. While we were discussing the matter in excited undertones in the drawing room, so as not to disturb the other passengers until certain the wallet had not worked out among the bedclothes, we were startled by a yell, or, rather, whoop, from a berth about the center of the car, and the occupant, a wealthy Montana cattleman, sprang out, shouting:

"'Thieves! Murder! Conductor, I've been robbed! Where's my gun? Stop the train!'

"Of course the car was in an uproar in a minute, and I ran forward to have the train conductor help me subdue the excitement and search for the thief.

"On my way to the front of the train I roused the porter, who was dozing in the toilet room, and ordered him to lock the rear car door and then stand guard at the forward end, allowing no one to enter or leave the car until I had returned with the train conductor.

"When we came back, the lights had been turned on, and all the passengers were up dressing—no women were in the car that trip—each one looking carefully through his belongings to see whether anything was missing. Beyond the loss reported to me by the passenger for Butte and that of the cattleman, which, he said, was a little more than $3,700, all in paper money, nothing was missing.

"Although the loss of the prospective hotel buyer was seven times more than that of the cattleman, the latter was the most excited. He declared the money had been in an envelope which he had pinned to his undershirt, and a long slit cut in the side of the outer shirt showed how the thief had secured his booty.

"The same passengers were in the car as were there when we left Minneapolis, and I was positive no one had got on at any of the stations that night, as I had locked the rear door at each stop, and either the porter or myself had stood at the front door until the train had started, when it, too, was locked. This precaution I had taken every night since assuming my position as conductor. Every nook and cranny of the car was searched for the missing valuables, but to no purpose.

"After much talk it was finally agreed that the two men who had been robbed should search the rest of us so that no suspicion might be fastened on any occupant of the car. When the man from Butte had divested himself of his clothes, it was noticed that his chest presented a curious appearance. Across the breast was a long, livid scar, resembling a heavy welt, and the cuticle below it hung in thick folds to the waist, with here and there queer, knotty protuberances. This condition, the man said, had been caused by an accident, he having been caught between a belt and a rapidly revolving shaft in a factory where he worked in his earlier life.

"It is hardly necessary for me to say that this search was as fruitless in results as was the search of the car, but it had the effect of easing each one's mind. No one now looked upon the other with distrust, except that the cattle dealer, I noticed, frowned rather malignantly upon the porter, which class of individuals, as you well know, are usually suspected of being the perpetrators of all sleeping car robberies.

"I took the names and addresses of both men who had suffered losses and made a full report to the sleeping car company and the detective agency, also sending messages to the foremen of all repair gangs as far east as Minneapolis to hunt along the track for any wallets that might have been thrown from the train by the thief.

"Despite all efforts to clear up the robbery, it remained as deep a mystery as had the preceding ones. The last I heard of the incident was that the stockman had entered suit against both the railroad and sleeping car companies, while N. O. Curlin, the name given by the man, who, when I came to think of it, rather complacently lost a small fortune, had dropped out of sight.

"The more I thought of him and of his actions the more it grew upon me that the man was crooked and must have been in some way connected with the theft of the stockman's money and had really never been robbed himself. But then, again, if he was the guilty party, what could he have done with the money? Ah, that was the mystery! And I then and there resolved to go on the track of Curlin, if possible, and have him shadowed.

"Two weeks after this experience I received a telegram from the agency to report at the head office in Chicago without delay. Upon my arrival there I was told of a robbery which had occurred in a sleeper on one of the southwestern roads and was ordered to the office of General Manager Sterling of the line at St. Louis.

"In looking over the report made to that officer relative to the case and from the description given by one of the passengers who had been robbed, of another passenger whom the victim claimed he had seen by the dim lamplight peering through the slightly parted curtains into his berth, I recognized Curlin.

"The man had been searched; but, as in the case when he was my passenger, there was nothing found on him, and he was allowed to go, loudly protesting against the treatment he had received and vowing he would secure reparation through the courts.

"I wrote up as good a description of the fellow as I could from memory and had several hundred circulars printed. These were sent to heads of detective departments of all the large railway lines in the country, with instructions to have Curlin arrested on suspicion of being the thief in this latest robbery and, in case of his apprehension, to notify General Manager Sterling, who would take steps to have him brought to Kansas, in which state the crime had been committed.

"A little more than a month afterward the gentleman was captured in New Orleans as he was about to purchase a ticket for Atlanta. In due course of time he was taken to Topeka, where he was identified by the passenger who had accused him of theft and was committed to jail for the action of the grand jury.

"Upon my advice a photograph of the man stripped to the waist was taken and forwarded to me. Sure enough, it was Curlin. Our agency had half tone cuts made of the photographs, and another set of circulars were printed, which were sent to our correspondents in Europe.

"Within six weeks a reply came from London saying the party referred to in the circular was undoubtedly F. S. Lashby, a notorious car and hotel thief, known as 'Franklin, the Kangaroo Man,' from the fact that he had been exhibiting himself in museums, having a pouch of skin on his breast similar to that found on the female kangaroo.

"We were advised to have him examined by a physician, when he would likely give in and confess his crime, as he had done in Leeds, England, some years previous.

"This advice was acted upon, and the rogue really did confess. He stated that after robbing a victim he had spotted he dropped the plunder in the pouch he had caused to grow on his breast and that before being tripped up in England had secured quite a snug sum of money.

"He was careful not to exhibit his peculiar formation in this country and had hoped to pick up a fortune, when he intended to go to his home in Australia. I believe the fellow would have succeeded, too, had it not been for the 'tip' we got from the English authorities. Nothing could ever be found on him, and it would have been an extremely hard matter indeed to convict him.

"Upon being pressed for an explanation as to how he had caused the growth of the pouch on his body he said that while studying medicine in Melbourne he had seen in a side show of a circus an elastic skin man, which condition, the freak had told him, was brought about by a continual pulling and stretching of the cuticle.

"He began to experiment upon himself, and, finding how loose the skin was getting, the novel idea of producing a kangaroolike pouch on his chest took possession of him, and, being of a roving disposition, he determined to become a freak, if possible. By traveling about and exhibiting himself he could easily earn enough money to defray expenses.

"After getting the skin thoroughly loosened up over his chest he made an incision in length about five inches directly across the breast bone in line with the fifth rib. Pulling the wound apart, he packed it with antiseptic gauze, each day pulling more and more upon the skin at that point and at each renewal of the gauze forcing a greater quantity into the aperture.

"Finally, after over a year's tedious work, more or less suffering and several narrow escapes from blood poisoning, his will power triumphed. The desired result was obtained, and he set out to exhibit himself as the 'Great Australian Freak, Franklin, the Kangaroo Man.'

"As may be imagined, his success was phenomenal, and he became wealthy beyond his fondest dreams; but, like many other people, money was his ruin.

"He soon became so addicted to drink that he failed to fulfill his engagements, and his managers forsook him one after another. It was not long until he took to thieving, and had it not been that he was known as a freak in England it is hardly likely that he would ever have been convicted in that country.

"Like others, too, of the criminal class, he chose that life after he once entered it in preference to an honest pursuit of wealth partly from the excitement connected with it and partly from the loss of self respect.

"It is strange, but unless he distended the pouch no one would have thought the appearance of his chest due to anything but the accidental cause he stated. The upper part of the wound hung over the lower edge and seemed simply a great, horrid scar.

"Well, friends, we're getting to my destination, and I'll bid you goodby. By the way, Lashby's term in the Kansas penitentiary will expire in a few months. If any of you want to go into the show business, there's a chance."—Philadelphia Press.

A Hasty Shave.

"The quickest shave I ever got," remarked the buyer for an oil mill, "was while I was in Texas a couple of years or so ago. I was wearing a full beard at the time and got a clean shave in less than a minute."

An incredulous smile stole over the countenance of more than one of his listeners and was breaking into a laugh, when the oil mill man continued:

"You see I was caught in one of those terrific sandstorms they have down there, and the thickest of the swiftly moving sand caught me full in the face. That sand blast played the barber act on me, and instead of my being the possessor of a Vandyke beard my face was as devoid of hair as a boy's.

"It cut my whiskers off as clean as a razor could, but did not injure my face in the least."—Memphis Scimitar.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For Week Beginning March 11—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—Rejecting Christ.—Mark xii, 1-9.

THE PARABLE.

The topic, rejecting Christ, is illustrated by Christ's parable of the wicked husbandmen. By this parable a certain man planted a vineyard, let it out to husbandmen and went into a far country, an incident of common occurrence. At proper times he sent his servants to the husbandmen for the fruit of the vineyard. But they shamefully treated them, beating them, wounding them and even killing some. At last he sent his only son, thinking they would reverence him, but instead they said, "This is the heir; come, let us kill him." "And they took him and killed him and cast him out of the vineyard."

THE INTERPRETATION.

The owner of the vineyard is God. The vineyard is the Jewish church, the husbandmen the Jewish nation. The servants sent are the prophets whom God sent at different times to the Jews, whom they persecuted, abused and even killed. The only well beloved Son is the Lord Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, whom the Jews rejected and crucified on the cross of Calvary. The judgment pronounced is the judgment that God has and will continue to bring upon the Jewish people for their rejection of Christ.

THE APPLICATION.

The explanation and application of this parable are easily made. There is nothing difficult to understand in the parable, nor is it hard to apply it to ourselves. The Jews were the chosen people of God. He selected them from the other nations of the world and made them His peculiar people. He gave them great opportunities, which brought with them great responsibilities. They did not measure up to their opportunities. They persecuted and even killed God's prophets, and when at last He even sent His Son to them they crucified Him, and God's judgment has rested upon the Jews ever since. Jerusalem was destroyed, and the gospel was sent to the gentiles. The rejected Christ was offered to the whole world. This includes us. Christ is now before us for our acceptance or rejection as He was once before the Jews. What will we do with Him? How the fate of the Jews should warn us against rejecting Christ! If God spared not His own people when they rejected His Son, much less will He spare us, who are not of the chosen family of Israel, but by nature aliens and strangers to the covenants of promise.

To reject Christ is to stand in the light of our own best interests, to destroy all hope of the eternal salvation of our souls. It is to turn our backs upon our best friend and to trample underfoot the cross of Calvary—yea, even the Son of God Himself. Are we prepared to do that? Dare we do it, remembering that we will answer to God for it in the day of judgment?

THE PRAYER MEETING.

Make this meeting evangelistic in character. Give an opportunity to any who may be present, who have not done so, to accept Christ. Make a special effort to get the associate members to accept Christ and to confess Him publicly before the world.

Bible Readings.—Sam. viii, 1-7; Ps. li, 1-12; cxviii, 22; Isa. liii, 1-3; Math. ii, 1-18; xxvii, 15-26; Mark v, 1-17; Luke iv, 16-31; xviii, 24, 25; Heb. ii, 1-3; x, 28, 29; xii, 25; Rev. xxi, 17.

Through Suffering to Life.

By going down to death and rising again therefrom Christ overcame death and brought life and immortality to light. Through death He won the victory. The same general principle is taught in what is said that our sufferings work out a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory. Death worketh in us, but life in you, said the apostle. This is true of the pastor, of the Christian worker in every other line. We must undergo suffering if we would enter into the highest life. We must come into the sufferings of others if we would help them and lift them out of their depression. The vital principle must cast off its hard surroundings if it would grow.—United Presbyterian.

Spiritual Hypochondria.

Some think they are too well to go to a doctor, though dying of a stealthy disease. Others have a sort of spiritual hypochondria, imagining they have everything ailing them, while a visit to the doctor reassures them that they are well. All should welcome God's revelation of self, for they can but reassure the holy and will clearly indicate the weak spot of the sickly.—Christian Standard.

Time's Harvest.

How the hungry grave is longing
To despoil the fairest charms,
All relentless in its wronging,
With the clasp of cruel arms.

While we mourn the sad intruding,
As our flowers death's hand shall reap,
Blessed thought, the grave eluding,
Only dust it has to keep!

When the stricken heart is sighing
Requiems o'er the loved and fair,
Planting flowers where they are lying,
While they seem to hover there,

'Tis a holy mystic meeting,
With a thrill of pensive bliss,
To return the zephyr's greeting
As responsive to their kiss!

Oh, how dear is their entombing,
Consecrated spot of earth,
Where the cypress, ever blooming,
Tells of an immortal birth!

In the heart an echo lingers,
Whispered in the mourner's ear,
As the touch of angel fingers
Wakes their harps the soul to cheer.

Oh, not lost! They live in spirit,
"White robed" angels in the skies,
Where they glory now inherit,
All too bright for mortal eyes.

When we watch the stars of even,
Sister spirits of the night,
We will think of them in heaven
Making earth for us more bright.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

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AMENDMENT ADOPTED.

Hay-Pauncefote Treaty Authorizes America to Protect Its Interests.

Morgan the Only Member Opposed to the Change.

Measure Likely to Pass Promptly and Be Accepted by Great Britain.

Washington, March 10.— The senate committee on foreign relations met yesterday, and after a long discussion voted to report the Hay-Pauncefote treaty with an agreement containing a provision for American defense rights similar to that in the Suez convention relating to Egypt. It is the opinion of the members of the committee that the senate will, with but little delay, ratify the treaty, as amended.

It is reported in emphatic form that the British government will accept the proposed amendment. It merely places a limitation upon the restrictions in article 2, and is as follows:

"Insert at the end of section 5 of article 2 the following: It is agreed, however, that none of the immediately foregoing conditions and stipulations in sections numbered 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of this article shall apply to measures which the United States may find it necessary to take for securing by its own forces the defense of the United States and the maintenance of public order."

The conclusion to report the treaty with this amendment was reached after a session of the committee in which Senator Morgan very strenuously opposed the amendment. He was, however, the only senator in opposition, Senators Bacon and Daniel, the other Democratic members of the committee, voting with the Republican members for the amendment, and then for a resolution to report.

SENATOR MORGAN.

The report was made to the senate at an executive session, which came later in the day. The presentation of the treaty to the committee was accompanied by a written report, giving reasons for the amendment, and also in support of the treaty as a whole. Later in the day Senator Morgan filed a minority report, in opposition to the Amendment.

The report submitted with the treaty is in the main a review of the general situation with reference to the canal, with comparatively few recommendations. It says, however, "we are in full accord with the purpose expressed in article 2 of the pending convention to adopt, as the basis of neutralization, the indicated rules substantially as embodied in the treaty of Constantinople for the free navigation of the Suez maritime canal."

The report then makes an analysis of the Suez canal treaty, laying special stress upon article 10, which, the report says, "prescribes limitations of the utmost importance upon the stipulations."

The committee concludes its recommendations by quoting its proposed amendment, remarking as follows: "Irrespective of the foregoing considerations, we are clearly of the opinion that if article 10 does not exist the true interests and necessity of the United States require upon the highest considerations of prudence and right the adoption of the amendment proposed."

Safe While He Remains In Chile.

Boston, March 10.—A cable dispatch received here states that the supreme court at Santiago de Chile has ordered the discharge of Frederick T. Moore, the former teller of the National Bank of Commerce of this city, who was arrested some months ago in Chile on the charge of embezzling $50,000 from the Boston bank. Moore is now free once more, and as long as he remains in Chile he is safe from arrest on this charge.

New Hampshire Loses Heavy Suit.

Boston, March 10.—A dispatch to The Globe from Exeter, N. H., says that the report of Judge Edgar Aldrich, who was appointed referee in the suit of the state of New Hampshire vs. the Manchester and Lawrence Railroad company, is adverse to the state. Judge Aldrich was appointed referee in 1895. The success of the state would have meant the recovery of a sum not far from $750,000.

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CAME OF FAMOUS ANCESTORS.

Edward J. Phelps, One of Vermont's Most Gifted Sons, Dies at New Haven.

New Haven, March 10.—E. J. Phelps, former minister to England, died at his home here late Friday afternoon after an illness of about two months. The end was peaceful and for several hours before he passed away he was unconscious. There were present at the bedside his wife, his son, Charles P. Phelps of Boston, and daughter, Mrs. Horatio Loomis of New York, and his physician.

Though Professor Phelps recovered from the pneumonia attack he was so weakened that he was unable to regain his vitality. It had been hoped that he might recover until a few days ago, when it was apparent that his strength had so failed that it was but a matter of hours when death would come.

The funeral services will be held from Battell chapel Sunday at 3 p. m. The remains will be taken to Burlington, Vt., for interment.

Edward John Phelps was born in Middlebury, Vt., July 11, 1822. He came of ancestors famous for their legal learning and prominence in American political life.

He was graduated from Middlebury college in 1840 and at once took up the study of the law with Horatio Seymour. He was admitted to the bar of the state of Vermont in 1843 and at once took a prominent position as a lawyer. Under the administration of President Fillmore he was second comptroller of the treasury, serving to the close of that administration. He was later a delegate to the Vermont constitutional convention, and in 1880 was elected president of the American Bar association. He wrote extensively on constitutional and international law, and in 1881 was elected Kent professor of law at Yale, which professorship he held at the time of his death.

In April, 1885, President Cleveland appointed him United States minister plenipotentiary to Great Britain. He was appointed one of the international commissioners on the Behring sea controversy and was also one of the Venezuela arbitration commissioners. He was honored with the degree of doctor of laws by Middlebury college in 1870 by the University of Vermont in 1887 and by Harvard in 1887. Yale conferred on him the degree of master of arts in 1881.

In 1887 the Edward J. Phelps professorship of law in Yale law school was endowed in his honor by Junius S. Morgan.

Professor Phelps resided in this city only during the winter and spring terms of the college year, and claimed Vermont as his residence.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 10.—The house yesterday had a lively debate on the bill to make uniform office hours for clerks of police, district and municipal courts. After considerable debate an amendment to require the clerks to be in their offices from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. was adopted, 52 to 51, and then the bill was ordered to a third reading, 56 to 51.

The committee on street railways reported against the petition for lower street car fares in Boston for workingmen and school children.

Without debate, in the senate, the teachers' retirement fund bill was ordered to a third reading.

Commander's Deposition Ordered.

Brockton, Mass., March 10.—The dissension which has existed in the ranks of the Union Veterans' union has resulted in orders being issued for the deposition of Commander Daniel W. Gould of the Massachusetts department. The chief cause of the dissension was the changing of the name from the Union Veterans' union to the Union Battlemens' union. Inasmuch as the Brockton command had in the past been outspoken against the department officers, it was decided to take the first step in the expulsion proceedings here.

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British Not Likely to Be Opposed In the Advance Upon Bloemfontein.

Boers Seized With a Panic, Spoiling Roberts' Plans.

Peace Conditions of Kruger and Steyn Are Rejected by Salisbury.

London, March 10.—The war office has issued the following dispatch from Lord Roberts:

Clements has occupied Norval's Pont and the adjacent drift. As soon as the engineers, pontoons and troops arrive he will cross the river, when the necessary repairs to the railway bridge will be commenced.

Gatacre occupied Burghersdorp March 7, and was greeted with great enthusiasm on the part of the loyal inhabitants. His scouts report that large numbers of the rebels in the neighborhood are anxious to surrender.

General French, who is 10 miles ahead, reports that his front is clear of the Boers. All other reports tend to confirm the state of disorganization of the Boer forces, Transvaal as well as Free State. The general impression is that the further progress of the British to Bloemfontein will not be opposed.

The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Pretoria, dated Thursday, March 8, via Lourenzo Marquez, which had been censored by the Boer government:

Conversations I have had with the highest state officials show that the Boers want some arrangement. They say that, if England is waging a war of conquest, they will fight to a finish. Otherwise they believe that a plain statement of the British intentions will reveal a basis of negotiations, now that England's prestige is repaired. President Kruger and President Steyn conferred Monday at Bloemfontein on the incorporation of the above representations in a cablegram to Lord Salisbury. The preservation of the independence of the two republics is a sine qua non.

The Berlin correspondent of The Daily Mail says: I learn that there is dissension between President Kruger and General Joubert, and that the latter has resigned. Probably President Kruger will assume the chief command. General Schalkberger and other prominent commandants are also likely to resign for similar reasons, and because President Kruger ignored their advice to make peace overtures after the first Boer victory.

The Standard, which is in closer touch with the policy of the government than any other ministerial organ, says this morning: We have reason to believe that an authoritative statement will be shortly made by the government, reaffirming the impossibility of conceding any terms of peace to the Boer republics which would involve a perpetuation of the political and military independence that led to the present costly and sanguinary conflict.

All the special dispatches from Poplar Grove confirm the reports of the panic of the Boers. The Morning Post's correspondent says: President Kruger shed tears at his ineffectual attempts to rally the Boers, who were completely paralyzed by Lord Roberts' masterly tactics. They were too demoralized to heed his expostulations and declared that the British cannon were everywhere.

The correspondent of The Daily News says: The Boers were seized with a panic, thus spoiling the whole plan, which had been beautifully calculated to destroy them utterly. As the sixth division emerged from a hidden position and appeared on the crest, with the mounted infantry in skirmishing order, the Boers thought the whole earth covered with soldiers, in their front and rear and on their flanks. They did not wait to verify their supposition, but fled, seized apparently with a dread that they might share the fate of Cronje.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, when explaining to the bankers the terms of the new loan, gave an intimation that the government considered the end of the war near. "Since the estimates were prepared," he said, "events have taken place that have changed the situation; and probably not all the money will be required."

Whatever the government may know or intend, unofficial opinion seems everywhere to think that the Boer power is collapsing.

The eighth division has been under orders toembark for several weeks, but these orders, so far as the artillery contingent is concerned, have been recalled, Lord Roberts having reported that no more artillery from home is necessary.

This is the first pause in reinforcements since the war began. Sir Redvers Buller, second in command in the field, and Lord Wolseley, are understood also to consider that no more artillery is needed. Lord Roberts has altogether 452 guns, including siege pieces.

Mafeking, as a beleaguered town, attracts much sentiment and sympathy. Nothing has been heard from there since Feb. 19. There is a rumor this morning that Colonel Baden-Powell has been relieved, but this cannot be traced to any substantial basis.

Canfield Denies Guilt.

Boston, March 10.—Nicholas Canfield, the self-confessed incendiary, was arraigned in the Charlestown municipal court yesterday and at the conclusion of the hearing, on a finding of probable cause, was held in $5000 for the grand jury. He astonished the court by pleading "not guilty," and declaring that the statement he made to the fire marshal, that he set the fire, was scared out of him by the men who examined him at the marshal's office.

Victim of a Vicious Dog.

Clinton, Mass., March 10.—Martin Mitchell, 14 years old, was attacked yesterday by a large St. Bernard dog, owned by Louis Burk. The animal bit a piece of flesh from the boy's cheek, lacerated his ears, and nearly tore the clothing from his back. The boy's injuries are very painful, but not of a fatal character, although he will probably be disfigured for life.

Attorney Sheely Discharged.

Hartford, March 10.—Attorney James P. Sheeley of Winsted, who was arrested a few weeks ago, charged with being implicated in a pension fraud case, was discharged from custody by United States commissioner Marvin, after a hearing here yesterday.

Bath Strike Still On.

Bath, Me., March 10.—The contention between the journeymen ship carpenters and the management of the several yards is still in force, as the union men say they will not resume work until the nine-hour day is granted in place of the 10-hour day.

Rodents as Plague Distributors.

Melbourne, March 10.—A bacteriological examination of rats caught at Port Melbourne wharf has established the fact that the vermin are infected with plague.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Temperatures are generally above the seasonable average, except along the south Atlantic coast and in the vicinity of Lake Superior. The low area in the extreme northwest still persists. Its eastern movement will cause warmer weather. There will be rain in southern, and rain or snow in northern New England. Fresh south to west winds will prevail on the New England coast.

Had Been Missing Since Thanksgiving.

Andover, Mass., March 10.—The body of a man was found in the Shawspeen river Friday, which was identified as that of Malachi Clinton of Ballardvale. Clinton had been missing since last Thanksgiving. He was 54 years old and a veteran of the Civil war.

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Even Squaws and Girls Not Exempt.

Austin, March 10.—Advices from Ortiz, Mex., are that the Indians have continued their depredations to an alarming extent, having ransacked a great stretch of territory and done much damage to several hamlets between Potam and Torin. The Mexican troops do not seem to be able to cope with the situation at present. Many dead bodies of Mexicans and Indians are found hanging from trees, and near La Moucha 15 bodies were discovered lying in the undergrowth, most of them being Indian squaws and girls.

Suicide Far From Home.

New York, March 10.—Word was received here yesterday that Stanley H. Riggs, noted as a football player, conspicuous in the naval reserve and well known in this city, had committed suicide in a lonely camp in the heart of Mexico. Riggs went to Mexico as a civil engineer two years ago with a party composed of Yale and Princeton graduates. He became irritable and finally so melancholy that he thought all his friends were against him.

Governor Asks Sealers to Enlist.

St. John's, March 10.—The seal fishery begins today. Twenty steamers sailed for the ice fields at daybreak. Governor McCallum addressed the seal hunters, strongly urging the men to enroll themselves in the royal naval reserve. The captain of each steamer has been supplied with a list for this purpose, and it is expected that almost all the men will enroll before returning.

Fall Will Result In Death.

Clinton, Mass., March 10.—By falling from the top of a loaded wagon onto a picket fence, Thomas Mitchell, 50 years old, received most painful injuries about the head, which will result fatally. One of the pickets entered an eye, and another knocked nearly all his teeth out.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Ex-Congressman John Davis of the Fifth Kansas district has gone totally blind. He was one of the founders of the Populist party and served two terms in congress.

Adrian C. Anson, the former baseball player, has been nominated as the Democratic candidate for alderman from the third ward of Chicago.

Joseph P. Ryan, secretary of the Irish National Federation of America, died at New York. Mr. Ryan was the originator of the Hoffman House Irish parliamentray fund, which was the means of raising thousands of dollars for the Irish cause.

Surveyors have commenced work upon the route of the Hudson, Pelham and Salem Electric railroad, which will connect Nashua, N. H., with Haverhill, Mass. About 21 miles of the road will be built in New Hampshire.

Major Brainard of the subsistence department has arrived at Washington on sick leave of absence from Manila, where he was in charge of the duty of supplying General Otis' army with food during the exciting period of the campaign.

Rev. Everett D. Burr announces his resignation as pastor of the Ruggles Street Baptist church, Boston, thus relinquishing his pastoral duties after eight years.

Dr. Charles E. West, the veteran educator, died at Brooklyn from pneumonia. He was born at Washington, Mass., in 1809. He was a fellow of the Royal Antiquarian society of Denmark and a member of the Ethnological and American Philological societies.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed at New York by the Mount Vernon Consumers' Brewing company, liabilities, $234.702; assets, $169,427.

Schedule Adopted Without Friction.

Boston, March 10. — Without any semblance of friction the union bricklayers of this vicinity have arranged a wage schedule with the Master Builders' association, which provides for the eight-hour day, a minimum wage of 45 cents an hour and preference to union workmen in giving employment.

Nationalists Will Extend Welcome.

Dublin, March 10.—At a private meeting yesterday of the nationalist members of the corporation of Dublin a resolution was adopted to present the queen with an address of welcome on her visit.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	40	25	39	42	36
Monday,	34	23	58	41	37
Tuesday,	35	12	43	43	50
Wednesday,	39	32	39	48	26
Thursday,	34	42	37	50	40
Friday,	44	41	36	54	44
Saturday,	53	35	35	60	51

New Advertisements Today.

Mortgages's Sale of Personal Property.

Good Afternoon.

California has an oil boom which in the rapidity of fortune making recalls the early days of the gold boom.

Gen. Wood is trying, in Cuba, the Mexican plan of making good citizens of bandits by giving them offices.

Ex-President Harrison kept quiet a long time, but the Porto Rico tariff bill, to which he is strongly opposed, caused him to talk freely.

An educational column is a new feature of the Ledger today, and will be continued every Saturday. It will be broad in its scope and possibly of interest to our progressive readers.

If the West Quincy trains are run via Shawmut branch, Atlantic will lose its express trains and there will be a general shake up of the Quincy timetable.

The pompous barring out of the Yacht Racing Association's open races, of the Quincy Yacht Club's boats, makes rather ludicrous reading, when it is remembered that in the last two years the mustering of a baker's dozen of yachts at a so-called Association open race was considered a big event. And then "starters" had to be provided often times for classes in which but a single boat appeared to race. If that is what is called "open" racing, the Quincy Club is to be congratulated for retiring from that field.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Boston is beginning to kick and growl over its big municipal debt, but will hardly be able to rub out the old saying that those who dance must settle with the orchestra. Its effort will now be to beguile several of the outlying municipalities into its annexation net, thus making them pay for the dance to which they received no invitation cards.—Milford Journal.

☞Next Sunday Rev. Chas. M. Sheldon takes the helm of the Topeka (Kan.) Capital, and publishes it a week on the basis of how he thinks Jesus would publish it. Whatever his opinions of his own ability now are, he will, at the end of the week, be a much wiser man. He will have learned that no one man has the monopoly of Christian effort, and that the field of the true newspaper is not, and cannot be restricted by the individual preferences of the editor. The paper may not suffer by the one week of his efforts, but his self esteem will be deeply wounded.—Worcester West Chronicle.

☞The keynote of all modern progress is combination—co-operation. The house is now made and furnished with articles provided according to this law, doors are made by the hundred and window sashes by the thousand, and if the architects do say that this is second-class work, the most of us find it infinitely cheaper and a means of allowing more money to be spent on books, music and intellectual pleasure. We sleep just as comfortably in sheets made by the mill as did our grandmothers in those they laboriously spun and wove. A chair of the right shape and height is just as comfortable if there are ten thousand of them in the world as if there were only one. Why cannot bread made by the yard and pies by the hundred be in like manner accepted?—Ellen H. Richards in American Kitchen.

☞Although the farmers of the state very generally believe in the work of exterminating the gypsy moth which has been done by the state so far, we believe that they do not fully realize the danger to their interests which would follow if the pest should be allowed to get at large all over the state. The loss to the agricultural interests of the state would be thousands of dollars and would also be very large to all cities and towns having parks and roadside trees.—New England Farmer.

☞The Legislative committee on Public Service, after hearing a number of influential petitioners and no remonstrants, has reported in favor of increasing the salary of Sheriff Capen of Norfolk County from $1,200 to $1,800. It is one of the few cases in which the committee favored an increase, but there was abundant justification for the Norfolk County case.—Hyde Park Gazette.

POLICE SHAKE UP.

Officer Ferguson Becomes the Special Liquor Officer.

When Chief of Police Ripley assumed the head of that department it was generally expected that his entrance into office would be followed by a shake up. For reasons best known to himself, however, no changes were made at that time, and as time went on many were lead to believe that none would be made. Knowing ones, however, said, wait and see.

For the past few days rumors of changes have been whispered more loudly, but it was not until this morning that Chief Ripley gave out the official information.

The changes made are not many. The principal one is the appointment of Officer Thomas F. Ferguson as liquor officer, to succeed Officer Daniel R. McKay.

Officer Ferguson was formerly day officer at Quincy Centre. When Chief Litchfield was appointed, under Mayor Sears' administration, he was made liquor officer, replacing officer McKay. The next year Chief Hayden came into power and Officer Ferguson was sent to the West Quincy beat, and Officer McKay given back his position as liquor officer.

Now another change takes place, and Officer Ferguson takes another turn as liquor officer. He reported for duty at 12 o'clock today.

The only other changes are that Officer Frank Daveron, who has done duty since his appointment on the Wollaston beat, goes to West Quincy, and Officer McKay goes on duty at Wollaston. These changes take place at roll call tonight.

—A new granite combination is being organized, to be known as the Bay State Pink Granite Co. of Milford, with a capital of $500,000. The Drapers of Hopedale and Darling Bros. of Worcester are largely interested in the new corporation. The company has under its control and ownership 800 acres of quarries in Milford.

—The Norfolk County Republican Committee for 1900 has organized with Charles C. Henry of Wellesley, as chairman; Frank A. Fales of Norwood, treasurer, and J. Walter Bradlee of Milton, secretary. This makes a trio of Republican hustlers.

—The head divides while the heart unites.

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NEW R. R. LOCATION

Talk Revived of Connecting Granite and Shawmut Branches.

There are rumors that the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. contemplate making important change on the Granite branch of its system. This branch now leave the main line at Atlantic and passes through East Milton and West Quincy to Braintree. It is reported however that the railroad have in view a plan to do away with the junction at Atlantic.

This plan is to commence at a point on the Shawmut branch, near the Cedar Grove cemetery, and run in a southerly direction, passing through East Milton at a point some distance west of the present station.

The line then continues in a south easterly direction until it joins the tracks of the Quarry railroad at the Granite Railway works. It will follow this line passing through West Quincy west of the present tracks and on elevated ground, joining the present line again somewhere near West street.

The advantages of the new route are many. In the first place, it will do away with the grade crossings at East Milton and West Quincy. The principal benefit, however, will be to furnish another line to Braintree.

As the tracks are situated at present, if anything serious should happen to bridge between Neponset and Atlantic it would mean the immediate tie up of the whole system, for there is at present no way that trains for points south of Neponset could be got through. If the new line is built, as noted above, it will furnish an additional route.

The Shawmut branch leaves the main line at Harrison Square, and if at any time anything should happen to the Neponset bridge or on the main line, trains could be readily sent via. East Milton and West Quincy.

It is also said the new line to be built will have two tracks so trains could be handled readily.

Nothing official is known of the above plan, but it certainly looks feasible. It is known that the N. Y., N. H., & H. R. R. are acquiring land in the vicinity of the proposed route, and it looks very probable.

Great changes are to be made by the corporation in the road bed between Boston and South Braintree. The new road bed and tracks between the Crescent Avenue station and the New England tracks will soon be ready for service, and the old road will be turned into a boulevard.

Two Inches Single.

Two inches single is getting to be a popular display for modest users of newspaper space. It gives them room enough to say a little something and say it strongly; it is big enough to get in very effective display; and it is not an expensive space to maintain.—About Ads.

—Thomas D. Pile, the new lord mayor of Dublin, is a patriot of openly avowed nationalist principles. He has been so very politic and conciliating that he is popular with all classes of people, no matter of what political opinion. Before being elected to the high office of executive of the Irish capital he was the high sheriff of Dublin.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

They dreamed a dream together
Of the halcyon days to come,
When Love with gentle hand would rule
The kingdom they called home.
They spoke of rose-filled gardens,
And of dainty little nooks,
Where, together, hand in hand, they'd sit
And read the self-same books.
They said they'd live a life of bliss,
And soul should speak to soul;
Alas, their flat's twelve stories high,
And he carries up the coal.

—Lynn Item.

Fair Sunday.

A new florist has opened a hot house on Hancock street, Norfolk Downs.

Mrs. M. B. Macleod has gone to Lyndeboro, N. H., on an extended visit.

It will be upwards of five years before the boulevard is opened for travel.

Mr. Fred B. Rice has been elected one of the trustees of the National Sailor's Home.

At Music hall Tuesday the 13th, Hoyt's big success "A Bunch of Keyes" will be given.

Weston's grocery and Nickerson's candy kitchen, which were burned out last Sunday morning, are being repaired.

Plans for the new hose house at Wollaston have been made, and will probably be presented at the next meeting of the City Council.

The first account of Horace B. Spear as administrator of the estate of Mary M. Spear, for $8,494.31, was allowed at Dedham on Wednesday.

The Senate passed to be engrossed yesterday, the bill to extend the time limit for building the Boston, Quincy & Fall River bicycle railway.

The "Gleaners" monthly meeting will be held on Monday, March 12, at Mrs. D. L. Jewell's, Grand View avenue, at half past two P. M.

The district conference of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at Newport, R. I., next week Friday and Saturday. Delegates will attend from Quincy.

There will be two games of basketball next Wednesday in Quincy. One game between the Quincys and Weymouth High School, and the second between the Quincy Adams and Braintree.

Commissioner Knowlton has begun work abating the nuisance on Newcomb street. A surface drain and catch basin are being built, and when completed the street will be filled up and regraded so as to carry the surface water to the catch basin.

Roger Williams Lodge of Providence, R. I., will entertain Massachusetts Odd Fellows Tuesday evening March 20. Mt. Pleasant lodge of Dorchester will exemplify the first degree. Several Quincy Odd Fellows contemplate attending.

A meeting of the Fragment society will be held in the Unitarian chapel, Wednesday afternoon, March 14, at two o'clock, and the ladies who are to serve on the supper committee on Friday, March 23, are requested to be present at this meeting.

A business meeting was held in Memorial Congregational church, Tuesday evening. Following the business discussion was a short entertainment; Miss Annie P. Hall and Councilman William Gasset sang several duets, and Miss Adelaide Thomas played two violin solos. Light refreshments were served at the close of the evening's programme.

The drama "Down By The Sea," given in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry, March 2, before a large and appreciative audience, was a great success. It was repeated at the urgent request of friends at the church sociable held Thursday evening of this week. All the parts were equally well sustained, and the young people have reason to congratulate themselves upon the enthusiastic manner in which it was received. The cast of characters included: Jack Simmons, H. Schumacher, Lawrence Loring, Ernest Arnold, Avery Bennett, Odo Molenaer, Annie Pinkham, Bessie Whittemore and Ernestine Litchfield.

—It is not the gift, but the giving, which is most precious and helpful. It is not the succor but the sympathy and intelligence and gentle humanity with which it is offered, that cheer the very soul of the poor and the weary and the dying.

—The maidens of Denmark never experience the pleasure of receiving a diamond engagement ring. They are presented with a plain gold band which is worn on the third finger of the left hand. On the wedding day the bridegroom changes the ring to the right third finger which is the marriage finger in that country.

—He who is willing to be a failure, rather than to be false, will never be either.

WHAT SHE WEARS.

Satin Popular—Art Velvet Bodices. Zinc a Chic Color In Cloth.

Satins are very much to the fore this season, satins soft and full of pliability—that draping quality—still not flimsy by any means. Velvets have grown light of weight and wearable and pliable, producing exquisite effects beyond anything dreamed of before. As for tints and tones, they have passed beyond range of speech. These two fabrics and panne velvet are the ones which will surely meet with no depreciation this season, and they are to be well supported by silks innumerable of every make, plain and figured, brocaded and broche, together with the fancy maneuverings of braidings, appliques and embroideries of silk or insettings of lace.

Cloths are turned into laces by means of mechanical cuttings and mechanical embroidering in their latest smartness. Superimposed on white silks, satins or cloths, they are having a great success. This marks more pointedly than ever the two kinds of cloth gowns which have obtained highest favor, neither of them in sympathy with what we for years have been pleased to call the tailor gown. That rigid simple affair exists no longer among smart women. If a cloth gown of today has nothing but stitchings, these stitchings represent decoration in bands or motif, and

GREEN SATIN EVENING GOWN.

it must also show touches of lace or velvet. The gown which in cloth still advances beyond this one is a very dressy affair, a mass of openwork laid over white or colors. It has flouncings, mousselines, plisses, laces, furs, mingling of silks, jeweled buttons and ornaments, fringed sashes and many other ornamentations applied by handwork or in passementeries.

The cut represents a pale green satin gown with circular drop skirt over taffeta. Russian lace is inserted above the Spanish flounce, and an applied conventional design in white, with a thread of gold, is used on the front panel, continuing round the flounce. A second line of very narrow edging, such as borders insertion, is also introduced on the skirt. The bodice is of satin, with a close fitting bolero, with lace inserting reaching to the waist line in the back. The revers are of tucked and shirred green chiffon caught by a white velvet bow. A cluster of white velvet pansies adorns the left side of the corsage, and another droops from the belt on the left side of the skirt. The belt is of white velvet fastened with a small gold buckle.

There is something very chic in a fancy waist built of art velvet, glowing with oriental coloring under a silvery sheen. These waists are extremely effective under street jackets. One has an open bodice, with seam down the back and under the arms, the back dipping into two short tabs, a jeweled button on each. Long revers covering the fronts are built of lavender blue satin laid flat, held at the top by a jeweled button and a large one. The single dart seams are defined by five jeweled buttons, on each seam a pretty motif, the buttons the same size as those on the back tabs. Vest and high collar band are in one of white crepe de chine overlaid by diamond crossings of beige lace, greatly in accord with the rich ambers, blues, purples and reds in the velvet. Close fitting blue satin sleeves have for epaulets velvet triangles, the broad ends facing, with large jeweled buttons ornamenting each.

Zinc, one of the new cloth colors, is best imagined by recalling the metal. It affords a capital field for smart touches of color in the gown. Satin cloths in the zinc shade are a pronounced success, especially when silks are introduced, as is done in Paris.—Vogue.

Toilet Hints.

Nothing is so unbecoming to the skin as flabbiness and a want of vitality. Massage is the treatment par excellence for stimulating the skin.

Where the nails are very brittle and crack and split use carbolic acid in glycerin, rubbed on, and at night grease them well and sleep in gloves.

Palm oil is said to be an excellent corn cure.

Frenchwomen are beginning to find out that they are better in health and keep their youth, good spirits and complexions longer when they make a point of resting a little during the day. They are also considering it necessary that one day at least out of the seven should be specially set aside for idleness.

A little pure white vaseline applied to the eyelashes at night is said to promote their growth.

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"All proper lessons in patriotism should first create respect and love for mother and father, and brothers and sisters. This done, and we have a foundation on which to base a proper love of country. There is more of real value to the boys of the country in dwelling with emphasis upon Washington's devotion to his mother than there is in the war history of all the generals we have had from Washington to Miles. Let us pledge the children first to love and obedience at home, then to obedience at school;—and these done, the boys will respect and reverence the laws of their community, their state and their nation. What utter bosh is a lesson in patriotism to salute the flag and pledge their 'allegiance to the country,' when they don't know that a boy who scolds his mother is a coward and a traitor. Pledge allegiance to their country when in school they are anarchists! Our lessons in patriotsm need revision, and we should have a definition of patriot that, while it includes the men who fell at Concord and Bunker Hill, shall not leave out the mother of the Revolution; a definition that, while it takes in Dewey and Roosevelt, and Sampson and Hobson, shall include every boy and girl, man and woman, who in peace and war is true to home and kindred and obeys the laws, be they of school, state or nation."

"I make no apology for not dilating at length upon the social changes in question. Those I shall mention are writ so large that he who runs may read. The change that comes first to mind, the one that overshadows and even controls all others, is the industrial one—the application of science resulting in the great inventions that have utilized the forces of nature on a vast and inexpensive scale; the growth of a world wide market as the object of production, of vast manufacturing centers to supply this market, of cheap and rapid means of communication and distribution between all its parts. Even as to its feebler beginnings, this change is not much more than a century old; in many of its most important aspects it belongs within the short span of those now living. One can hardly believe there has been a revolution in all history so rapid, so exhaustive, so complete. Through it the face of the earth is making over, even as to its physical forms; political boundaries are wiped out and moved about, as if they were indeed only lines on a paper map; population is hurriedly gathered into cities from the ends of the earth; habits of living are altered with startling abruptness and thoroughness; the search for the truths of nature is infinitely stimulated and facilitated and their application to life made not only practicable, but commercially necessary. Even our moral and religious ideas and interests, the most conservative because the deepest-lying things in our nature, are profoundly affected. That this revolution should not affect education in other than moral and superficial fashion is inconceivable."—The School and Society by John Dewey.

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"All proper lessons in patriotism should first create respect and love for mother and father, and brothers and sisters. This done, and we have a foundation on which to base a proper love of country. There is more of real value to the boys of the country in dwelling with emphasis upon Washington's devotion to his mother than there is in the war history of all the generals we have had from Washington to Miles. Let us pledge the children first to love and obedience at home, then to obedience at school;—and these done, the boys will respect and reverence the laws of their community, their state and their nation. What utter bosh is a lesson in patriotism to salute the flag and pledge their 'allegiance to the country,' when they don't know that a boy who scolds his mother is a coward and a traitor. Pledge allegiance to their country when in school they are anarchists! Our lessons in patriotsm need revision, and we should have a definition of patriot that, while it includes the men who fell at Concord and Bunker Hill, shall not leave out the mother of the Revolution; a definition that, while it takes in Dewey and Roosevelt, and Sampson and Hobson, shall include every boy and girl, man and woman, who in peace and war is true to home and kindred and obeys the laws, be they of school, state or nation."

"I make no apology for not dilating at length upon the social changes in question. Those I shall mention are writ so large that he who runs may read. The change that comes first to mind, the one that overshadows and even controls all others, is the industrial one—the application of science resulting in the great inventions that have utilized the forces of nature on a vast and inexpensive scale; the growth of a world wide market as the object of production, of vast manufacturing centers to supply this market, of cheap and rapid means of communication and distribution between all its parts. Even as to its feebler beginnings, this change is not much more than a century old; in many of its most important aspects it belongs within the short span of those now living. One can hardly believe there has been a revolution in all history so rapid, so exhaustive, so complete. Through it the face of the earth is making over, even as to its physical forms; political boundaries are wiped out and moved about, as if they were indeed only lines on a paper map; population is hurriedly gathered into cities from the ends of the earth; habits of living are altered with startling abruptness and thoroughness; the search for the truths of nature is infinitely stimulated and facilitated and their application to life made not only practicable, but commercially necessary. Even our moral and religious ideas and interests, the most conservative because the deepest-lying things in our nature, are profoundly affected. That this revolution should not affect education in other than moral and superficial fashion is inconceivable."—The School and Society by John Dewey.

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NEW CLUB HOUSE.

Opening of Cochato Club of Braintree Next Week.

The House committee have the new clubhouse nearly all furnished, and will be ready for the opening next Friday evening. A Chickering grand piano, owned by the club has arrived; also folding seats for an audience of 250 people; four card tables, easy and rocking chairs, one billiard, two pool tables, etc. On the wall of the reception hall hangs in a pretty frame the club chart.

Attractive electric light fixtures have been put in place and light will be furnished by the town for that evening. The executive committee have settled on the price for the game of billards at 30 cents an hour and pool two cents a cue.

In the basement are three bowling alleys, second to none in the State, and Wednesday the pins and balls will receive their fiset use. Charles O. Miller, L. O. Cocker, Fred Hunt, E. Stanwood Hollis and L. W. Spaulding, committee on bowling, have all in readiness, and have made the price for bowling ten cents a string, 12 tickets for a dollar.

Many people are making inquiries concerning the requirements of dress, etc., for the "opening night." It must be remembered that this is a club affair and every member of the club is at home in the clubhouse at all times, and is, therefore, at perfect liberty to do as he or she pleases—to dress in such a manner as suits his or her convenience. This is a characteristic of real club-life, and it cannot be put aside here if we are to have a club of good-fellowship. Every member is supposed to know every other member in terms of familiar conversation, even without formal introduction, while in the clubhouse; dress has nothing to do about it. We are in our own home for the time. Of course, this clubhouse social relation, creates no social obligations outside of the clubhouse. We may as well have these things understood at the beginning so that our community may get the full benefit of genuine club-life.

At a meeting of the Executive committee of the club at the clubhouse last Thursday evening fifteen new members were elected to membership. The president and secretary were authorized to appoint a committee of five to take into consideration the work of interesting the club in matters of general public importance, so that the club may exert its influence in making this section of the State more attractive for residential and industrial purposes, and that it may be active in securing for this section its share of public attention.

The committee will hold another meeting next Wednesday evening and all who may wish to attend the "opening night" of the club as members on March 16, should make application for membership to some member of the Executive committee before next Wednesday evening.—Observer and Reporter.

Braintree Vets.

The Members of the Braintree Veteran Association held a large and enthusiastic meeting in the Franklin street engine house Thursday evening. The Association is in a thriving condition and they bid fair to make a success with their engine "Butcher Boy," the coming season. The machine is in first class order. They elected only their business officers Thursday evening. Field officers will be elected at their next meeting in the same place on Thursday evening April 12th. The following are the officers chosen:—President, Wortli A. Green; First vice-president, James A. Lane; Second vice-president, Chas. Custance; Secretary, George A. Roel; Treasurer, Louis W. Thayer; Directors, Elmer E. Dyer, George A. Roel, Charles Custance, Willie Stetson and Granville E. Coy.

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MARRIED.

HOBART—GAGE—In Braintree, March 7, by Rev. A. A. Ellsworth, H. Parker Hobart to Ethel M. Gage, both of Braintree.

DIED.

NIGHTINGALE—In Quincy, March 9, Mrs. Sarah B., Widow of Mr. John F. Nightingale of Fort street, aged 43 years and 1 month.

HATHAWAY—In Weymouth, March 9, Florence V., daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hathaway.

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Time for a Halt.

Editors of the Daily Ledger—:

The Council has now before it three orders, amounting to $7,000, for concrete sidewalks in that part of the city known as Norfolk Downs, embracing portions of the streets called Billings road, Rawson road and Beach street. All three streets run through a comparatively thinly settled district, and are not what are commonly known as thoroughfares connecting populous districts over which hundreds, perhaps thousands of pedestrians pass daily. Besides this $7,000, which is asked to be expended on this locality, some $5,500 was spent during the year 1898-99 on Billings road, a highway whose principal traffic is grocery and coal wagons, and has but four houses abutting on it. Several thousand dollars more will be asked of the present Council to complete the job. In all some $15,000 or $16,000 has been expended or petitioned for on these particular streets, over which the traffic is infinitismal in comparison to at least two score of other streets in the city, including Hancock, Washington, Beale, Brook, Newport avenue, Copeland, Granite, and Newbury avenue, which are in crying need of permanent repairs. There has been and is now some pretty sharp criticism by influential citizens that the City Council should expend such uncalled for liberal sums on streets whose daily traffic can be counted on one's fingers. If it is necessary to spend that amount of money in Ward Six, a large number of its residents are of the opinion that it should be expended where the travel is the heaviest,—on such streets as Newbury or Squantum, and not in the immediate neighborhood of the gentleman who introduced all of those orders. W. A. S.

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ARIZONA'S AMBITION.

GOVERNOR MURPHY RENEWS THE AGITATION FOR STATEHOOD.

Development of Rich Gold and Copper Mines—Quarries of Sandstone. Solution of the Mystery of Superstition Mountain.

[Special Correspondence.]

PHENIX, A. T., March 5.—Governor Murphy of this territory is determined that Arizona shall be granted statehood. He is an interesting man and has the reputation of getting what he wants. The governor resembles in face and form ex-President Cleveland. Mr. Murphy drove a stage in California when quite young and came to Arizona with little or no money. Lucky mining schemes have made him rich, and he is now a stockholder and officer in several banks and is interested in a number of local railroad enterprises.

The assessed valuation of property in Arizona is over $32,500,000. The territory covers an area of over 3,700,000 acres of land. The bonded indebtedness of Arizona is less than $1,000,000. The population is at least 100,000, and this number is augmented yearly by over 5,000 persons.

The mines of Arizona possess fabulous wealth. During 1899 over $5,000,000 worth of gold was produced. The presence of rich gold mines was not

FIRST EXECUTIVE MANSION OF ARIZONA.

known eight years ago. Then there are vast supplies of onyx, marble and granite. The Harqua Hala mine in Yuma county is declared to be one of the richest gold producers in the world.

The copper mines of Arizona are very productive. Last year over $20,000,000 worth of this mineral was taken out of the ground. This means an output of over 110,000,000 pounds of copper. The copper mines and smelters of the territory give employment to over 5,000 men, while double that number will sooner or later be at work on the many prospects when they are developed.

The United Verde copper mine at Jerome is the richest of its kind in the world. The property is largely owned by United States Senator Clark of Montana. His income from this investment is princely. The mine has 1,000 men on its pay roll. Access to the United Verde is very difficult. It is impossible for the curiosity seeker to go through the mine. The common way is to get a description of the entrance and various passageways and tunnels. Then, dressed as a miner, the explorer tries to run the gantlet of searching eyes. It is very seldom that the watchmen are evaded.

A story told by a former minister to Switzerland referring to the petrified forest of Arizona and related by a prominent citizen of New Mexico is recalled. Ex-Senator J. Donald Cameron of Pennsylvania was camping out with friends in Arizona. They had journeyed all day across the desert with nothing but sand and sky and sagebrush in sight. One of the party said to Mr. Cameron, "Presently we will come to a spring of water with trees and green grass all around." Cameron was dubious, but the prediction came true.

The next day they left this place, and the same prophet said to Senator Cameron, "Soon we will come to a spot where the trees and the grass and the birds and the animals and everything else is petrified." This was too much for the senator, and he said quickly: "Impossible! Impossible! Why, the laws of gravitation would have to be suspended." Instantly the prophet replied, "Oh, no; they were petrified too."

About 20 miles from this city is Mount Superstition, which, rising abruptly, can be seen for many miles. On its western slope is a bluff which contains an acre of level rock. Some years ago a gentleman visited this spot out of curiosity. He discovered an old fort and a mass of relics. He also observed a primitive smelter. As night came on he concluded to lay himself down on a flat rock and sleep. He was later awakened by an electric shock. He was also surprised to find a line of fire running from north to south.

A few days later the intrepid adventurer induced a companion to revisit the scene of the phenomenon. They lay on the same rock and were likewise awakened by an electric shock. An investigation showed a quantity of iron on the north side of the plain and to the south a lot of copperas. These mineral veins were connected by veins of pure copper placed there by volcanic action. A stream of water impregnated with salt was also found. Thus the elements were present to incite electrical action. The ancients were doubtless aware of this freak of nature. They possibly thought the place was inhabited by the gods. At any rate, it is said that the Indians to this day will not approach near to Superstition mountain.

A fine grade of sandstone is found in the quarries of Arizona. The handsome station at Flagstaff is built from this material. Numerous structures, both public and private, are being erected all over Arizona out of this stone. These substantial edifices are in striking contrast to the humble buildings used as the earliest executive offices of the territory. DONALD DUNCAN.

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Property Seized to Secure the Salaries of Employes.

Twenty Thousand Letters For Missing Man Accummulated In Two Days.

Boston, March 10.—Only one man had luck in "Luck Box" Parker's late place of business, at 26 Broomfield street, yesterday, and that was Constable McDonough, who attached all the chattels in the office to secure salaries said to be owed employes.

Twelve of them—and every one had a "lucky box"—pooled their claims, and on application of their counsel three writs issued from the municipal court yesterday to secure unpaid salaries, aggregating about $1000. Some of them say that they had not been paid for weeks.

Luck clung to Parker, however, for United States Marshal Ruhl, who holds the warrant for his arrest, has not yet been able to apprehend him. But the postoffice authorities are confident that it is only a question of a short time when he will be run to ground.

This warrant was issued Thursday. Deputy United States Marshal Rhul and Postoffice Inspector Swift spent nearly the whole afternoon within view of the office for the purpose of arersting Parker, but their presence became known to the employes of the office, who kept the fugitive of what was going on. Had the department officials at Washington withheld the news of their action one day longer, giving the officials in Boston time to execute the warrant, Parker would have been under arrest now, but the premature announcement from Washington gave him a good hint of what might happen if he remained, and he had ample time to escape.

At the hour yesterday when he usually opened his office a string of people filed into the building and waited in front of the office door, not to buy any more "lucky boxes," but to demand the return of their money. At the top of the stairs which leads to the next floor there is a crude sign on the door, saying "Removed To," but it gives no address. It was in a room inside this door that Parker polished up the wooden boxes and put his rings into them, after an alleged magnetic touch of each ring, and on the same floor the mail orders were filled.

All the mailing clerks have been suspended, but it is clearly evident that several young men have been engaged to patrol Broomfield street in front of the office to watch the people who enter the building. One of the women, who describes herself as Parker's confidential clerk, explained that Mr. Parker imported only one "lucky box," and that he used it for a model, but she is not absolutely positive whether or not this sample box was made by a Hindoo.

The Lynn factory in which the boxes were made shut down yesterday, but a speculator has offered Carl Thornberg, who ran the factory, 10 cents a box for all he can make, as souveniers of the Parker swindle. Thornberg admits that this is more than Parker paid. It is learned from reliable sources that Parker had a partner in the business.

The postoffice officials in Boston began yesterday to return his mail to the senders. About 20,000 letters had accumulated in the last two days. About one-third of it bears return addresses and can be sent direct, but the remainder will go through the inquiry division, where each letter is to be numbered and recorded before it is sent to the dead letter office.

Was Mourned as Dead.

Kishkill Landing, N. Y., March 10.—Fireman Frank Spencer disappeared from an engine on the New Haven road a month ago. It was supposed he fell into the Housatonic river. The company dragged for the body, and his wife and children mourned him as dead. A former employe of the New Haven road yesterday discovered him acting as brakeman on the New York Central railroad. He told a confused story regarding his disappearance.

Missing Steamer Heard From.

Philadelphia, March 10.—The Spanish steamer Minerva, which had been missing for many weeks and was given up as lost, has been towed into Bermuda. The Minerva was sighted on Feb. 21 off Cape Hatteras by a steamer which made an effort to tow her. The hawser parted, and the Minerva went adrift. Nothing had been heard of the Minerva from that time until yesterday. She has a crew of 25 men.

Cleveland and Louisville Dropped.

New York, March 10.—The National league magnates wound up their three days' session last night. The last day was marked by a six-hour session. The double umpire system has been done away with, and for the coming season there will be but one "master of the field." For their Cleveland property the Robinsons will receive $25,000. Of this amount $10,000 is for the franchise.

But Three Survivors of Red Ash Disaster.

Charlestown, W. Va., March 10.—The total number of those taken out of the Red Ash mine up to last night is 31. Of these three are living and may recover. The number thought to be in the mine is 20. This makes 48 killed and three injured. Six bodies were found last night, but they were so badly decomposed that they have not been recognized.

Ended Lonely Life by Shooting.

Chelsea, Mass., March 10.—Despondency, caused by the recent loss of wife and daughter, led Levi Hutchins, aged 64, a war veteran, to end his life by shooting last night. Mr. Hutchins was an employe in the Boston custom house. He served as lieutenant in the Fortieth Massachusetts regiment.

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"A few days ago, to illustrate what I mean, a planter from San Juan, Costa Rica, came in and selected six dozen white linen shirts, a gross of collars and another gross of cuffs to match the outfit. The shirts were of a standard make and all of one pattern—as like as two peas—and the same was true of the collars and cuffs. When the planter finally made his selection, he told me in broken English that he was ready to try the things on, and, showing him into a private room, I sent him a shirt and set of collar and cuffs. Presently he stuck his head out of the door and said:

"'These ez all right. Please sen me ze remaindaire.'

"I told the porter to carry in the lot, and he proceeded to try on 72 shirts and 144 collars and cuffs. As you may well imagine, it took time, for he dressed himself fully when he put on each garment, to judge how it set with his clothes. He began at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and when we closed at 6 had worked his way through 14 shirts.

"Next day he began at 9 sharp, took an hour off for lunch and satisfied himself that he wasn't being bunkoed on 30 more. That left 28, which he finished off the following evening. With each shirt he tried on two collars and two pairs of cuffs. Of course he found all the different articles exact duplicates, just as I tried to explain to him in advance, but he wasn't taking any chances and handed over the price with an easy mind.

"Nearly all our other customers from that part of the world do substantially the same thing. I once sold a Guatemala official a whole case of socks, and he insisted on trying on every pair and lacing up his shoes over them. It was a tedious operation and caused him to miss a ship, but he stuck to it to the bitter end. Queer people these Central Americans!"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Providing Elder.

Walking through the streets in Franklin, Tenn., I called to an old darky just ahead of me, "Uncle, please tell me who lives in the red brick across the way?"

"Why, bless me, missis, dat is whar de providing elder lives!"

"And who lives up the hill in front of us?"

"Dat am de pasturage for re passon who am de Prisbeterne preacher."

"Thank you, uncle. You have given me a great deal of information."

Signs of Prosperity.

Watts—Well, prosperity is undoubtedly here.

Potts—So? Any signs of it in your case?

"Yes, indeed. There's a beggar got me on his list who used to strike me for a penny every day. Now he isn't satisfied with anything less than a dime."—Indianapolis Press.

A Squelcher.

"Most learned doctor, something so intensely funny has just struck me. When is a man not a man?"

"When he asks idiotic riddles, sir; then he's an infernal nuisance, sir. Let us take a walk down Fleet street."—Judy.

A Wartime Pun.

"I see they have been issuing a restricted ration to the British soldiers along the Modder."

"Encouraging Modder-ration in appetites, I suppose."

Bang! Bang!—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Cause.

"Isn't this a weary old world?" groaned the struggling author.

"It has reason to be," said the literary editor. "Two more replies to 'The Man With the Hoe' have just appeared."—Chicago Tribune.

A Lucky Dog.

"What do you feed your dog?"

"He lives on the fat of the land. Nothing that the neighbors can furnish is any too good for him. The fact is he lives better than we do."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Good Enough Reason.

Mother—I'm surprised at you! Could you not tell he was going to kiss you?

Daughter—Yes, ma, but there was no one for me to tell except him, and he knew it already.—Philadelphia Press.

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Not an Easy Proposition For Those In Charge of the Work—Some of the Difficulties to Be Overcome. Census Taking In the Long Ago.

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, March 6.—A visit to the census office and a glimpse at Census Director Merriam's busy force will disabuse the mind of any one who thinks that census taking is a political picnic. Few persons appreciate the magnitude of the work. The eleventh census cost more than $11,000,000, and in the twelfth census an office force of over 2,000 for about two years and a field force of over 50,000 for from two weeks to a month will be employed. The Hollerith tabulating machines, by which the population is counted and

CENSUS DIRECTOR MERRIAM.

the returns are tabulated, makes census taking a huge industrial process. The census office becomes a factory and the director of census a captain of industry.

The United States was the first nation of modern times to order and execute a periodical national census. The ancient Hebrews, while in the wilderness, before reaching the promised land, by direction of their leader, Moses, made an enumeration of their fighting men between the ages of 20 and 50, of whom there were 600,000. In Palestine there were occasional enumerations of the people for taxing and military purposes. The Greeks and Romans also had the system of enumeration of population and ascertainment of individual wealth for like purposes. But for lack of facilities the methods necessarily employed in those times gave far from satisfactory results and did not approach the accuracy and completeness that are possible today.

In this country there was some doubtful guessing as to population before the first census was taken in 1790, but such has been the uniformity of the rate of increase as shown by successive census returns that a safer rule for determining the population of the colonies at any particular period would be to apply, by a reverse process of calculation, the rate of increase since ascertained.

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Not an Easy Proposition For Those In Charge of the Work—Some of the Difficulties to Be Overcome. Census Taking In the Long Ago.

[Special Correspondence.]

WASHINGTON, March 6.—A visit to the census office and a glimpse at Census Director Merriam's busy force will disabuse the mind of any one who thinks that census taking is a political picnic. Few persons appreciate the magnitude of the work. The eleventh census cost more than $11,000,000, and in the twelfth census an office force of over 2,000 for about two years and a field force of over 50,000 for from two weeks to a month will be employed. The Hollerith tabulating machines, by which the population is counted and

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In 1890 the census law provided that a "special report" upon the Indians should be made. A volume of seven hundred odd pages was published, profusely illustrated and touching every point of the Indian problem. For once in history "Poor Lo" was accorded justice. The volume was so pretty that the edition was soon exhausted, and now the department of the interior has not even a copy for the census office itself. But the law providing for the twelfth census makes no special provision for an Indian census, nor does it authorize such a report as was made ten years ago. It is at this point that the real difficulties of the census office regarding the Indians begin.

The Indian population, then, cannot be treated by itself and described in a separate report. It also seems illogical to class the Indians among the ordinary population of the United States. The Indian tribe is in many respects a distinct nationality, although since 1871 congress has been doing its best to destroy all traces of tribal independence or self government. Moreover, the tribal Indians are not citizens of the United States. The reservations upon which they live are not legally parts of the state or territory which surrounds them, and state and territorial laws do not apply to the reservation or to the Indians upon it. Acts of congress do not apply to reservation Indians unless such application is explicitly authorized in the act.

Under such conditions it seems impossible for the census office to class Indians as a part of the ordinary inhabitants of the states and territories. On the other hand, it is equally impossible to ignore them and omit them entirely, for the constitution of the United States says that "representatives shall be apportioned among the several states according to their respective numbers, counting the whole number of persons in each state, excluding Indians not taxed."

All these points are subjected to the most careful examination in the census office, and when a decision as to the legal obligation of the office has been reached the statisticians turn their attention to the economic and social aspects of the question in hand. Experts are consulted, the important lines of investigation are mapped out, and inquiries are so framed as to bring out the desired information in a form in which it can be handled with the Hollerith machines. At the same time these questions must be put in such a way that they will neither be misunderstood nor likely to evoke antagonism or false replies. No pains are spared to interest the public in the work and to secure general and hearty co-operation. Without that the most careful work at Washington or by the enumerators must prove fruitless.

The census office at Washington has not a monopoly of the difficulties in the work of enumerating. Many of the 50,000 enumerators, who will be placed under a time limit not exceeding a month, will have many obstacles to overcome. They will have to move with celerity and along well defined lines, which the natural conditions will sometimes oppose. For instance, our new possessions will furnish roads hitherto unexplored by the census taker. The law directs that the census of Alaska and Hawaii shall be taken this year, and, while the latter may not present extreme difficulties, it can be easily understood that there are many troubles in store for the operators in Alaska. The great stretches of almost uninhabited territory, the wide distances between the towns and camps, the scattered cabins of the diggers and placer miners, which must frequently be reached by new and imperfect roads over bleak mountains and icy streams, will make the work of the enumerator exceedingly difficult and sometimes perilous.

The census office has sent out circulars to various interests appealing for prompt and full replies to the printed

CENSUS TAKING IN ALASKA.

questions asked, and the people generally are urged to give such assistance to the enumerators as will insure the expeditious and thorough performance of the duties assigned the office of the twelfth census. If the solicitations and requests of the director of the census are met by the people in the same spirit as they are offered, we may be assured of such a compilation of facts and figures as to our population, wealth and resources as the nineteenth century closes as will give every American just cause for pride in his country.

SAMUEL HUBBARD.

QUINCY MARRIAGES OF 1899.

As a matter of reference, the marriages of 1899 in Quincy are given herewith. Former residents of the city would be pleased to receive a copy of the paper:

(Continued from yesterday.)

July 1. August C. Maugs and Matilda Carlhewichsdochterguhnes both of Quincy.
1. William S. Smith and Flora McKenzie both of Quincy.
3. Natale Bizzozero and Caterina Verdelli both of Quincy.
5. John W. Simons of Quincy and Pauline J. Wagner of Fall River, Mass.
10. Harry W. McCabe and Clara B. Baker both of Quincy.
12. Walter Fowler of Troy, N. H., and Joan Middleton of Quincy.
19. James C. Tinney and Elizabeth McKay both of Quincy.
20. Edward A. Myatte and Isabella M. Ryan both of Quincy.
21. Andrew Wilcox and Rhoda Court both of Detroit, Mich.
24. John H. Conrey of Quincy and Annie Burns of Lawrence, Mass.
26. Michael T. Sullivan and Eleanor G. Roche both of Quincy.
27. David R. Coles and Annie J. (Adams) Blaisdell both of Quincy.

Aug. 1. Orra P. K. Horsman of East Braintree and Effie E. (Wakham) Wilson of Quincy.
2. Roscoe W. Johnson and Luella G. Brown both of Quincy.
2. Jeremiah Hallinan of Brockton and Mary E. Fitzgerald of Quincy.
9. John F. Kelliher of Holbrook, Mass., and Mary E. Mischler of Quincy.
9. John F. Maloney and Mary Brennan both of Quincy.
12. Matti T. Rintamaki and Ida U. Penttila both of Quincy.
12. Herbert A. Morton of Quincy and Mary D. French of Conway, N. H
13. Robert S. McLean of Quincy and Gertrude M. Thayer of Boston.
19. Samuel Haapaniemi and Lise Haantala both of Quincy.
19. Dennis McCarthy and Catherine Cain both of Quincy.
22. Samuel Castleman and Sarah Lubarsky both of Quincy.
24. Frank A. Davis of Boston and Mary A. Browne of Quincy.
26. Charles M. Cooper of East Bowdoinham, Me., and Nellie E. Burnell of East Sebago, Me.
27. Sylvester Teeri and Sanna L. Hiidenniemi both of Quincy.
28. Joseph Connelly and Theresa Galvin both of Quincy.
30. John A. Skogberg and Sofia Rinta both of Quincy.

Sept. 5. Edward Murphy of Boston and Abbie M. O'Connell of Quincy.
9. William T. Cullen of Boston and Catherine Callahan of Quincy.
10. John Swithin and Annie S. Watts both of Quincy.
11. Martin H. McConnell of Quincy and Mamie A. Hogan of Pomfret, Ct.
12. John M. Kelliher and Elizabeth J. Beard both of Quincy.
14. Henry Farrer and Christie McLennan both of Quincy.
14. Malcolm McLeod and Mary Giles both of Quincy.
14. Albert M. Blood of Groton and Agnes A. Jennings of Somerville, Mass.
16. Carl A. Carlson and Alma M. Carlson both of Quincy.
19. John C. Carley and Margaret A. Dinegan both of Quincy.
20. Thomas T. Morris and Mary Evans both of Quincy.
20. Edmund A. Shea and Margaret McCormick both of Quincy.
21. Arthur W. Ryder and Ellen M. McPhail both of Quincy.
21. Robert M. Thompson and Henrietta Lawry both of Quincy.
24. Frederick Mueller and Ella F. Hayden both of Providence, R. I.
24. Charles McKenzie, Jr., and Mary Taylor both of Quincy.
25. William C. Wales and Blanche E. Paret both of Quincy.
26. Carl A. Carlson and Maria Tjengrall both of Quincy.
27. William A. Macduff of Everett, Mass., and Mary McLeod of Quincy.
27. Charles A. Mattson and Alina K. Hoglund both of Quincy.
27. Daniel J. McNeece of Quincy and Mary M. Crowley of Boston.
28. Richard T. Clark and Ana Medlin both of Quincy.
28. Cyrus K. Wells and Louisa J. Chadbourne both of Lynn.
28. Edward F. Brown and Ola P. Whittier both of Quincy.
28. Gustaf E. Livendale and Ellen M. Johnson both of Quincy.
29. Karl Johnson and Selma Johnson both of Quincy.

Oct. 2. Winthrop T. Case of Boston and Cynthia G. Souther of Quincy.
2. Joseph A. Earle and Mary Travers both of Quincy.
3. Patrick F. Flaherty and Mary G. Mahoney both of Quincy.
4. Edwin F. Wilmot of Quincy and Mary E. Whitney of Jefferson, Mass.
4. Harry E. Russell of Quincy and Ethel G. Pitkin of Braintree, Mass.
4. Joseph P. Dufour of Taunton and Mary E. Savoie of Quincy.
11. Henry C. Dewey and Sarah E. Lord both of Quincy.
12. Francisco Vergobbi and Anita Checchi both of Quincy.
15. John J. Delory and Evangeline Levangie both of Quincy.
16. Samuel E. Williams and Mary A. McLean both of Quincy.
18. John M. L. Ramseyer of Boston and Rosanna M. Bill of Quincy.
18. John D. Evans and Lucy Kain both of Quincy.
18. Maurice T. Cantill and Mattie J. Hardwick both of Quincy.
18. Charles J. Riley of Quincy and Annie McLaughlin of Milton.
18. Wilbur H. Plympton of Bridgeport, Conn., and Augusta S. Hamilton of Shrewsbury, Mass.
21. Anton W. Hermanson and Olivia C. Dusey both of Quincy.
21. John F. Hollinder and Carin Nilson both of Quincy.
25. Harry A. Faircloth of Quincy and Ethell Connell of Hyde Park, Mass.
25. Arthur W. Harris and Sadie M. Jones both of Quincy.
25. Arthur R. Fitts of Quincy and Bertha F. Rice of Waterford, Me.
25. Johan P. A. Larsson and Edla A. C. Petterson both of Quincy.
26. Henry Worsdell and Lily E. Medlin both of Quincy.
26. Walter J. Anderson and Eva Ferguson both of Quincy.
26. Albert N. Birse and Maud E. Lapham both of Quincy.
28. Giulo Brogioli and Maria Tapalla both of Quincy.
31. Harlan E. Clark of Cambridge and Matilda Nelson of Quincy.

Nov. 1. Patrick O. Carroll of Boston and Josephine L. Leclaire of Quincy.
1. Christian M. Jensen of Quincy and Eliza A. Burnett of Boston.
1. James S. Corbin and Alice H. Downs both of Salisbury.
4. August N. Weeden and Selina A. Hedrall both of Quincy.
5. Leonard Q. Gay and Catherine Sullivan both of Stoughton.
8. Patrick J. Fay of Quincy and Nellie T. Condon of Milton.
9. Everett V. Hardwick and Grace A. Blanchard both of Quincy.
11. John A. Weeden and Ellen J. Fornell both of Quincy.
11. Bion H. Lowe and Eva E. (Carver) Sinclare both of Boston.
14. Robert E. Jones of Quincy and Maria E. Morris of Lowell.
15. Stanford Hayden of Quincy and Ada M. Dimock of Boston.
15. Henry J. Scanlan and Emily J. Smith both of Quincy.
15. Samuel Burchill of Quincy and Catherine Donovan of Boston.
15. John P. Bigelow, Jr., of Quincy and Ruby C. Neal of Braintree.
22. Frederick B. Jacobs and Marguerite C. Reece both of Quincy.
22. James F. Kelley and Catherine J. Reardon both of Quincy.
27. John Robertson and Emily A. Ellard both of Quincy.
27. Joel H. Pillsbury of St. Augustine, Fla., and Amelia F. Hall of Quincy.
27. John J. Quinn of Boston and Adeline McGonigle of Quincy.
28. John Storey and Mary A. Phillips both of Quincy.
29. Michael J. Greaney of Quincy and Margaret F. Malloy of Boston.
29. Jeremiah J. Sullivan of Quincy and Julia Mahoney of Boston.
29. Thomas Ross and Annie Stewart both of Quincy.
29. Herbert S. Mackay of Quincy and Jennie E. Follins of Milton.
29. Albert E. Stephenson and Lucy H. Osborne both of Quincy.
29. Daniel F. Fitzgerald of Quincy and Mary G. Riley of Haverhill.
29. John C. Sherlin and Helen C. Smith both of Quincy.
29. Henry S. Smith and Elizabeth G. Lycett both of Quincy.
29. William J. DeCost of Boston and Florence I. Pitts of Quincy.
29. Primo Capiferri and Angeline A. Capacioli both of Quincy.
29. Daniel F. Shea of Quincy and Ida M. Brown of Lexington, Mass.

Dec. 8. Delancy M. Gesner of Boston and Annie C. Dunlap of Quincy.
9. Olaf Anderson and Anna M. Olson both of Quincy.
10. John J. Durham of Canton and Eleanor L. D. Harris of Quincy.
16. Harry F. French of Hingham and Lutie W. Litchfield of Weymouth.
20. Wallace W. Emery of Walla Walla, Idaho, and Anna L. (Heald) Bennett of Quincy.
20. Charles Bishop of Quincy and Amy McVane of Braintree, Mass.
22. Alfred L. Pickard and Helen A. Condon both of Quincy,
23. Agusto Sanguinetti and Emma Maggiani both of Quincy.
24. Charles S. Jose and Charlotte A. (Joy) Foss both of Quincy.
25. Seth W. Fiske of Quincy and Sadie P. Collins of Winthrop, Maine.
26. Donald McKinnon and Mary McCannell both of Quincy.
26. Evart W. Adams of Colorado Springs and Anna P. Putnam of Danvers, Mass.
28. Everett H. Higgins and Ethel M. DeMary both of Quincy.

—Some of the Massachusetts commissioners for the Buffalo "pan-American exposition" of 1901, want this state to add $50,000 to the $5,000 already appropriated. Governor Crane said in his inaugural address something to the effect that the state needs a breathing-spell for financial recuperation. It seems to us that one of the good places to recuperate is right here in front of this $50,000 scheme. If the state has the money to spare, a good place to use it is in the payment of some of the state's debt.—New Bedford Standard.

—The British army estimates show a total expenditure this year of £61,499,400, an increase over last year of £40,882,200. It is costing a pretty penny to subjugate those unruly Boers, isn't it?

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TO WED MRS. CHILDS.

Washington Hears That This Is the Reason For General Wheeler's Return.

Washington, March 10.—The story that General Joe Wheeler is returning from the Philippines to claim as his bride Mrs. George W. Childs, who now resides in Washington, has been revived. It is asserted upon what seems to be excellent authority that the veteran soldier and the widow of the famous Philadelphia editor will wed. It is further asserted that the trousseau of the bride prospective is being completed in anticipation of the event, and that the details have been arranged.

It will be remembered that prior to the departure of the general to the Philippines the rumor was afloat that he and Mrs. Childs contemplated a matrimonial alliance. It was denied, that is, Mrs. Childs took occasion to deny it, but the general, with his characteristic gallantry, stated that it was not within the province of a gentleman to offer a denial in affairs of the heart, and courteously referred his interrogator to Mrs. Childs. The latter did not hesitate to say there was nothing in the report.

Now it is in circulation again, and there are those who profess to know for a fact that the marriage has been planned.

General Wheeler is 64 years old. Mrs. Childs is 10 years his junior.

Death of Professor Hubbard.

New York, March 10.—Oliver Payson Hubbard, LL. D., late professor of chemistry and theology at Dartmouth college, died at his home here yesterday. Professor Hubbard was famous as a chemist and geologist. He was born at Pomfret, Conn., in 1809. He graduated at Yale in 1828, where he acted as assistant to the Elder Stilliman, whose daughter he subsequently married. He held the chair in chemistry and pharmacy and geology at Dartmouth for 30 years. He was associated with Professor Stilliman in the examination of the United States for the cultivation of sugar, being expressly assigned to the eastern states. In 1863-64 he was a member of the New Hampshire legislature. He was noted as a contributor to scientific publications.

Implicated In Goebel's Assassination.

Frankfort, Ky., March 10.—W. H. Coulton, a clerk in the office of State Auditor Sweeney, was arrested and placed in jail last night, charged with complicity in the murder of the late Governor William Goebel. Warrants have also been issued for the arrest of Secretary of State Powers and Captain Davis, policeman of the state capitol square. The warrants charge them with being accessories to the Goebel assassination. Warrants against ex-Secretary of State Charles Finley and John T. Powers, brother of Secretary of State Powers, have been sworn out. Several witnesses have sworn that the shots at the time of the Goebel assassination were fired from the direction of Secretary Powers' office.

Hangman's Day.

Beaumont, Tex., March 10.—Anthony Hopkins was hanged here yesterday in the presence of 5000 people, who took up a collection of $100 for his mother and sent it with his remains to her in Waco. In 1896 Hopkins killed Paul Hurst, for which crime he was tried and acquitted. Soon after that Hopkins killed his wife, and yesterday suffered the penalty for her murder.

Trenton, March 10.—Edward Williams, colored, was hanged yesterday for the murder of Minnie Eizley, a white woman, last Thanksgiving day. As the drop fell he was in the act of singing "Nearer, My God, to Thee."

Gotham Police Waking Up.

New York, March 10.—John McKenna's pool room, one of the biggest and best known in New York, was raided yesterday while there were 200 men in it. McKenna was sitting behind one of the cages, and after a detective had made a bet with him he was arrested. A detective was sent to the Parkview hotel yesterday to see if there was any evidence to be obtained of a pool room being conducted there. He found W. J. Reilly, the proprietor, there, and he made a bet with him on a horse race, and then arrested him. Reilly and McKenna were bailed.

McGovern Whips Gardner.

New York, March 10.—Terry McGovern of Brooklyn knocked out Oscar Gardner in the third round of what was to have been a 25-round bout before the Broadway Athletic club last night. McGovern was a favorite in the betting at long odds. Gardner did some good work in the first round, succeeding in knocking McGovern down with a left swing on the jaw. McGovern rushed matters from the opening of the second round until the end of the fight. Three times Gardner went down and each time took almost the count.

Expected Boom Proved a Boomerang.

Kingston, Jam., March 10.—In order to prevent the Boston Fruit company from getting the monopoly of the Jamaica fruit trade, the British government contracted with the Elder-Dempster company of England to run a direct line of fruit steamers here. It was believed that this would boom the price of bananas. The English company, however, has appointed the Boston company to be its agent here, and there will be no opposition between them.

Death of Young Firebug.

Boston, March 10.—Word was received last night of the death at the state farm, in Bridgewater, of Lewis K. Wright, who, as an 18-year-old boy, was sentenced in 1893 for the setting fire to a building in the dry goods district. He confessed the crime, but pleaded insanity. Wright was directly and indirectly responsible for the loss of five lives and property valued at $5,000,000.

Was Probably a Double Disaster.

Halifax, March 10.—Off Parrington yesterday fishermen found the fore-topmast of a barque or barkentine, broken off at the crosstrees, floating with deals and other wreckage from the recent disaster. This strengthens the belief that the steamer Planet Mercury was sunk in collision and that the disaster of Feb. 18 was two fold.

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Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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TO BOSTON.			FROM BOSTON.		
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r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
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SUNDAYS.

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r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

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WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a. m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a. m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a. m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a. m.
New Moon	30	2:30 p. m.			

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

Miss Sarah B. Nightingale, widow of the late Joseph F. Nightingale, died last evening of pneumonia, being sick only four days. The family of five have the deep sympathy of a large circle of friends.

The Gleaner's Circle of King's Daughters will sell aprons, cake and candy at the home of Mrs. H. T. Whitman's, Grand View avenue, this afternoon and evening, March 10, the proceeds, to assist the unfortunate of Quincy.

P. J. McCullough of Quincy Point attempted to board a car at the Qincy depot, about 1 o'clock Friday night, when he slipped and fell. He strained himself, but fortunately broke no bones. He was attended by Dr. Jones and then taken home. The car was standing still at the time.

Hoyt's "A Bunch of Keys."

Mr. Charles Hoyt has ever wielded a keen but kindly pen in satirizing the fads of every day life, but in none of them has he been happier than in the satire the fads of every day life, in this comedy from the tuneful entrance of the Haram Scarum Teddy, to the final curtain, he displays his keen wit and plays on the many eccentricities seen in daily hotel life. The company presenting this most successful comedy, is one of the best that has ever been seen in it, and the engagement promises to be the laughing event of the season. Music Hall, Tuesday, March 13th.

Castle Square Theatre.

The long anticipated revival of the popular romantic drama "The Prisoner of Zenda" is announced at the Castle Square Theatre for the week beginning Monday, March 12th, and the management promise that all previous productions of this play at this theatre shall be surpassed in this revival. The cast will vary essentially from that of the performances of this play by the Castle Square Theatre stock company a little over a year ago, and much interest attaches to the appearances of several of the members of the organization in this production. The cast includes: John Craig, N. H. Fowler, J. L. Seeley, Stanley Kent, Charles Mackay Edward Wade, Tony Cummings, Harry Hadfield, Lindsay Morison, William Paul, John J. Geary, T. W. Townsend, John F. Beck, William J. Hasson, Augustus White, Augustus Ungar, Lillian Lawrence, Leonora Bradley, and Leonora Gnito. Following this production, its sequel, "Rupert of Hentzeau," is announced. The distribution of boxes of choice chocolate bon bons at the Monday matinee will be continued until further notice.

—Only about a month to the base ball season. There will be but eight clubs in the National league this year

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BRAINTREE.

Monday's town meeting was the 154th that the Hon. Francis A. Hobart has presided over as moderator within the past 41 years.

Mrs. F. A. Hobart has been quite ill at her home on Washington street this week.

Special Lenten services were held in the St. Francis church, Thursday evening.

After April 1 services will be held in the Baptist church Sunday mornings instead of afternoons as formerly.

The music for the opening of the Cochato club on Friday evening, March 16, will be furnished by a special orchestra from Boston.

Mrs. Isaac L. Jones of Stedman avenue had the misfortune of spraining her ankle and breaking a small bone while crossing the field near the First Church, Friday morning.

The banner which was won by the Monatiquot school at the prize-speaking contest has been placed in a glass case and hung on the wall in the corridor of the Monatiquot school building.

It is a pleasure to see the three unfinished houses on Hunt street, in the rear of George H. Holbrook's residence, being worked upon, by carpenters from East Milton. The houses were erected about two years ago, when a financial trouble caused labor to be stopped. Mr. E. A. Rich has the contract to complete them.

Miss Bessie A. Chase of Malden, Mass., has been engaged to take Miss Lilly's place in Grades four and five at the Monatiquot school. Miss Chase graduated from the High school of Provincetown, attended Boston University for two years and has had two years' experience at teaching in a grammar school.

A meeting of the Bird Club is called for three o'clock Saturday afternoon, March 17th, at the home of Mrs. Herman E. Roberts of Oak street, The program will consist of an informal exchange of the winter's experiences and the consideration of plans for the springs work. New members are expected as well as those of last year Remember that our meetings are always epen to bird lovers.

Thursday afternoon Drs. Bullock and Finkham performed an operation on one of the hands of the two year old daughter of Mr. Hines of Lisle street, to arrest the progress of blood poisoning. The injury was caused by the child running a splinter into the fleshy part of the hand several days ago which, although removed, caused inflammation and created the poison.

The writer was shown over the new tack and nail plant of the B. H. Woodsum Co. by Supt. Rufus H. Woodsum one day recently. This enterprising company has one of the finest plants of the kind in this state. A feature of this industry is a machine shop with all the up to date machinery, for the manufacturing of machinery for the tack trade.

The Braintree branch of the Old Colony Grocers' and Provision Dealers' Association met at the Hampton house, South Braintree, Wednesday evening. Only two dealers of the town were absent. Four new names were added to the membership list as follows, W. G. Philbrook, E. L. Frampton, N. R. Proctor and Gustaf Nelson. A turkey supper was served which was excellent, as several have expressed it. The phonograph selections furnished as a part of the entertainment were much enjoyed.

In the lower Town Hall Wednesday evening an appetizing bake bean supper, with many other palatable eatables was served to public by the Baptist Ladies' Social circle. Over 100 were present, but William May and other faithful members of the church we were disappointed in not finding there. It was a jolly gathering in which all present, made themselves at home. Mrs. S. A. Tilden, Mrs. A. M. Wentworth, Mrs. A. W. Dyer, Mrs. E. C. Woodworth and Mrs. Ruth Bates worked hard for the success of the affair, assisted by the following fair waitresses: Miss Dora Belyea, Miss Cora Wilson, Miss Emma Learned, Miss Genie Dyer, Miss Edith Hill, Miss Margerite Wark and Miss Susie Porter.

Systematic work in gymnastic exercises was begun this week at the Braintree High school under the direction of Mr. Wason. The apparatus is simple and consists of dumb bells, Indian clubs, and bar bells. The programme of the school will not at present permit the use of a few minutes each day to the work but an effort will be made to have time that is devoted to the work result in as much good as possible to the pupils. Room eight which has good light and ventilation will be used for the work.

The return games will be played at Weymouth next Wednesday evening and the members of the Braintree Club, who do not participate will go along in the capacity of "rooters."

WHERE ONE HOBO RODE.

It Was Under the Locomotive Pilot, and He Became Sorry.

A St. Louis railroad man, while talking with a reporter, related a curious incident of his early road life which happened while he was braking on the Missouri Pacific out of St. Louis.

"In 1893," said he, "I was running on a freight between St. Louis and Sedalia, Mo., and it was during that winter that I ran across something that laid it over all I ever saw in the way of hoboing. Now, of course, I've seen bums riding in all ways and places imaginable, and to see a man hanging to the rods of a fast freight or perched on the pilot is not surprising to me, but this—well, let me tell you.

"We had been some time out of Sedalia, hitting a pretty good gait toward St. Louis. That winter the hobos along the line of the 'Mop' were a fright, and the whole crew was kept busy chasing them off the train. As far as I was concerned personally, they could have all had 'transportation,' for I have been on the road myself and believe that when a man is willing to take such big chances of life and limb to get over the country a fellow need not put himself out of his way to find him. But, then, the company had different views in regard to the matter, and we had to chase them or lose out. That night—and it was cold enough to freeze the whiskers off a polar bear—I made over a dozen poor fellows unload from the 'decks' and rods and felt sorry for every one of them when they hit the grit through the snow. Of course this sounds to you like a 'pipe,' coming from an old shack, but it's so.

"Well, it wasn't long before we pulled into 'Jeff' City, and while the engineer oiled around I started out with two of the crew to chase hobos. Just as we got to the end of the train Old Brennan, the finest 'eagle eye' who ever jerked a throttle, called to Dan Hines, his fireman, to back up, so that he could oil and wipe his links. Dan was cleaning his fire at the time; so, giving it a final swipe with his slash bar, he backed up; but, being a little careless, he pulled back too far, bringing the pilot half way over the pile of redhot coals he had just raked from the firebox.

"Just about that time I thought old man Brennan was going to throw a fit, and I got a pretty severe shock myself. Before Dan could let go the throttle it seemed to me bedlam had broke loose under that engine.

"'Lemme out!' yelled some one. 'Lemme out! Move her up! Oh, Lord, I'm burnin up!' The sounds came from under the pilot. Rushing round to the front, we saw a hobo, not on the pilot, but squirming around on the cross braces underneath it, yelling for all that was in him.

"In a moment Dan had moved the machine up so as to put the poor fellow away from the fire, and while he beat out with his dirty paws his blazing coattails he still cused, coughing all the while like an engine coming up a grade.

"'How in Sam Hill,' roared old Brennan, not relishing the dressing down the hobo gave him—'how in Sam Hill did you git under my pilot?'

"'I got here when dis bloomin teakettle was over de pit at Sedalia, but youse fellows needn' try to barbecue me for dat, need you?'

"Oh, but old Brennan was wrathy! 'Come out o' dat, ye dirty porch climber, or I'll set ye back over the fire.'

"'How c'n I git out wid dis track under me?' the hobo yelled back. 'T'ink I c'n dig t'rough it?'

"Brennan saw that it was impossible for him to come from under the pilot till another roundhouse was reached. This enterprising 'tourist' had crawled into the pilot while the engine stood over the pit in the Sedalia roundhouse and of course could not get out till another pit was placed under him. Although he had plenty of room to sit, it was a very hazardous place to ride, for in a wreck death would be certain. When we reached Chamois, 25 miles farther on, where there was a roundhouse, the poor devil was released. But he was a sight to see. His coattails were burned off, his whiskers and hair were singed, one of his 'lamps' was groggy from sulphur smoke and flying grit, and, on the whole, to quote old man Brennan, he looked like a 'raveled top spring on a rainy day.'"—Memphis Scimitar.

Facts About Compasses.

Much as the average schoolboy reads about the mariner's compass, when it comes to the point he knows very little about it. It is divided into 32 parts, of 11 degrees 15 minutes each. The needle is on its lower surface. The magnetized needle is fixed to the lower part of the card, which revolves with the needle and is usually suspended on a central cap of agate, the point of suspension being a similar hard material.

The compass is kept horizontal by supports on gimbols. In iron or steel vessels the needle deviates from the true north and south, but this is partially compensated for by placing steel magnets near the compass to overcome the pull of the ship. On the inside of the compass box is a vertical line, and the pivot of the card being in the same plane as the ship's keel the point on the circumference of the card opposite to the vertical line shows the angle the ship makes with the magnetic meridian.—Philadelphia Record.

She Persevered.

"Persevere, persevere!" said an old lady to her maid. "It is the only way you can accomplish great things."

One day eight apple dumplings were sent down stairs, and they all disappeared.

"Sally, where are those dumplings?"

"I managed to get through them all, ma'am," said Sally.

"Why, how on earth did you manage to eat so many dumplings?"

"By perseverance, ma'am."

First School Master.

(Continued from last Saturday.)

The old schoolhouse was not, however, used after the new one was built.

The next record shows that the first change brought on a second. A new teacher, the first in half a century, makes his appearance.

18 August, 1699. "Mr. Nathanial Eells came to Braintree as their town schoolmaster."

13 May, 1700. Then voted, that the selectmen in being be appointed and empowered a committee to treat and agree with Mr. Eells (or if he refuse some other) for a schoolmaster for the year ensuing."

17 May, 1700. "At a public town meeting, the inhabitants of Braintree, lawfully convened, voted, that for the year ensuing, that is to say, from the 18th of August next ensuing, every scholar shall pay for his entry into the school one shilling and so successively for every quarter for the whole year, if he shall go more than one quarter, and this shall be a part of the school salary to be paid unto the school master, and he to give an account of all that come unto the selectmen."

Mr. Eells does not seem to have made a lodgement here. For we soon find a new teacher.

6 January, 1701. "Mr. Jeremiah Wise came and began to keep school in Braintree, according to an agreement with the selectmen of the town of Braintree, for thirty pounds one year."

The next provision that we find is both judicious and liberal. Neal, in his History, distinguishes Roxbury and Braintree as noted for their free schools. No doubt the consequence followed that admission was sought from abroad.

26 September, 1701. "First, voted, that the rent of the town lands formerly paying to the school shall continue as part of the salary; that the parent or master that shall send any scholar or scholars to said school, shall pay for each scholar to the town treasurer for the support of the school, five shillings a year, and proportionable for any part of it:

"That any person or persons living out of town who shall send any scholar or scholars to the aforesaid school, shall [pay?] twenty shillings a year to the town treasurer, and proportionable for any part of it:—provided that any poor persons in this town who shall send any children to said school, and find themselves unable to pay, upon their application to the selectmen, it shall be in their power to abate or remit a part or the whole of the above sum;—

"That what the rent of the town lands and the head money of the scholars shall fall short of the schoolmaster's salary, shall be raised by a town rate, equally proportioned upon the inhabitants of said town."

We now find another teacher.

10 November, 1701. "The selectmen of Braintree did agree with Mr. John Veasey, to keep school in said Braintree for one year, for thirty pounds. The time to begin upon the 10th of November aforesaid."

After all, none of the new set suit so well as the old one. Benjamin Thompson is invited to supply the place.

(To be continued next Saturday.)

—To prevent a bruise from becoming black and blue, rub first in sweet oil, and then in spirits of turpentine.

—Steel knives that are slightly oiled, then wrapped in tissue paper, will keep an indefinite time without rusting.

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Earnest Letters from Women Relieved of Pain by Mrs. Pinkham.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Before I commenced to take your medicine I was in a terrible state, wishing myself dead a good many times. Every part of my body seemed to pain in some way. At time of menstruation my suffering was something terrible. I thought there was no cure for me, but after taking several bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound all my bad feelings were gone. I am now well and enjoying good health. I shall always praise your medicine."—MRS. AMOS FESCHLER, Box 226, Romeo, Mich.

Female Troubles Overcome

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I had female trouble, painful menses, and kidney complaint, also stomach trouble. About a year ago I happened to pick up a paper that contained an advertisement of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and when I read how it had helped others, I thought it might help me, and decided to give it a trial. I did so, and as a result am now feeling perfectly well. I wish to thank you for the benefit your medicine has been to me."—MRS. CLARA STIEBER, Diller, Neb.

No More Pain

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Your Vegetable Compound has been of much benefit to me. When my menses first appeared they were very irregular. They occurred too often and did not leave for a week or more. I always suffered at these times with terrible pains in my back and abdomen. Would be in bed for several days and would not be exactly rational at times. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and menses became regular and pains left me entirely."—MRS. E. F. CUSTER, Brule, Wis.

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A TENDENCY TO EXPAND.

Business Appears to Have Taken Another Step Forward, According to Bradstreet's.

New York, March 10.—Bradstreet's says: Relieved from the hampering effects of stormy weather, general trade distribution has shown a tendency to expand this week, prices of many staples are firm or higher, and, generally, there is a better tone than noted for some weeks past. Reports of cutting of railroad rates are numerous, but the movement of staples and the aggregate earnings themselves would seem to point to much of this cutting being unnecessary. Stocks speculation remains stagnant, with the effect of keeping bank clearings down to a low level.

Easily holding first rank in speculative activity, cotton early in the week touched the highest level for at least six years past. A sharp break, due to realizing, has brought the level down again, however, to a point where new buying by sold-out bulls is invited. Print cloths, and, in fact, all classes of manufactured cotton, have sympathized in the strong tone of the raw staple, and the first mentioned product reached 3½ cents this week, the highest point for several years past.

Wool is rather weaker, following the drop in prices at the London sale and the rather slower demand from American manufacturers.

Wheat quotations have been advanced from the low level touched some time ago, partly as the result of less favorable reports from the winter sown crop in several western states and partly because of the apparent unwillingness of country holders to follow the market down.

Boot and shoe manufacturers are actively employed and leather is firm, but hides are weaker or lower at most markets.

Despite a rather smaller production in February stocks of some classes of pig iron are larger, but no appreciable effect appears to be exercised upon prices. Indeed, some grades are actually firmer than a week ago.

The industrial situation is rather irregular, owing partly to the combined strike and lockout of 50,000 building hands, building material workers and machinists at Chicago, and partly to isolated strikes of small numbers of men throughout the country. On the other hand, specially encouraging features are found in the iron and steel industry, where 35,000 employes have had their wages further advanced.

Business failures for the week number 189, against 177 in this week a year ago, and 247 in 1898.

Keith's Theatre.

The important feature of the continuous show at Keith's Boston theatre for the week beginning Monday, March, 12, will be the appearance of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Milton Royle in their new comedy sketch, "Tripp's Troubles," which has met with great success in the other theatres composing the Keith circuit. It is said to be the best vehicle for the exhibition of their talents which this clever couple have ever had. Other entertainers will be: John T. Thorne, and Grace Carleton, in a comedy, singing and dancing act; the Renny sisters, talented musicians; the Averys, colored singers and dancers; Al. W. Filson and Lee Errol, in "A Daughter of Bacchus;" Kenora sisters, Japanese acrobats; Si Stebbins, rube comedian and card worker; Roemheld sisters, violinists; Joseph Newman, the Colorado vocalist; Nelson and Milledge, in a comedy sketch: Albert L. Guille, the popular French tenor; Lieb, Searle and Lich, in a comedy sketch, and Mille, Emmy's trained dogs. There will be new biograph pictures of great interest, and other attractions to be announced later.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Alden H. Holbrook for drunkenness was called, and he paid a fine o $7.

The continued case of Thomas Smith for drunkenness at Weymouth was called, and was again continued until March 24.

—The total shipments of boots and shoes from Boston last week were 95,125 cases against 89,943 cases the week before and 68,595 cases for the corresponding week last year. The total shipments thus far in 1900 have been 659,045 cases against 541,247 cases in 1899.

—Be proud of your home town, if not for what it is, then for what it may become. Possibilities are some thing to be grateful for.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

2D SUNDAY IN LENT.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

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ESCAPED IN DISGUISE.

Suspects In Goebel Assassination Captured by Squad of Lexington Police.

Taylor and Beckham Both Guarded by Armed Men.

Matters at Frankfort Have Reached the Point Where Bloodshed Is Feared.

Frankfort, Ky., March 12.—Almost without warning the storm centre of excitement in the present gubernatorial struggle shifted to Lexington Sunday night. The 8:40 Chespeake and Ohio train from Frankfort brought with it in one car to themselves Secretary of State Caleb B. Powers, Captain Davis of the capitol police and Lieutenant Peake of Covington.

Powers and Davis are charged with being accessories to the murder of William Goebel. Intelligence had preceded them that they were on their way to Lexington and were trying to escape. When the train pulled into the depot the entire police force of this city, under Chief Ross and Sheriff Bosworth, with a large force of deputies, boarded the train. On entering the coach the officers found it contained about 25 soldiers, with Powers and Davis, the soldiers being under command, apparently, of Lieutenant Peake. Lieutenant Peake commanded the soldiers to clear the car. In an instant 20 revolvers were drawn by the officers and they were all levelled at Peake, who tried to draw his own revolver, but a policeman smashed him across the hand with his club and prevented what would have undoubtedly resulted in a tragedy.

A local attorney recognized Powers and also pointed out Davis. They were seized and hurried to jail. As the procession swept toward the jail some people started the report that there was to be a lynching and soon the streets were packed with people, an enormous crowd gathering about the jail. Davis, Powers and Peake were hurried to the upper cells, but Peake was later released on bond on a common warrant on the charge of resisting arrest.

Davis and Powers were both disguised. Both wore the regular soldier uniforms complete. Davis had shaved off his mustache and goatee. He had $125 in money on his person and a revolver. There was found on Powers $1300. In the inside pocket of each man was found a pardon from Governor Taylor, duly signed and sealed.

The adopting of disguise by Davis and Powers in order to get out of Frankfort puts an ugly phase on the matters for the prisoners in the opinion of some of their friends here, although they explain that they did so merely to get away from the local Goebel influences, which, they allege, would work to their detriment in securing a fair trial. Both tacitly admit now that in this they may have made mistakes, as both strongly urge their innocence of any connection with the murder of Goebel and insist that they have no fear whatever as to the outcome.

The Democrats and the Republicans in Kentucky are, for the first time since the present political complications assumed acute form, divided into two armed and organized factions. Surrounding the capitol and the state executive building and camped in the grounds around Governor Taylor's home, are nearly 200 militia, well provided with ammunition, while in the corridors of the Capitol hotel, in which the Democratic state executive officers are located, and in the streets adjacent to that building, are 60 officers and the men and boys of a militia company that was organized in Frankfort as the nucleus of Governor Beckham's state guard, beside scores of heavily armed citizens, partisans of the Democratic claimant.

Rumors reached the Democratic leaders yesterday that an attempt was to be made by the state militia to take Governor Beckham into custody, and inside of an hour after the report was circulated a petition had been circulated and signed by the requisite number of men necessary to form a militia company. The men will guard the Capitol hotel against any possible attempt to arrest Governor Beckham. Only two days more remain for the legislature to remain in session, but the developments of these two days are looked forward to with apprehension by the leaders of both sides.

The Democratic partisans say that should the militia atempt to interfere with the session of the legislature, persistent rumors of which have been in circulation, it will be next to impossible to avert bloodshed. The Republican officials, however, deny that such action has been contemplated, and that the legislature will not be molested in any way. Several Republican members of the legislature have left the city, presumably for their homes.

According to a statement made by Governor W. S. Taylor last night to a representative of The Commercial, he has granted a pardon to each of the persons for whom warrants have been issued, charging them with being accessories to the assassination of Mr. Goebel, including Secretary of State Powers and ex-Secretary of State Finlay. In his statement Governor Taylor recites the conditions under which he claims to have been elected and charges the Democratic contestants for state offices with conspiracy to secure control of the government.

YALE'S TRIBUTE TO PHELPS.

Ex-President Dwight Delivers Funeral Address Over Remains of His Old Friend.

New Haven, March 12.—Former President Timothy Dwight delivered the funeral address yesterday over the remains of E. J. Phelps, and Rev. Dr. T. T. Munger, pastor of the United church, offered prayer and read scripture. The college choir rendered two hymns. The remains were carried into Bettell chapel on the shoulders of eight seniors.

Ex-President Dwight referred feelingly to his late associate and friend of 20 years. He said that the Yale brotherhood had lost one of its most distinguished members, a man who was an honor to the great company. The work of the deceased had closed on earth, but had only just begun in its greater sphere. He had impressed his great personality upon thousands of Yale men, who are better and nobler for his influence. It had always been a source of constant joy, said Dr. Dwight, to him to know that at Yale Professor Phelps was appreciated by the student body as a "genuine gentleman, withal a man, but one of education, culture and wide experience in life. His quiety dignity, his forcefulness when needs drew from him an exhibition of sturdiness, and his breadth of view stamped itself indelibly on all who had come in contact with him."

At the close of his address the choir sang and then the benediction was pronounced. The remains were taken to Burlington, Vt., where the interment in the family plot will be made. The remains were accompanied to Vermont by the widow, Charles P. Phelps, a son, and Mrs. H. Loomis, a daughter, and a number of friends. The floral tributes were profuse.

Wants to Get Rid of Debts.

Kingston, Jam., March 12.—Prince Clarence, chief of the Mosquito territory and protege of the British government, who resides in Jamaica, has been sued by local merchants. His solicitor sets up in defense the allegation that Prince Clarence was the sovereign chief of the Mosquito territory prior to and at the time of the accruing of the cause of action, and, therefore, is entitled to all the rights appertaining to him as prince of the Mosquito territory. The solicitor contends that Clarence ought not to be compelled against his will to answer in a legal action before any of the judges or before a minister of the queen in Jamacia, and denies the jurisdiction of the Jamaica courts. As the prince is considerably in debt, the settlement of the issue is important to him.

Sunk by Unknown Steamer.

London, March 12.—It is learned that the British steamer Cuvier, commanded by Captain Quinton, was run down in the straits of Dover the morning of the 9th by a steamer whose identity is not known. Three survivors, who were landed at Calais shortly after the disaster, say a great hole was torn in the Cuvier, sinking her in less than five minutes. They further state that the 20 men comprising the crew were below at the time of the collision and were unable to reach the decks and man the boats, so quickly did the rammed vessel go down, and that the colliding vessel paid no heed to the cries for assistance shouted to those on board and steamed away.

A Peculiar Accident.

Winsted, Conn., March 12.—Joseph White, aged 70, is dying as the result of accidentally swallowing two false teeth while in bed Thursday night. They lodged so far down his throat that all efforts to dislodge them have been futile. Since the accident White has been unable to eat anything and is constantly suffering intense pain. He will undergo an operation, but there is little hope that he will survive it.

Kidnapping Case In New Hampshire.

Salem Depot, N. H., March 12.—The 6-year-old daughter of George Foster was taken from in front of the house of Mr. Foster's father, where the child was playing, by an unknown man and woman, who drove by, stopping only long enough to place the little girl in the carriage. Mr. Foster and the child's mother have been separated for some years, during which time Mr. Foster has cared for the girl.

Will Be McKinley and Bryan.

Kansas City, Mo., March 12.—Judge Wilson of Colorado has arrived here to attend the meeting to make arrangements for the national Democratic convention. In an interview Judge Wilson said: "So far as the heads of the two tickets are concerned, it will be the same old fight of 1896—McKinley and Bryan will run against each other. As for their running mates I have no idea who they will be."

Cut Her Husband's Throat.

Joliet, Ills., March 12.—Mrs. John Gallagher, 50 years old, during a fit of temporary insanity, arose from bed and cut her husband's throat from ear to ear. Two small children, who were sleeping in an adjoining room, were not molested. After killing her husband, Mrs. Gallagher went to a neighbor's house in her night clothes and told them of her deed.

Hoar's Amendment Tabled.

Washington, March 12.—While the senate had the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill under consideration Saturday a lively debate was precipitated by an amendment proposed by Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts, proposing to give former Queen Liliukolani of Hawaii $20,000 and an annuity of $10,000. The amendment was tabled finally, without division. The pending bill was passed with a few minor amendments.

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TREACHERY ALLEGED.

Roberts Says Boers Abused White Flag and Used Explosive Bullets.

British Meet Unexpected Opposition at Dreifontein.

Presidents Kruger and Steyn Said to Have Appealed For Foreign Intervention.

London, March 12.—Lord Roberts complains that the Boers are using explosive bullets, and that they are again abusing the white flag. His protest is virtually a complaint to the powers that the Boers are violating the usages of war, for he has sent to the war office a copy of his protest to Presidents Kruger and Steyn, with a repuest that it be sent to the powers. Lord Roberts' dispatch to the war office on the subject is dated March 11, and says:

The following telegram has been addressed by me to their honors, state presidents of the Orange Free State and the South African republic:

"Another instance having occurred of gross abuse of the white flag and of the signal of holding up hands in token of surrender, it is my duty to inform you that, if such abuse occurs again, I shall most reluctantly be compelled to order my troops to disregard the white flag entirely. The instance occurred on a kopje east of Driefontein farm yesterday evening and was witnessed by several of my own staff officers, as well as by myself, and resulted in the wounding of several of my officers and men. A large quantity of explosive bullets of three different kinds was found in Commandant Cronje's laager; and (this has been the case) after every engagement with your honors troops. Such breaches of the recognized usages of war and of the Geneva convention are a disgrace to any civilized power. A copy of this telegram has been sent to my government with the request that it may be communicated to all neutral powers."

A Dreifontein dispatch says that all of Saturday was occupied in fighting. The Boers maintained a stubborn rear guard action along a running front of 12 miles on a very difficult ground.

The British were advancing in three columns. General Tucker to the southward occupied Petrusberg unopposed.

General Kelly-Kenny, after following the river bank, moved in the direction of Abraham's kraal.

At Dreifontein, about eight miles south of Abraham's kraal, the Boers were found posted in considerable strength on the ridges connecting several kopjes, where they had mounted guns. The action began at 8 in the morning with an artillery duel. General French's cavalry and General Porter's brigade supported our guns. The Boer artillery was accurately handled, and the British cavalry found a task harder than they had expected.

General Broadwood, with dogged perseverence, moved altogether six miles southward, trying to find a means to get round, but the Boers followed behind rising ground, and even tried to outflank him. Meanwhile the Sixth division of infantry, advancing on the Boer left, slowly forced the enemy to retire. Had the infantry been able to move faster, the Boers would have been enveloped. The last shot was fired at 7:30 u. m. Sunday morning not a Boer was to be seen. The prisoners belonged to President Kruger's own commando.

The opposition met at Driefontein was somewhat unexpected, the idea being that, if there were any resistance, it would be at Petrusberg. Profiting by their experience, the Boers were prepared for a British flanking movement, but in extending their position, in order to avoid being outflanked, they probably weakened their center, thus making it possible for the British infantry to carry this with a bayonet charge.

The Morning Post's correspondent at Dreifontein, telegraphing Sunday, says: The fight throughout was much involved. The enemy evacuated and reoccupied positions, subtly concealing their intentions, and only withdrawing their guns a few minutes prior to their impending capture. Their guns outranged ours, the naval brigade not arriving in time. Our cavalry horses were completely tired by the repeated withdrawals. The turning movement was begun too late. The enemy attempted with heliograph to lure us to occupy a kopje which they held, but, detecting the deception, we returned.

The Daily Mail has received the following dispatch from Pretoria, dated Saturday, March 10, and censored by the Boer government:

"President Kruger and President Steyn have wired to Lord Salisbury peace proposals, on condition that the independence of the two republics be respected and the rebel colonials amnested.

"Yesterday the foreign consuls were called into conference and were requested to invite the intervention of the powers they represented, in order to prevent further bloodshed."

A correspondent of The Daily Mail at Lourenzo Marquez, telegraphing Saturday, says: According to Boer reports, the fall of Mafeking is certain. There has been heavy fighting this week, and the Boers have been shelling the town from all the outlying forts which they have captured. Colonel Baden-Powell cleared all the natives out of the town, but the Boers drove them back. The Boers are preparing for a final assault, with the idea that the capture of Mafeking will raise the drooping spirits of the burghers.

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New Advertisements Today.

Ivory Soap.
Hans Hanson—Shoes for comfort.
Lost—Five Dollar Bill.
Hans Hanson—Horse Boots, Sporting Goods.
Wanted—Farm.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Bicycles.
Incorporation of Street Railway.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	23	40	40	60	51
Monday,	25	34	63	60	49
Tuesday,	—	35	49	65	37
Wednesday,	—	39	37	53	35
Thursday,	—	34	36	40	37
Friday,	—	44	42	50	26
Saturday,	—	53	28	56	31

Good Afternoon.

Congressman Boutelle, of Me., has retired from the newspaper business, but is a candidate for renomination to Congress.

Up to date thirteen criminals have been electrocuted in the United States. The friends of the thirteenth are unanimous in the belief that 13 is a hoodoo number.

American plants may not be needed in Cuba, but we notice that the American Roots are receiving much attention over there, and that the popularity of an American Wood continues to increase.

The need of a better and a safer bridge at Quincy Point, together with the desire to encourage a wideawake and growing industry, makes a pretty strong case for the movement to rebuild the bridge. And the draw should be of a good generous width while we are about it.

Congress either has or has not the power to legislate for territory outside the boundary of the United States proper, without regard to the Constitution. The question is not one for the stump, but for the United States Supreme Court, and the sooner it is decided and taken out of partisan politics the better for all concernd.

The City Council will shortly take up the problem of street watering. It is a question which cannot be treated lightly. From the experience of past years it is evident that there is a chance for reform in this department.

It is useless for the city to attempt to sprinkle the streets on $4,400. This sum might have been ample a few years ago, but owing to the rapid increase of population and the consequent increase of traffic incident thereto it is apparent that the sum is woefully inadequate today.

Above all, streets which are the main arteries of traffic should be taken care of first, regardless of the wishes of a few councilmen who may possibly have there own little side streets or those of friends to look after in utter disregard of the great public welfare. Such thoroughfares as Hancock, Washington, Water, Copeland, Beale Adams, Granite, Franklin, School, Elm, Chestnut and Sea (to Houghs Neck on Saturday and Sundays) should be sprinkled their entire length regardless of pull and favoritism. After these have been cared for, then if it is necessary that there should be "log-rolling" let it be done to the side streets. Why not increase the assessment to two-third or three-fourths of the cost?

Drift of Opinion.

That young Charlestown feliow, who is alleged to have set a fire in order to obtain work, represents an unusual combination of the good and the bad in the unemployed. Very few would stoop to crime for the purpose of providing themselves with labor. —Lynn Item.

A reward of $100,000 awaits the capturer of Goebel's slayer. This is a prize large enough to stimulate the zeal of every Hawkshawe in the country, not to mention an army of would-be detectives.—Haverhill Gazette.

It is also a very great temptation for unscrupulous detectives to concoct a chain of circumstantial evidence and thereby convict an innocent man.

A bill introduced into the Ohio Senate by a clergyman strikes at a queer industry. It provides for the punishment of persons or bureaus that sell or offer to sell essays, compositions and so on for use in institutions of learning. The stealing of literary and even theological matter will go on, but it would be some satisfaction to have thieves forced to industry enough to do their own stealing.—Milford Journal.

It is time we quit belittling and abusing our public servants and thank heaven that on the whole they are such a lot of splendid men. Those who gain enduring fame and place, it may be set down as certain, have high ideals of public life that find expression in their political careers, all assertions to the contrary notwithstanding. — Beverly Times.

If the city librarian of Indianapolis is disposed to draw a line against placing certain books upon the shelves we do not see that it concerns people outside of that city so very much. There are many books that should not be put in public circulation, but which have a proper place in public libraries, and that may be had on proper personal application. A librarian that has no discretion in the purchase of books and nothing to say about how and where they should be kept would not be much of a librarian.—Providence Telegram.

I believe we are spending too much on the hall and drawing room and too little on the kitchen and dining room. Many a woman will pay for a turkish rug a sum sufficient to cause her kitchen to run smoothly for a year. What are our houses for? Ourselves or our neighbors? Which is of the most importance, that our families shall be well fed and that the machinery shall run without friction, or that the room in which we receive our formal callers shall have the furniture, which is the latest mode?—Writer in American Kitchen.

Three large green houses, covering a space of four thousand square feet have been opened in connection with the Illinois house of correction, as an experiment in the reformation of women criminals. The softening effect of roses, carnations, and chrysanthemums upon the hardened hearts of women who have probably known little of beauty and loveliness in their lives will be tried, and that the results will be for good is not doubted. The enterprise will be put upon a business basis, an expert horticulturist being in charge, and the plants and flowers will be disposed of in the Chicago market. —New Bedford Standard.

There are days of new fangled treatments of old fashioned subjects. "Emotional insanity" is the excuse for acquitting countless murderers. Wealthy shoplifters are now "kleptomaniacs." A man who gambles away trust funds is said to be "ruined by speculation." Even "hypnotic influence" is beginning to be given as an excuse for crime. But none of these modern excuses for evil doers can work such wholesale mischief as to spread the idea that intemperance is a disease, not a vice, and that the habitual drunkard is to be pitied, not blamed, for his misdeed.—Troy Record.

Did it ever occur to you why there are so many old bachelors in the world—men who eat at restaurants and sleep in furnished rooms, men who are cranky and dissatisfied? They started in life with just as much hope as you did [illegible] and with just as firm intention as you had of marrying and settling down; but during the spring time of life they kept putting it off until they could get a little better fixed, and until they put it off too long, and finally they gave it up altogether. They do not know what a home is. Nobody ever puts out their slippers in front of the fireplace. Nobody ever meets them at the doorstep, and winds a fine pair of arms three or four times around their neck. They never hear the prattle of children nor any of the other sounds of home. The renter and the bachelor are somewhat alike—the renter intends to have a home of his own, but he keeps putting it off until he gets better fixed, and after awhile he gives it up altogether.—Exchange.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

—Charlestown had three big fires within a few days, but the fire bug has been caught and he has confessed.

—Brockton expects to improve her sidewalks by $10,000 this year,

What Shall We Have for Dessert?
This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents

MEETING CALLED.

Of Conference Committee of N.E. Association.

May Have a Proposition for the Cutters.

Nothing Being Done Locally to Settle the Strike.

A dispatch from Concord, N. H., in a Boston paper, dated March 9, says that a meeting of the New England Manufacturers' Association is to be held in Boston Tuesday, to arrange, if possible, a uniform bill of prices. The dispatches further says the uniform bill will be based upon information received from places where settlement has been made with the cutters.

Quincy members of the New England Association when seen in regard to a meeting of that association, say that no meeting of the Association has been called to their knowledge for Tuesday evening. There will, however, be a meeting of the Conference committee of the New England Association on Wednesday. Just what steps would be take it was hard to tell.

The chances are, however, that some proposition will be decided upon to submit to the cutters, looking to a settlement.

It was reported last week that a settlement had been reached in Waldoboro and Hurricane Island, and that the cutters had returned to work. A dispatch from that place dated March 10, says the cutters have not returned to work. The proposition was made to cutters to return to work under same conditions as were offered at Barre, Vt., subject to the approval of the Granite Manufacturers' Association, but that the cutters refused.

In Hallowell, Me., there is no change, although a dispatch says if the cutters could do as they wished they would return to work.

In Quincy the situation today is the same as twelve days ago when the cutters went out on a strike. Both sides are remainning quiet, and as far as can be learned no efforts are being made by either side to settle the question. It probable that if the Conference committee of the New England Association arrive at understanding Wednesday, meetings between the two Quincy committees will be held at an early date.

At Concord on Saturday the granite cutter of the city voted to refuse the offer made by the manufacturers of a minimum rate of 34 cents an hour for an eight-hour day.

High School Reunion.

The seventh annual reunion of the High school alumni was held Friday evening, Mar. 9, at High school hall. It was quite largely attended and was a very pleasant and enjoyable affair. The decorations were by Patterson, and were arranged by the young ladies of the senior class of the High school. They were simple, yet appropriate, and consisted of palms and cut flowers. The receiving party were President [illegible] the Alumni, Miss Mabel [illegible] of [illegible], N. H., was a guest [illegible] Adams, Mr. Charles F. Harper, the principal and Mayor and Mrs. John O. Hall, and Superintendent and Mrs. H. W. Lull. The alumni and guests were presented by a bevy of young ladies from the senior class of the High school.

The reunion this year was an innovation from some previous reunions when half of the evening has been devoted to exercises of a literary nature and the balance to dancing. This year the literary exercises were omitted and the evening, after a brief entertainment was given up to dancing.

It is proposed to hold a banquet later in the season, at which literary exercises will be in order.

The entertainment Friday evening was brief and consisted of piano solos by Miss Curtin; vocal solos by Miss Coe; readings by Miss Norma Lowe and vocal duets by Miss I. Lull and and Miss Sprague.

Frappe was served during the dancing.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Mar. 12:

Joseph Bailey, J. J. Becton, Carl A. Carlson Herbert D, Girroir, Thropp Healey, Robert I. Jones, Danl. F. Kennedy Eugene Merrill, Frank Pulver, Fred Alvale Rumnay.

Miss Carrie Hall, Miss Bessie McElnnan, May Phillsbury.

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Quincy Aug 26 1p tf

HIS FIRST RAID.

Chief Ripley Makes a Good Haul and Arrests Card Players.

Chief of Police Ripley made his first liquor raid late Saturday night. Two places were visited and liquor was found and seized at each place. They also surprised four men playing cards, and as the hour was after midnight the four were placed under arrest for gaming on the Lord's day.

In the raiding party were Chief Ripley, Officer Ferguson, the newly appointed liquor officer, and Officers P. H. Bradley, W. A. Morrissey, John Bradley, Edward J. Sanberg and John H. O'Brien.

The places visited were in a double house on the old Farnum estate on Crescent street. Sunday morning when the officers, unannounced, entered the part of the tenement occupied by Joseph Lancisi, they found the four men playing cards who were promptly arrested. They also found two half barrels of ale, one empty half barrel, two tin pails of beer, two one quart whiskey bottles, one gallon jug with a little wine in it, twenty-four glasses, and several faucets, etc.

These were loaded onto a team and the officers gave their attention to the other part of the house. This is occupied by Peter Ratazzio, and although the officers had been at work in the other side he was apparently unaware of it, for he was surprised when they filed into his house at 1.15 o'clock. Their wants were soon made known and they helped themselves to one-half barrel containig five gallons of ale, three pints of whiskey, nine glasses containing beer, two empty wine barrels, twelve empty beer bottles, and five empty whisky bottles.

The liquors seized and the men arrested were taken to the police station.

The four men appeared in court this morning and the liquor cases will be heard later.

More Cruisers.

Provision will be made in this year's naval appropriation bill for a construction programme fully equal to the expectations of the friends of the service, and Quincy is particularly interested as one or more of the cruisers may be built here. The bill will probably be reported by the house committee on naval affairs before the end of the present week. It is still subject to change, but as it stands now it provides for two large battleships, three armored cruisers of 13,500 tons displacement, three protected cruisers of 8000 tons displacements, and four gunboats of 900 tons displacement. The committee has not yet fixed the size of the battleships, but they will probably be 14,500 or 15,000 tons. The armored cruisers are to have high speed and large coal capacity, with the heaviest armor and armament possible to be carried on vessels of their type. The three protected cruisers are to be improved Olympias. The gunboats are to be designed with special reference to their use among the Philippines. The United States is now a world power and must stand ready to bear a hand in whatever turns up.

Relic of Washington.

B. J. Loring of Braintree has just received from Alexandria, Va., a relic of General George Washington. It is an old quill cutter. Frankie Church, the young boy who sent it, says his uncle has had it for over forty years. They reside on the farm that includes the site of Fort Ellsworth on Shuters hill which overlooks Alexandria. The quill cutter somewhat resembles a large pocket knife with a bone handle. At one end there is an unique contrivance for shaping the quills, and at the other something for putting on the finishing touches. It is indeed a relic, and it is not surprising that Mr. Loring prizes it.

Should Be Squelched.

Editor Daily Ledger:

It seems to me that W. A. S. in Saturday's Ledger has put his hand on a big appropriation of public funds which is not only unnecessary but an imposition on the rest of the city. On the one hand our Mayor and many Councilmen and public spirited citizens are doing their utmost to have the annual budget cut down. Weeding out all extravagant items, and on the other there are a few councilmen, and I am glad to say, but a very few, who look at the public treasury as a place to jump in and shovel out the money on so called improvements in their immediate neighborhood, as fast as the overburdened taxpayer pays it in. Councilmen who introduced such orders should be squelched.

A. S. M.

—The will of Benjamin S. Lovell of Weymouth, dated Feb. 9, 1900, leaves all his real and personal estate to his widow and two daughters, Lydia C. Richards and Helen I. Lovell.

Charles Hoyt's plays are always good and "A Bunch of Keys" which will be given at Music hall tomorrow night is one of his best.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

As they skated they looked at the stars—
There were a million or more;
Their heels flew up—and they observed
A few they'd not seen before.
—Chicago News.

Almost zero weather this morning—8 above.

Founders day at the Woodward institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Quincy were in Italy last week.

Mr. Maybury of South street is very ill with asthma.

Adjourned meeting of the city Council this evening.

Tomorrow night at Music hall—Hoyt's "A Bunch of Keys."

A pension of $14 per month has been granted William W. Dunn.

Mr. Walter Bailey is visiing in Dublin, N. H., with friends for a week.

Miss Henrietta Bates of Cohasset is visiting Miss Gertrude Hall of Newbury avenue.

Miss Minnie Wight, who has been confined to the house several days with the grip is slowly recovering.

"Paradise on Earth" was the subject of the Christadelphian Bible lecture at Orangemen's hall Sunday eveuing.

The annual report of the metropolitan Park Commissioners speaks of shore front at Quincy about to be acquired.

There will be a whist party at Mr. W. C. Lapham's, Safford street, Wollaston, Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Wollaston Yacht Club.

Rev. Walter Russell Breed will lecture at the Washington Street Congregational church this evening. His subject will be Matthew Arnold.

Another bouncing boy arrived at the home of Park Commissioner Pfaffmann on Friday, and grandpa Shaw says he is already a delight to the household.

The engagement is announced of Miss Lily R. Blunt, daughter of the lare Mr. Harvey Blunt of Boston, to Rev. Charles H. Porter, Jr., of Hingham son of ex-Mayor Porter of Quincy.

Mr. John Churchill of Walker street gave a lunch Friday for the Botolph Street whist club. After partaking of the dainties set forth, two and one-half hours of whist were enjoyed.

The funeral of Granville B. Putman was largely attended at West Newton on Saturday by teachers and friends, and there were many beautiful floral offerings. The interment was at Hathorne, Mass.

Master Illsley Dole fell near his home on Friday and broke his leg. He was to have been the boy soloist in a cantata to be given at the Washington Street Congregational church, Thursday evening.

About midnight Sunday, Mr. Thomas W. Carter of Quincy Point had a shock, and about 9 A.M., today he passed away. Mrs. Carter was prostrated and her condition is critical. Miss Bessie Carter is also confined to the house with the grip.

A very pleasing surprise party was tendered to Miss Georgie Gorham at Perrys hall, Wollaston, to which about fifty of her friends were present. Whist and dancing were enjoyed. Miss Gorham was presented with a handsome picture, called "Wayside Gleanings," by Mr L. A. Fowler. Music was rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Master Clinton Bacheldor, Miss Mira Brown, and Miss Grace Fowler. Later in the evening light refreshments were served.

The annual fair at the Washington Street Congregational church will be held the 13th, 14th and 15th. Entertainments each evening will consist of many pleasing features. Supper last two evenings. The suppers at the Point church are the best. Tables for the sale of useful and fancy articles, china, flowers, candy and cake also a surprise table. Supper at 6.30, entertainment at 8 o'clock. Ice cream and cake served each evening. Come one and all, and have a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bellows of Squantum street gave a whist party Friday evening for the residents of Walker street. A large table of goodies was spread in the dining room, to which each guest had frequent recourse. Cabbage salad, cheese straws, olives, assorted candies, salted peanuts and in the centre a bowl of delicious punch. Four prizes were awarded; at the close of the evening, Mrs. Bellows played several of the late coon-songs, and music from the operas now in Boston. The women present came without hats, which hinted of spring.

—Fayette S. Curtis has been elected fourth vice president of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., and will have charge of the engineering department. He has already had charge of important improvements made by the railroad.

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All the stock in trade, fixtures, and all personal property belonging to said Walsh and located in said store, together with the good will of said store. Also all stock in trade and fixtures which may have been acquired by said Walsh since the date of said mortgage and placed in said store.

VICTOR E. MILLER, Mortgagee.
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Quincy, Feb. 17. tf

TO LET.

Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

Any of the above will be let at very reasonable figures.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Burgin & Merrill's Block,
Quincy, Mass.

ARTICLES OF CORPORATION OF THE

Fensmere Beach Street Railway.

We, the Subscribers, hereby associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a Corporation for the purpose of constructing and operating a Street Railway for the conveyance of passengers agreeably to the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the Public Statutes and all general laws in addition thereto or amendment thereof.

The name of the Corporation shall be Fensmere Beach Street Railway Company.

The proposed Railway is to commence at Houghs Neck in the City of Quincy and County of Norfolk, and to extend through to Quincy Centre (City Square), in said Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, to its terminus.

Its length will be 3 3-4 miles, and its guage four feet eight and one-half inches as required by law.

The Capital Stock of said Company shall be Sixty thousand dollars ($60,000).

The seven following named persons, being subscribers to these Articles, and a majority of them inhabitants of said Quincy, shall act as a Board of Directors until others are chosen by the Corporation, viz.:

ANDREW A. MEYER, of Quincy, Mass.
E. M. MEYER, of Quincy, Mass.
CHARLES M. MOORE, of Somerville, Mass.
PETER P. VEALE, of Quincy, Mass.
GEORGE E. BELL, of Quincy, Mass.
GEORGE W. CHESLEY, of Boston, Mass.
WILLIAM H. BAKER, of Newton, Mass.

And we hereby severally agree to take the number of shares in the capital stock of said Corporation set against our respective names.

Witness our hands, this ninth day of March, 1900.

Andrew A. Meyer of Quincy, Mass., 594 shares.
E. M. Meyer of Quincy, Mass., 1 share.
Charles M. Moore of Somerville, Mass., 1 share.
Peter P. Veale of Quincy, Mass., 1 share.
George E. Bell of Quincy, Mass., 1 share.
George W. Chesley of Boston, Mass., 1 share.
William H. Baker of Newton, Mass., 1 share.

Mar. 12, 3t. 12, 19, 26.

Dressmaking.

THE Subscriber is prepared to do dressmaking at the home of her patrons. A number of years experience.

M. H. CARRICK,
3 Upland Road, near Quincy Depot.
March 6. 6t

Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist can and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,
A READER

First-Class Dressmaking.

MRS. GEORGE A. CHELIUS of Boston will be pleased to meet the ladies of Quincy and vicinity at *No. 6 Coddington St., March 8, 1900.* Feb. 26-1m

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

We are Looking for people who are Looking for Bargains, and if you are one of them just call at

The Quincy New and Second-Hand Variety Co.,
20 Franklin Street,

And be convinced that this is the place to get Bargains.

WALTER P. PINEL, Manager.

City Council Business.

At tonight's meeting of the City Council a public hearing will be held on the petition of the Quincy & Boston street railway for a change of location on Coddington and Sea streets.

The Committee on Fire Department will report on petition to establish a fire company at Germantown, the location of fire alarm boxes and for a hydrant on the corner of Revere road and Chestnut streets.

The Committee on Streets will report on the orders for permanent sidewalks on Water and Washington street, Billings road and Rawson road and Beach street, also on petitions for granite crossing at the corner of Washington and South streets, and for a paved gutter on Prospect avenue.

Reports may also be expected from the Finance Committee.

Careless Boys.

People who happen to be in the vicinity of the High school when it closes at 1 o'clock, and see how careless the boys are about the electric cars, often wonder that a serious accident has not occurred. A special car for the Wollaston pupils leaves the school at 1.15 o'clock. There is always room enough in the car to accommodate all who want to ride but the boys all seem possessed to ride on the platforms which are much too small to contain them. Not content with crowding on the platform they push and shoove each other and there is constant danger of some of them falling off. Others wait until the car gains headway before they get on, and others run along the side of the car and jump on and off to show how smart they can be. There are other boys who attempt to steal a ride and will jump on to the step or fender of a car, and hang on by one hand until they see the conductor coming when they will jump off. Thus they not only make themselves a source of trouble and anxiety to the railroad officials but endanger their own lives.

Principal Harper of the High school is aware of the constant danger and has sent a notice to the parents requesting their cooperation in regard to behavior of pupils on the cars.

Two Inches Single.

Two inches single is getting to be a popular display for modest users of newspaper space. It gives them room enough to say a little something and say it strongly; it is big enough to get in very effective display; and it is not an expensive space to maintain.—About Ads.

—As alarm clock stories are in line this week a citizen comes forward with another which he thinks is pretty good. He had a friend from out of town staying with him who was very anxious to catch a car leaving the city at 5.50 the next morning. The alarm clock was wound and set to 5 o'clock. They piled into bed at about 1 o'clock. Suddenly they were awakened by a terrible whirring of that clock. They jumped up and dressed as rapidly as possible, all the time making remarks as to the necessity of getting up at such an hour and incidentally of the fact that time passed with remarkable speed during sleep. When they had got all dressed they happened to look at the clock and found that its hands registered just 3.30. They continued to talk, but what they said makes little difference to the general public.—Brockton Enterprise.

—Deaths from grip are reported in Boston.

To Cure Nervousness in One Week
To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)
Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

STREET RAILWAYS.

Houghs Neck May Have Two Next Summer.

Articles of Incorporation for No. 2 Published.

A. A. Meyers the Holder of Most of the Stock.

Some few weeks ago Andrew A. Meyer of Houghs Neck sent a communication to the City Council thanking that body for the interest it had taken in endeavoring to get better street railway service for that section of the city, and stating that in the near future a new line would be built.

This move has now taken form, and today has blossomed out into the Fensmere Beach street railway, articles for the incorporation of which are published in today's Ledger.

The promoters of the railroad, or rather the incorporators are Andrew A. Meyer, who has subscribed for 594 shares, E. M. Meyer, Charles M. Moore, Peter P. Vale, George E. Bell, George W. Chesley and William H. Baker, each of whom have subscribed for one share.

The capital stock is placed at $60,000 and the line is to be 3 3-4 miles in length from Houghs Neck to Quincy Centre, but the streets are not named.

Of the incorporators Mr. Moore gives his residence as Somerville, Mr. Chesley as Boston and Mr. Baker as Newton, the others as Quincy.

That Mr. Meyer has been at sword points with the Quincy & Boston for a long time is a well known fact and it is also known that there is a civil suit in which both parties are interested that has been pending some time which is said to have grown out of the fact that the Quincy & Boston, did not run cars to Mr. Meyer's poperty and did not run them often enough to suit him.

The filing of these articles for incorporation means that Mr. Meyers will probably appear at the public hearing at the meeting of the City Council tonight and will oppose the relocation of the Quincy & Boston tracks. Mr. Meyers has promised many things in the event of his building his railroad which would be of benefit to Quincy.

TODAY'S COURT.

George N. Brigg was araraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until March 19th.

Moses J. McGaughee was arraigned fo drunkenness at Randolph. Case continued until March 19th.

George D. Collins was fined $5 for drunkenness at Milton.

Costantino Di Bona, Alexander Cucohi, Nuizio DiBona and Danato Saloucci were arraigned for gaming on the Lord's day at 8 Cross street, Quincy. Cases continued until Wednesday morning.

The continued case of James Gill was called, and again continued until April 12.

James E, Richards was arraigned for assault on Herbert W. Ferry at Milton. He was fined $25.

Skirmishes With but Few Casualties.

Oaxaca, Mex., March 12.—Mexican troops, under Colonel Gonzales, have made a steady advance against the Maya Indians in Yucatan, and gained several miles of rebel territory. Skirmishes between troops and Indians are of daily occurrence, but there are few casualties on either side.

Era of Prosperity.

Columbus, S. C., March 12.—Cotton mills, with $750,000 capital, were projected in this state last week. Three new mills filed papers with the secretary of state. The total for the year is $3,775,000. This puts South Carolina far in the lead for new mills.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Temperatures are abnormally high throughout the entire west and south. They have fallen 10 to 25 degrees from the lake regions eastward. Fair weather has generally prevailed. Fair weather is indicated in New England. It will continue cold today, followed by higher temperature tomorrow. On the New England coast the winds will be fresh and mostly northerly.

Church Destroyed by Fire.

Madison, Me., March 12.—Fire broke out Sunday morning in the Methodist church here and the structure was entirely destroyed. Loss, $4000. The fire caught from an overheated furnace.

BORN.

PFAFFMANN—In Quincy, March 9, a son to Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann of Elm street.

DIED.

COLE—In Quincy, March 11, Mrs. Margaret, wife of Mr. S. L. Cole of Wollaston, aged 26 years.

TRY GRAIN-O! TRY GRAIN-O!

Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adults. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. 1-4 the price of coffee. 15c. and 25 cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

If your hands are rough, hard or chapped from the repeated washings necessary to keep them free from the office dirt, examine carefully the soap you use. If it is a cheap toilet soap, you will find that it is greasy, acrid and irritating.

Ivory Soap makes a profuse lather that removes the dirt and rinses easily, leaving the skin soft and clean.

If your office force is large there are two considerations that will recommend Ivory Soap to you. It is quick in action, saving time; and is inexpensive.

Send the office boy for some and try it.

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QUINCY DEATHS OF 1899.

DATE.		NAME.	AGE. YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
Jan.	1.	Chloe L. Tower,	70	3	10
	2.	Michael Donahue,	0	8	21
	3.	Mary S. Brughera,	0	0	2
	5.	Susan Jones,	84	9	15
	6.	George A. Beard,	74	7	0
	7.	Mary G. McDonough,	2	1	28
	7.	Joseph H. Belangie,	2	11	25
	7.	Cicely Milan,	72	0	0
	7.	Alonzo Jones,	62	10	0
	8.	Abigail B. Crane,	73	3	0
	8.	Edward T. Robinson,	56	4	27
	11.	John E. Schatzl, Jr.,	27	3	16
	11.	Ronald McEachern,	32	6	26
	11.	Edna S. Keast,	0	11	10
	12.	Thomas Henry,	50	8	0
	12.	Jesse S. Newcomb,	72	11	12
	13.	John Hughes,	0	0	1
	13.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	13.	Anna R. Lunggren,	80	4	9
	14.	Jennie Webber,	0	2	14
	14.	John A. Turner,	50	5	16
	15.	Mildred Collins,	3	8	22
	15.	Patrick Colbert,	59	0	0
	16.	Michael Mullaney,	38	0	0
	16.	Illegitimate,	0	6	20
	18.	Lela E. Kennedy,	27	1	0
	18.	Howard E. Pratt,	0	3	15
	18.	—— Pearce,	0	1	0
	18.	Robert Clarke,	70	7	26
	19.	Saima M. Mattson,	0	0	16
	20.	Kittie F. Whitmarsh,	28	11	20
	21.	Charles O. Brackett,	64	1	7
	23.	Annie E. Gordon,	0	8	6
	23.	James E. Flaherty,	2	0	4
	23.	Frank Eckl,	0	10	20
	23.	William Reynolds,	67	0	0
	25.	George A. Sherman,	33	7	16
	25.	Mary M. Spear,	72	0	10
	25.	Margaret W. Newcomb,	78	8	27
	27.	Catherine Morley,	32	3	15
	28.	Martha P. Hall,	92	11	25
	28.	John Harmon,	75	1	12
	29.	Jones Howe,	79	9	23
	29.	James P. Fitzgerald,	22	3	5
	29.	Mehitable N. Johnson,	66	8	26
	31.	Catherine D. Howe,	83	7	2
Feb.	2.	Jennie M. H. Niemi,	0	1	23
	2.	Sarah J. Johnson,	80	3	2
	3.	Percy E. Veal,	0	7	25
	3.	Stanley Medlin,	0	4	18
	3.	Joseph N. Page,	24	5	4
	4.	Harriet B. Folsom,	77	3	14
	5.	Mary J. Cleverly,	52	0	0
	8.	Catherine Schlager,	0	2	22
	8.	Grace R. Morris,	3	10	19
	9.	Michael Keene,	79	4	10
	11.	James Hardy,	62	0	0
	11.	William G. Lavers,	74	9	4
	11.	Elizabeth O'Connell,	0	11	0
	12.	Clarence A. Hunt,	52	6	2
	15.	Leonard H. Stiles,	28	11	3
	16.	Olwen Roberts,	2	4	26
	17.	Charles R. Martin,	1	10	27
	17.	Mary A. Whicher,	85	0	1
	18.	Ellen Ford,	84	0	0
	18.	Nettie L. Packard,	30	0	0
	19.	Stillborn.	0	0	0
	20.	Ruth Cook,	1	8	0
	21.	Stillborn.	0	0	0
	21.	Mary A. Crowley,	1	6	20
	24.	William Evans,	26	5	10
	24.	Mary Hayes,	58	0	0
	25.	Hosea Tarbell,	74	4	14
	27.	Jessie Walls,	30	10	5
	27.	Edward Saville,	0	1	20
	27.	George W. Bates,	29	1	6
	28.	Sisilia F. Mattson,	0	0	7
Mar.	1.	Grace M. Earley,	0	8	26
	1.	James E. Bagley,	31	9	6
	1.	Helen M. Poland,	0	6	27
	1.	Francis J. Kavanagh,	0	4	22
	2.	Benjamin F. Mead,	69	0	12
	3.	Henry Curtis,	71	2	16
	5.	Caleb F. Billings,	79	4	14
	6.	James G. Quigley,	1	3	6
	7.	John C. Barry,	55	0	0
	9.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	11.	Margaret Price,	72	0	0
	11.	Margaret Butler,	53	0	0
	13.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	13.	Sadie L. Rich,	39	7	0
	16.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	17.	Julia Dempsey,	32	0	0
	18.	Edmund Pope,	59	11	7
	19.	John J. McDonald,	21	11	19
	23.	——— Hinchon,	0	0	1
	24.	Helen G. Frazer,	0	6	6
	24.	Augusta L. Moreton,	56	8	21
	25.	James A. Leary,	5	0	0
	26.	Dennis T. Ford,	52	0	0
	27.	Johanna McEachern,	1	2	27
	28.	Dennis Linnehan,	74	0	0
	30.	Ethel L. Grant,	8	1	29
	31.	Stillborn,	0	0	0

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Quincy Daily Ledger.

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and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.30.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 115 Hancock St.
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J. P. O'Brien, 38 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. E. Hall, Washington St.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
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ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
MOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a.m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a.m.
New Moon	30	3:30 p.m.			

Foiled Again.

"Your money or your life!"
"Ha, ha! Good joke! I'm an artist!"—New York Journal.

White Men and Thunder.

In a paper read before the British association Captain Welby described a journey in King Menelek's dominions. He stated that in the Abyssinians there lay a mint of pluck, energy and intelligence which was merely waiting for development.

He noticed that those tribes who relied for food solely on milk and meat were of finer physique than those favored with cereals as well, while others dependent solely on fish and herbs were, as a rule, miserable individuals.

He came across one tribe who held the notion that whenever there was thunder a white man was born, and hence it was thought that he must be able to bring rain with him. The captain exhibited photos of Abyssinian giants over seven feet in height.

One Fireman Killed and Four Injured.

Boston, March 12.—An early Sunday morning fire in the building occupied by the Massachusetts Maccaroni company on North street entailed a financial loss which may reach $150,000. P. J. McCarthy, hoseman, was struck by a fragment of a falling wall and instantly killed. Christopher Carran, while on the roof, was swept to the ground by a stream of water. He was injured internally and may die. Lieutenant McLean, Hoseman Galloway and Hoseman Gavaghan were seriously injured.

Machinists' Request Refused.

Chicago, March 12.—The Building Trades Council, at its meeting last night, refused to order a general sympathetic strike at the request of the officers of the Machinists' union. This is said to be the first time in Chicago for many years that a strong labor organization has declined to order a sympathetic strike when it was believed that the demands of the union requesting it were just.

Scant Courtesy Shown Papal Delegate.

City of Mexico, March 12.—Archbishop Averadi, papal delegate to Mexico, will probably not return here. It is an open secret in ecclesiastical circles that he was profoundly disappointed with his reception in this city. When the papal delegate arrived it was but natural that the archbishop of Mexico should offer him hospitality, but he had to seek lodgings elsewhere.

HOW'S THIS?

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

—Something has happened to the Cleveland Leader editor which leads him to remark that there are some men who make spectacles of themselves and then seem to be sorry they are not a whole show window.

CANAL IS NECESSARY.

Isthmus and Surroundings the Greatest of Our External Interests.

Other Nations Interested In Proposed Waterway.

We Should Resist Any Attempt by Foreigners to Obtain Adjacent Territory.

New York, March 12.—"The Munroe Doctrine and Our Navy" is the title of a paper written for the forthcoming issue of Leslie's Weekly by Captain A. T. Mahan, who says:

"The settlement and growth of our Pacific coast, the increasing commercial consequence of the Pacific ocean and the questions arising about China, its future government and its trade, make it necessary to connect our Atlantic and gulf seaboard with the Pacific by a canal across the Central American isthmus, establishing thereby consecutive water communication between the two, as well as shortening the access from our eastern shores to Asia. The isthmus and its immediate surroundings thus become the greatest of our external interests. Scarcely secondary to them is the Caribbean sea, because all sea roads to the Isthmus run through it, and it contains many strong positions, the acquisition of which by a formidable European state would in war endanger our shipping—mercantile and naval alike—passing between our Atlantic ports and the Pacific by the canal.

"We must remember that other nations, and especially European—because the most active—are interested likewise in using that canal, and, for the support of their interests, in gaining positions. To their doing so we oppose the Monroe doctrine. Therefore, if we intend to make good the affirmations of the latter we must be prepared to resist, forcibly if need be, any attempt to obtain adjacent territory or ports which may serve as stations for a navy hostile to ourselves. It is natural that European nations should wish such positions that Germany, for instance, as has been lately rumored, should wish the Danish islands—St. Thomas, etc. Her right to buy them is as good as ours; the Monroe doctrine depends not upon legal right, but upon the moral right of our indispensable interests, and derives its chief support from the fact that it is not worth while to incur our enmity, pushed perhaps to the extent of war.

"Now the one preparation for war, in a maritime region like the Caribbean, is a navy large enough to be effective. Ports are quite secondary. They are necessary to a navy which needs a local base of operations; but they are useless without it, especially in the Caribbean, because conditions there are so backward as to give no local resources. Positions held there not only must be fortified, but everything to support shipping must be imported, and a steady stream of supply maintained. This can only be done by the navy keeping the sea open, which at the same time secured our other merchant shipping.

"To do these things which is called controlling the sea the navy should, strictly, be superior to any which can be brought against it; but this extreme conclusion is qualified by other circumstances such as our nearness to the Caribbean sea, our national power through our great resources, the dangers to which our possible opponents may be exposed in other quarters and from other enemies. We cannot in the near future expect to have a navy nearly as large as that which Great Britain must keep, but it is easily within our means to rival that of France or of Germany, the only European states other than Great Britain whose general interests might lead them actively to dispute the maintenance of the Monroe doctrine.

"Reflection upon this condition will indicate the size necessary to our own war fleet, and also the wisdom of cultivating those cordial relations to which Great Britain has invited us, which our interests and our institutions advise, and the existence of which will put it out of the power or wish of any other state to quarrel with us about the Monroe doctrine. It is to the interest of Great Britain that we should take naval charge of the naval isthmus, provided she can feel sure that we will do it effectively; that our preparations and our deeds will answer to the words of Washington and Monroe."

Punished For Assisting Foreigners.

Pekin, March 12.—An imperial edict just issued directs the imprisonment for life of Wu Shih-Chiu for assisting the Pekin syndicate to get the Ho-Nan railway concession. The British minister, Sir Claude MacDonald, has sought in vain to mitigate the sentence. The case is regarded as calling for energetic action, because it is bound to produce a bad effect upon all business between Chinese and foreigners.

The Thunderer's Tribute to Phelps.

London, March 12.—The Times, referring this morning to the death of Edward J. Phelps, says: "Among the gifted men who have represented the United States here, Mr. Phelps was one of the most successful, alike in social and diplomatic duties. He will long be remembered as one of the best and wisest public servants of his country."

Fears of a Flood.

Middlebury, Vt., March 12.—The snow storms of the past two weeks have left the heaviest body of snow on the ground since 1862. The snowfall throughout the Champlain valley has been from three to five feet deep. If a sudden thaw comes there will be great damage done in Vermont from flood.

Had No Warning of Danger.

Providence, March 12.—A freight train struck a buggy at Rumford yesterday, instantly killing Swan Jentzel. No flagmen are employed at the crossing on Sunday, so the man had no warning of the approaching train.

"AS JESUS WOULD DO IT."

Topeka Capital Is This Week Under the Direction of Rev. Charles M. Sheldon.

Topeka, Kan., March 12.—The first edition of the Topeka Capital, under the direction of Rev. Dr. Charles M. Sheldon, the preacher-novelist, will appear tomorrow morning. The Capital publishes no Monday morning edition, and for this reason the question of Sunday work did not come up at the beginning of Rev. Sheldon's newspaper work. The members of The Capital staff, at the request of Mr. Sheldon, attended service yesterday at his church, the Central Congregational. Most of the newspaper correspondents who have arrived in the city to report incidents in the week of Mr. Sheldon's experience in newspaper making, also attended this service.

REV. CHARLES M. SHELDON.

Today the work of getting out the newspaper began. All of The Capital's regular editors and reporters are retained, with the single exception of General Hudson, editor-in-chief, who will take a week off. Very many religious enthusiasts have offered their services to Rev. Sheldon, as reporters, but all of these offers have been declined, he believing that the regular staff can be moulded to his purpose easier than raw recruits could be trained in newspaper work for a single week's effort.

As to the make-up of the paper, Mr. Sheldon has ideas of his own, and these will be carried into effect. All "scare" news will be at a discount, and little or no news will appear on the first page, which will be devoted to special articles on the science of government, the need of reforms in city, state and national affairs and kindred topics. Many persons of prominence will contribute to this page. All advertising in any way objectionable, according to the minister's views has been refused.

During the week Mr. Sheldon says he will remain in The Capital office all night until each edition shall have gone to press. There will be the usual Sunday morning edition of The Capital, but it will be printed early Saturday night, so that all the work, even to the circulation by the carriers, may be finished before the beginning of Sunday.

Infant Left to Perish.

Dover, N. H., March 12.—A baby boy, about 3 weeks old, was found buried in a snowdrift behind a billboard Saturday evening by Charles Allen, who was passing the place, his attention being attracted by a slight cry. Circumstances indicated that the baby had been left there but a few minutes before it was discovered. The infant had been thrown face down into the drift and the snow then kicked over him. In his struggles to release himself one hand and a part of the head had been forced up through the snow. There was a severe bruise on his forehead and the lips were badly cut. There is a good chance that the baby will live.

Suspicious Packages Held Up.

Havre, March 12.—The police have seized at the offices of the American and European Express company a number of packages, addressed to an American residing in New York, but which are said to belong to the alleged spy Phillip, formerly an official in the French ministry of marine, who recently disappeared, after being accused of offering to supply to Great Britain for money French naval secrets and also information he pretended to have as to the movements of Boer agents in Europe.

Says He Is Still Commander.

Boston, March 12.—Major Daniel W. Gould, commander of the Union Veterans' union in Massachusetts, declines to discuss the action of National Commander Dyrenforth at Washington in deposing him from office. Major Gould declares that he is still commander in Massachusetts. Major Gould stated that the members of the Union Veterans union in Massachusetts were almost unanimous in standing with him.

Driven From Home by Flood.

La Salle, Ills., March 12.—Residents along the Little Vermillion river in the vicinity known as "Strasburg" were driven from their homes yesterday by the high water and an ice gorge, which threatened the destruction of their homes. The police rescued them in boats. The Illinois river is 10 feet above normal and still rising, the lowlands along the bottom being flooded.

Met a Terrible Death.

Cambridge, Mass., March 12.—Edward Ryan, employed at the works of the National Biscuit company, had inserted his head and the upper part of his body into a mixing machine, which he was cleaning, when in some unexplained manner the machinery started and he was literally chopped to pieces by the rotary knives used in mixing the dough.

Crushed Beneath a Car.

Boston, March 12.—A fruit peddler, Peter Spiropolis, attempted to cross Washington street, near Cobb street, with his fruit cart when he was struck and almost instantly killed by an electric car.

At Least Forty-Nine Victims.

Thurmond, W. Va., March 12.—Twelve more bodies have been taken from the Red Ash mine. This makes a total of 47 dead bodies taken out, and at least two more are known to be in the mine.

WHOLESOME RESPECT

ADMIRATION MIXED WITH HATRED BETWEEN BRITISH AND BOERS.

Heroism and Savagery, With an Occasional Gleam of Humor—Sagacity of the Big Miners and Conspicuous Silence of Cecil Rhodes.

[Special Correspondence.]

Cape Town, Feb. 21.—This bloody war is not wanting in brave deeds. At the battle of Willow Grange an officer of the Imperial Light horse went deliberately into the open space between the firing lines and rescued a wounded soldier. Such deeds were less dangerous in the days of old fashioned firearms, but in the face of modern rapid fire guns, as in the case mentioned, a high degree of courage is required.

It is always a pleasure to write about heroism, but unfortunately not everything connected with the present war is heroic. There are some ugly stories about not giving quarter. E. F. Knight, the correspondent of the London Morning Post, who was wounded at Belmont, says that he was "hit by a shot from a sporting Mauser, a beastly bullet, which spreads when it hits, and, in fact, it practically tore my shoulder off. Just at the close of the battle a small party of Boers, making a last stand, hoisted the white flag. We marched forward, were fired on, and I dropped. A private next to me—one of the privates of the party I was with—said grimly: 'All right, sir. I'll come back and see to you in a few minutes, when we've finished with these gentlemen.' Then he went on with the rest, and five minutes later the last Boer had been bayoneted. There was no quarter, I can tell you."

It is alleged that in at least one instance the Boers refused to give quarter to colonial soldiers who were recognized as uitlanders or suspected of belonging to that hated class. It is said that when the British retreated from Spion kop, leaving their wounded behind, as they were obliged to do, the Boers deliberately shot the wounded colonials. It is reported that many British regulars saved unfortunate colonials by giving them their badges.

I have heard of but one traitor since the war began, and the story comes from a French source. It is said that an English lighthouse keeper at Durban was convicted of giving signals to the Boers. It is said a British officer

DARING RESCUE OF A WOUNDED SOLDIER.

one day noticed heliograph signaling from the lighthouse, which caused the keeper to be watched. It was discovered that every new arrival of troops was signaled to an accomplice on a neighboring hill and repeated from post to post until it reached the Boer headquarters on the Tugela river in two or three days.

On being confronted with conclusive evidence of his guilt the keeper confessed that he was paid $300 each for such messages, which had been sent ever since the military operations at Durban had begun. He further confessed that when the traitorous arrangement was made he received $3,500 on account through the local branch of the Transvaal bank. The guilty keeper was a full blooded Englishman and had been employed at the lighthouse many years. He was 60 years old, and his previous record for faithfulness had been good. On conviction he was transferred to a British man-of-war and shot.

The English soldiers at the front are generally well fed, but complaints of tough beef are heard. Here is a verse from a popular song that the boys at the front are singing:

Bully beef for breakfast, bully beef for tea,
Biscuits hard as bath bricks a hundred years at sea,
Adam's knife and fork, boys, nature's cutlery,
But there's gunfire tea for Kruger in the morning.

Notwithstanding several misunderstandings and bitter hatreds of long standing the fact is apparent that the British and Boers are beginning to have a wholesome respect for one another. Both sides are heroic, and both admire heroism, and braver soldiers never fought in any war than are fighting on both sides in this one.

The great mining companies have shown sagacity in avoiding entanglements with either side, and even Cecil Rhodes has kept commendably quiet. Possibly his compulsory retirement in Kimberley may account for this, but there is an impression that he knows there are times for silence, and this is one of them.

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THIS WEEK IN CONGRESS.

Puerto Rican Bill, Quay Resolution and Hay-Pauncefote Treaty May Be Considered.

Washington, March 12.—Senator Mason says it is his purpose to call up his Boer resolution again this week, and to get a vote uon it if possible. Senator Davis has expressed an intention to ask the senate to take up the Hay-Pauncefote treaty during the latter part of the week, but Senator Foraker, in charge of the Puerto Rican bill, expresses confidence that Senator Davis will not bring the treaty forward at a time to embarrass the Puerto Rican bill.

Speeches for Puerto Rico will be made by Senators Rawlins, Turner and Nelson. The debate on this measure probably will be very general and possibly quite spirited. The members of the committee on order of business emphatically contradict the reports that the committee is exerting itself to secure the amendment of the Puerto Rican bill, saying that the committee has nothing to do with the formulation of legislation.

The week in the house promises to be rather dull. The contested election case of Wise vs. Young from the Second Virginia district, which has been debated for two days, will be voted upon today. Dr. Wise, the contestant, who is a Republican, was seated by a former congress on a contest, and the indications are that he will be again seated.

AN ACCOMPLISHED FACT.

Territorial Spheres of Influence Done Away With In the Flowery Kingdom.

San Francisco, March 12.—President Wheeler of the University of California, in an address to the Monticello club, gave the details of the negotiations which Secretary of State Hay has under way some time relative to the China open door.

President Wheeler learned the negotiations while in conversation with Secretary Hay during his recent visit to Washington. President Wheeler said: "Secretary Hay will announce to the people a victory, not of war—call it of diplomacy, if you please—in that the ports of China will be opened to the commerce of the world. He has reached an understanding with Great Britain, France, Russia and Germany, which does away with territorial spheres of influence.

"According to the terms of the agreement there will be no longer any spheres of influence in the flowery kingdom. Customs tariffs will be abolished, as well as other imposts upon shipping. The idea is to make the port free to the world's commerce and give all nations a free hand in exporting their markets. It is the consummation of the British idea of the 'open door' which found so strong an advocate in Lord Beresford."

Served His Country Well.

Boston, March 12.—Lieutenant Colonel Joseph W. Gelray, U. S. A., retired, died at the Parker House of apoplexy. Colonel Gelray was born in England in 1837; came to this country when a lad, and enlisted as a private at the outbreak of the Civil war. While in action on Aug. 3, 1861, he received a wound which resulted in the loss of his right arm, and he was wounded at both Antietam and Gettysburg. On re-enlisting in 1864, Sergeant Gelray was appointed to a captaincy, and later he was made major. He entered the regular army in 1866, as captain, was breveted lieutenant colonel in 1867 and was retired Dec. 15, 1870. In the last few years, in the hope of recovering his health, he had traveled extensively. He was never married.

Double Murder and a Lynching.

Valdosta, Ga., March 12.—Two white men by the name of Carver were killed at Jennings, Fla., by a negro whose name could not be learned. The negro was captured by the sheriff. A mob quickly gathered, took the murdered away from the officers and strung him up on a neighboring tree.

Police Have a Big Job.

Berlin, March 12.—At Gnesen and in other towns in the province of Posen, the police have been making house to house searches, including even the houses of students, to obtain incriminating evidence in connection with the alleged Polish conspiracy.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

King Leopold, before whom Signor Morconi has recently made experiments in wireless telegraphy, promises to introduce the system into the Belgian army.

The president has commuted to imprisonment for life the sentence of death in the case of Private George Murphy, convicted of the murder of another soldier of the same company in the Philippines.

Three fresh cases of bubonic plague in Sydney are officially reported.

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Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M. 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

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Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

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Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

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r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
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r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 48 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
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r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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a,	Wollaston,	f,	Harrison Square.
b,	Norfolk Downs.	g,	Savin Hill.
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TELEGRAPHIC.
3 O'CLOCK.

NEAR BLOOMFONTEIN,

But Twelve Miles Separating Roberts From Capital of Orange Free State.

Proffer of Mediation Will Be Repugnant to England.

Nothing Likely to Come of Republics' Overtures to Powers For Intervention.

London, March 13.—The Daily News has the following dispatch, dated Monday evening, March 12, from Vanters Vlei: We left Aasvogel kop this morning, preceded by cavalry, and marched here, a distance of about 15 miles. The army has been following Kraal Spruit; and we are now rather to the south of Bloemfontein and only about 12 miles off.

All the divisions have now joined the main advance. Lord Roberts' headquarters are at Gregorowski's farm. You will remember that the "reform prisoners" were tried before Judge Gregorowski.

By advancing along Kraal Spruit Lord Roberts has again outwitted the Boers, who had entrenched themselves along the Modder, thinking that our route would be in that direction. We found most of the farms along our line of march deserted, with white flags flying over the houses. All the belongings worth removal had been taken away, and there were evident signs that the occupants left in a great hurry, things being littered about. The commander-in-chief has given strict orders that nothing is to be touched. It is not expected that we shall meet with great opposition in entering Bloemfontein.

Such confidence is now felt in the military operations that interest rather centers in the political aspects of the war. The Daily News quotes Whitelaw Reid as saying in a private letter: "I give you hearty congratulations on the changed aspect of the war. It is an immense relief to us all, as well as to you." This view, says The Daily News, is welcome as expressing with an unusual measure of authority enlightened public feeling in the United States.

Except in the case of Germany the replies of the powers to the Boer appeals for intervention are not yet known publicly here, but it is quite certain that Austria-Hungary and Italy will decline to interfere, and there is no apprehension that anything will come of the overtures of the two republics.

A dispatch from Lourenzo Marquez announces the arrival there of Mr. Fischer, the Orange Free State secretary, and Mr. Wolmarans, a member of the Transvaal executive council. It is not known whether they are bound on a mission to foreign powers or to Sir Alfred Milner. Mr. Wolmarans is in President Kruger's confidence.

All the morning papers take the line that the government will decline to open negotiations with the Boer republics except upon the basis of complete surrender, and will also make it perfectly clear that nothing in the shape of foreign intervention will be tolerated. The Standard says: There is an idea in some quarters that, on arriving at Bloemfontein, Lord Roberts will issue a proclamation which will leave little doubt as to the future of the republics.

The Times says: President Kruger and President Steyn should have counted the cost before they made war. They played for a great stake and have lost. Until they are ready for unconditional surrender they may save themselves the trouble of sending communications to her majesty's government.

We are glad to see that it is understood in the United States as well as on the continent that any proffer of mediation will be distinctly repugnant to this country. It would be wholly inadmissible; and the Dutch minister at Washington is entirely mistaken in supposing we would listen to such proposals if only they came from a nation "on terms of cordial intimacy with us."

The Paris Gaulois publishes the following from its London correspondent: "According to good authority, President Kruger and President Steyn have not made a formal proposition of peace, but have asked the British government, through the United States, the conditions it would accept for the opening of negotiations on the basis of the independence of the republics. President Kruger is alleged to have said that he would accept mediation, but the United States government, in transmitting this communication took care to declare that it did not assume the responsibility for the initiative in mediation.

The London correspondent of the Paris Matin, says: I learn that United States Ambassador Choate received last evening a long and important cable from the United States government relative to South Africa, which he will communicate today to Lord Salisbury.

The bugbear of "French invasion" has been again revived. In some quarters some credit is given the rumors that France is threatening some move against England.

There is also the bugbear of European intervention, based on the appeal of the Boers to the powers, but so far no results are reported from this appeal. A dispatch from Durban says:

"The Transvaal, having appealed to Germany for mediation or intervention in the war with Great Britain, Germany has replied that she declines to interfere, as she is in no way concerned in the conflict."

SUFFERED UNTOLD TORTURE.

Exhausted Crew of Schooner William P. Hood Manage to Reach Port at Last.

Chatham, Mass., March 13.—The three-masted schooner which was reported off Pollock Rip in distress proves to be the schooner William P. Hood, from Philadelphia with a cargo of 1000 tons of coal for Boston, and which was given up for lost with all on board. She was boarded yesterday by the Orleans life saving crew, which tried to get her under the lee of the Handkerchief shoals, but the wind headed them off and they were forced to anchor at Pollock Rip.

Afterwards, Lieutenant Sparrow sent out the Nonomoy life saving crew and they boarded her about noon, returning last night. Captain Eldredge of the station states that he found the schooner in a terrible plight. The crew were exhausted and suffering greatly from frostbites and lack of food and sleep. Not one of them was in condition to work, and the schooner was leaking badly and covered with ice, under almost bare poles.

Captain Worden of the schooner told the following story. "We left Philadelphia on Feb. 6 and had a succession of very heavy gales all the time up to the Delaware breakwater. We were then in a distressed condition and tried to make a harbor, but in spite of our efforts we were driven far out to sea by the gale. We finally worked back to the coast just in time to get caught by the great storm of Feb. 24, in which we suffered terribly. All our sails were blown away and the deck was swept clear. After that the schooner got into the trough of the sea and nearly foundered. She was badly strained and leaked considerably, while the men had to keep constantly at the pumps.

"Tons of ice had formed on the deck, and it seemed many times as if the vessel would sink with its weight. The crew suffered untold torture with the extreme cold. During the days which followed, in the midst of the gales, she had three different sets of sails blown away and is now wearing the remnant of a fourth set. The decks are white from the continual washing of the sea. One boat was smashed at the davits and one seaman badly hurt by being struck by the flying splinters. Everything movable was washed overboard by the first storm. All the water casks were washed away and the boiler for the hoisting apparatus was filled with salt water. The food gave out a week ago, and since that time the men have subsisted on salt meats. The crew are prostrated and unable to work at all."

The stricken crew of the Hood were supplied with food and clothing and the schooner will be towed to Boston.

Archbishop Hennessy's Will.

Dubuque, March 13.—Archbishop Hennessy bequeathed all his church property to his successor, giving $50,000 for the erection of a theological seminary here; directs all buildings of sisters of visitation on which he held encumbrances to be given them free of debt; makes several other bequests and divides the remainder of the estate equally between the sister of the holy ghost, the university at Washington and Dubuque seminary. His private fortune is said to aggregate about $1,000,000, more than one-half of which goes to the three institutions named.

Bricklayers and Masons Meet.

Holyoke, Mass., March 13.—The annual conference of the Bricklayers' and Masons' union began in this city yesterday. Reports showed that the wages paid and the hours of working were much more favorable than they were a year ago. Officers were elected as follows: President, John P. Walsh of Boston; vice president, W. Dobbins of North Adams; secretary, L. W. Culleng of Boston; treasurer, P. P. Kelly of Newton; state organizer, G. J. Twiss of Boston.

Hospital Ship Officers Dismisssed.

Washington, March 13.—As a result of an investigation of affairs on the hospital ship Missouri, Quartermaster General Ludington has directed the dismissal from the transport service of Captain Dillon, master of the ship, and the third officer. This is accepted as a vindication of Major Arthur's administration of the affairs of the ship. Major Arthur is an officer of the medical department. There was constant friction between him and Captain Dillon during the long cruise.

Transport In Good Trim.

Washington, March 13.—The sea trial of the transport Sumner, which has just been completed by naval officers at Norfolk, was a complete success, and the vessel will soon be ready for the use of the army. She is to take about 1000 recruits from New York to Manila. These recruits are intended to fill vacancies in regular regiments in the Philippines. The Sumner will make the trip by way of the Suez canal.

Double Stabbing at Boston.

Boston, March 13.—Benjamin R. Taylor of East Boston and Harnah Cashman, wife of Thomas Cashman, are both at the point of death from knife wounds, inflicted, so the police say, by Thomas Cashman, husband of the woman, who discovered the two in a compromising position in his own house. Cashman is under arrest to await the result of the wounds of Mrs. Cashman and Taylor.

Double Murder and Suicide.

Little Rock, March 13.—Zeb Leonard, a Scott county farmer, took his wife and 4-year-old son to a secluded spot and shot and killed both of them. He buried the bodies and returning home burned his house. Leonard then went into the woods and shot himself. Leonard was 60 years old and his wife 27. Jealousy was the cause of the crime.

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PUERTO RICAN TANGLE.

Foraker Talks of Territorial Proposition and Free Trade For the Island.

A Lack of Harmony Among Republican Senators.

Members of House Evidently Advised of Various Plans Under Consideration.

Washington, March 13.—There was a sharp conflict of opinion between Republican senators yesterday over Senator Foraker's bill providing a form of government for Puerto Rico.

The controversy grew out of efforts to have the bill amended. There are some members who hold that legislation for Puerto Rico for the present, at least, should be confined to providing for the immediate needs of the inhabitants of Puerto Rico, and not include efforts to establish a form of government. These senators generally believe that Puerto Rico should receive no favors in the way of tariff reductions, and are content to allow the present tariff rates to continue until there is more time and the senate is better prepared for the dispassionate consideration of the question. Their idea is to leave the island in the control of the war department.

Senator Foraker met the proposition of inactivity with a declaration that if it was persisted in he would not only drop the bill now before the senate, but would introduce as a substitute for it a measure providing for the organization of the island as a territory, giving it all the officers and all the privileges and immunities, as Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona; not only making Puerto Rican people full fledged citizens of the United States, but also establishing complete free trade between the island and the United States proper. His further purpose, as he outlined it, was to introduce it as an amendment to the bill passed by the house and now pending in the senate, appropriating the revenues collected from the island for use of the people of the island.

When the purpose of Mr. Foraker became generally known, there were many hurried conferences among the Republican leaders, and the Ohio senator was immediately besieged by Republicans of all shades of belief on Puerto Rican policy.

While several of the Republicans supported his proposition as a wise one, many others contended against it as calculated to commit the country to a course which might be more easily repented of than remedied. They held that it would be easier in the future to change from a present policy of imposing a tariff to free trade, than it would be to change from free trade to tariff. Fear was felt by the advocates of the tariff that such an amendment could be passed with the assistance of the Democratic free traders.

The conservatives held out for the present bill. Some of them expressed the opinion that the bill was now strong enough to win its way through the senate. Senator Foraker himself is wedded to the bill under consideration, and on account of this prediction he decided, after conferring with almost every one of the Republican senators, to allow matters to drift for a few days.

When word reached the house as to the possible course of the senate on the Puerto Rican bill, it caused much speculation. Members of the ways and means committee said the reported plans in the senate were not the result of any conference or consultation with members of the house, and considerable doubt was expressed as to whether the senate would make such radical changes as those suggested.

Notwithstanding these statements, however, it appears that, while members of the house have not been consulted as to any compromise, some of them have been advised of the various plans under consideration. Representative Moody (Mass.) and others expressed surprise and some doubt as to the senate's abandoning the tariff features, although he said there was no doubt that such a change, if made by the senate, would be accepted by the house.

During almost the entire session of the senate yesterday Mr. Rawlins (Utah) occupied the floor in a discussion of the Philippine question. He went deeply into the constitutional phases of the question, and his argument was largely legal and technical. He is opposed to the holding of the Philippines. All the private pension bills on the calendar, 86 in all, were passed.

For the second time within a week a Democrat was unseated by the house and a Republican seated in his place. R. A. Wise was given the seat hitherto occupied by W. A. Young, from the Second Virginia district.

An urgent deficiency bill, carrying $1,439,580, was passed.

Gives Drunkenness as an Excuse.

Newmarket, N. H., March 13.—Joseph Robey entered his father's saloon last night and after an altercation with his father over money affairs shot him over the left eye, inflicting a serious, although not necessarily fatal, wound. Young Robey was arrested not long after and locked up. He claimed that he was drunk when he fired the shot.

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ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
Mar. 7. 1m

Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,
A READER

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	23	40	40	60	51
Monday,	23	34	63	60	49
Tuesday,	35	35	49	65	37
Wednesday,	—	39	37	53	35
Thursday,	—	34	36	40	37
Friday,	—	44	42	50	26
Saturday,	—	53	28	56	31

New Advertisements Today.

Card of Thanks.
Houses, Stores and Land to let.
Lost—Small Pocket Medicine Case.

Good Afternoon.

The Boers are finding out the difference between war in the other fellow's territory and war at home.

All the public schools of the city should have such opportunities as are offered the girls of Woodward Institute, that the body as well as the mind and the soul may receive attention.

According to the Treasury figures, the per capita circulation of money in the United States on March 1, was $25.93. Still there are men who will tell their women folk that they have no money to buy spring clothes.

For the first time in two years the Netherlands has a minister in Washington, and the gossips are wondering if the Boer war has anything to do with the presence in Washington of this diplomatic representative of Holland.

One of the boxes of chocolates sent by Queen Victoria as a Christmas gift to the English soldiers stopped a bullet that would have entered a private's heart. This is a pleasing variation of the usual stories of things that stop bullets when they are hot after the soldier's life.

Drift of Opinion.

☞Of course England will have to manufacture a duke out of Gen Roberts.—Milford Journal.

☞The Cape Cod canal has gone through the House. Will it ever go through Cape Cod?—Lynn Item.

☞The Japanese government has decreed the exclusion of all foreigners from the development of the gold mines recently discovered in that country. It has wisely profited by the lesson of the working of the South African mines by the England and its outcome.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞Compared with any other nation we live like princes in all that conduces to elegance and comfort. And it must be remembered that all this is the result of only about one hundred years of prosperity. But this is not only a matter of pride but it is as well a danger not always considered as seriously as it ought to be.—Beverly Times.

☞Like a brilliant meteor which flashes across the firmament, leaving an astonished world in bewilderment by its sudden dash, in awe by its spectral phenomenon, in reverence for its effulgent glory, Hazen S. Pingree has figured in Michigan politics, and he has in turn astonished, bewildered, awed and was loved; and like all men, was hated.—St. Ignace (Mich.) News.

The Flour Trust tumbled into the hands of receivers because it tried to buy too many new mills. There are limits to the reach of the arms of even the most gifted Octopus. It is not at all curious to see with what ease the trusts fall to pieces when they violate business principles, and how stanch they are when properly and rationally managed, in spite of all the damnable faces made at them by the statute book.—New York Sun.

—When a portrait painter "hangs his head" it betokens pride rather than shame.

—Senator Cullom is prophesying a Republican majority of 100,000 in Illinois next fall.

DEAR WOODWARD.

Founder's Day Observed With Unique Programme.

Game of Basket Ball a Prominent Feature.

Musical Numbers and Gymnasium Work Given.

As Miss Small, the principal aptly puts it, the Woodward Institute is beginning to feel quite grown up.

Monday evening, founder's day was observed, and as usual there was a large attendance limited only by the capacity of the hall.

The programme was in two parts vocal music by school under the direction of Mr. John D. Buckingham, and gymnastics under the direction of Miss Helen L. Blackwell, as follows:

1. Dear Woodward,
2. The Dream, Gounod
3. Parting, Hugo Jungst
4. The Young Greek's Prayer, Beethoven
5. Midsummer Night, Hugo Jungst
6. April Showers, J. L. Hatton

1. Swedish Exercises, Class V
2. Military Drill, Girls from Classes I, II and III
3. Clubs and Poles, Girls from Classes, I, II, III and IV
4. Dumb Bells, Class IV
5. Club Swinging, Girls from Classes I and II
6. Wands, (with singing accompaniment,) Girls from Classes II and III
7. Hoop Drill, Girls from Classes II, III and IV
8. Basket Ball, Two Woodward Teams

After No. 1 of the musical programme, Miss Small spoke for several minutes on the progress of the institution, quoting at length from the annual report for 1899 not yet issued. The Woodward was now six years old. She had a hearty thank you for the hearty cooperation of the parents and citizens of Quincy. She spoke of the enlargement of the course of studies looking to the future, the corps of teachers, etc. The Woodward was very much alive.

Touching on education in secondary schools, coeducation, etc., Miss Small said, I am convinced I can better educate my girls by themselves. The elective system on studies was working we, but as elsewhere we all need more light on education.

Reference was also made to discipline, neatness simplicity of dress, the tabooing of jewelry, individual training, the excellent library, good work in English decorations, of buildings, alumnae association, continuance of studies in higher institutions, etc. The aim was to be and to do as well as to know.

The musical numbers showed good training and were much enjoyed. Perhaps the gymnastic exhibit took best but that is because much of it is new to many. Excellent work was done particularly in club swinging and marching. But all felt that it was good exercise for the girls and that the pupils were very fortunate in having the privileges of a gymnasium with a competent teacher.

The closing number was a basket ball game played in two 10-minute halves in which the Second team of the school was pited against the First team. The girls entered into it with spirit, and as there were no disputes over the referee it was an enjoyable game to witness.

In the first half the First team scored twice and the Second team drew a blank. In the second half the Second team did better quickly putting the ball into the basket and scoring three times to four for the First team. This left the latter the victors 10 to 6.

The teams were composed as follows:

FIRST TEAM.		SECOND TEAM.
Graham	Centre	Mahoney
Bates, King	Sides	Josselyn, Mitchell
Carr, Baxter	Defenders	Dinegan, Spear
Milne, Waldron	Goal Throwers	Joss, Johnson

Referee,—Miss Maud Macfarland, '97.
Score,—First Team, 10; Second Team, 6.

Marvelous.

First Bird—Poor little Johnnie! He's getting more absentminded every day.
Second Bird—Why?
First Bird—He went right by and never threw a rock at us.—New York Journal.

—The Lake Mills (Iowa) Graphic reports a mishap to a moving train:—"Miss Betsey D. Knutson stepped on the south going train last Thursday."

PARISH MEETING.

Over $6,000 Appropriated for First Church Expenses.

The annual meeting of the First Church Parish was held Monday evening in the chapel.

Timothy Reed was moderator. Reports of the Parish Assessors, Treasurer and Collector were read and accepted. The report of the treasurer showed the total receipts for the year to have been $6,905.08 and the disbursements, including notes payable amounting to $500, to have been $6,869.68, leaving a balance on hand of $35.40.

The report of the Assessors showed that $844 had been raised toward the floating debt and that the outstanding notes amounting to $1,800 or $250 more than last year. The amount raised toward the restoration of the Sarah Vinal fund now aggregates $399.01. The weekly collections show an increase of $85.11 over the previous year.

The appropriations for the ensuing year were as follows:

Salary of pastor and supply of pulpit,	$3,100 00
Sexton,	400 00
Organist,	300 00
Collector, treasurer and clerk,	70 00
Organ blower,	35 00
Pastoral committee,	100 00
Fuel,	200 00
Music,	910 00
Flowers,	50 00
Interest,	125 00
Light and water,	160 00
Insurance,	75 00
Repairs and miscellaneous,	475 00
Discounts,	100 00
Total,	$6,100 00

These officers were elected:

Moderator,—Timothy Reed.
Parish Committee,—Henry M. Faxon, Luther S. Anderson and James H. Stetson.
Treasurer,—Luther S. Anderson.
Clerk,—George B. Dewson.
Collector,—George H. Field.
Trustees of Adams fund,—Henry A. Johnson, Charles H. Porter and Charles A. Price.
Trustees of Vinal and Wood funds,—Henry M. Faxon, Luther S. Anderson and James H. Stetson.

Death of J. D. Dyer.

News has been received of the death Monday at Concord, N. H., of Joshua B. Dyer, editor and publisher of the Stone Trade News, from heart trouble, from which he had suffered for many years.

Mr. Dyer was born in England and was for twelve years secretary of the Granite Cutters' National Union. While acting as such he became a resident of Quincy where he resided a number of years. When the headquarters were removed to Concord he went there and has since been a resident or that place. Shortly after being succeeded by James Duncan, as secretary of the National Union, Mr. Dyer started the Stone Trade News. When in Quincy he became a charter member of Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows, and retained his membership in that lodge up to the time of his death. He was between 60 and 70 years of age, and leaves a widow and several children.

Junk Dealer in Court.

An unusual occurrence took place at the district court this morning when Lawyer McKnight counsel for Nathan Wolf asked that warrants for larceny be issued against Thomas Graham, David Norrie and William Moriarty three witnesses in the case. Wolf was arraigned for violation of the City Ordinances by buying junk from minors.

In the course of the testimony the three juveniles said they stole tires from Benjamin Johnson and sold them to Wolf. Counsel for Wolf asked for his discharge on the ground that the government had not proven that Wolf held a junk dealer's license.

The court discharged Wolf on that complaint and issued a new complaint charging him with receiving stolen property. Then it was that Mr. McKnight asked that warrants for larceny be issued against the three boys. The court refused to order the warrents issued at present.

—A Dorchester petition requests the Consolidated road to furnish frequent trains and rapid transit at a 5-cent fare from Boston to Readville Junction, a distance of 9 1-2 miles; also the extension of the Shawmut branch from the Mattapan station to the Midland division, and a system of free transfers at the South station for inward bound passengers on the Midland and Plymouth divisions to the Back Bay station.

—W. H. Mullins, the American sculptor, was given an order by Oom Paul Kruger two months before the present war broke out for an heroic statue commemorating the Boer victory over the Jameson raiders. It is to be placed in a public square of Pretoria, and Mr. Mullins is now at work on it.

—Because the young woman composing the basket ball team of Erasmus high school at Flatbush, L. I., played a practice game with five young men of the Brooklyn high school, the principal has caused the team to disband.

LATEST!

MUST GET TOGETHER.

Hearing Today on the Warren Avenue Bridge.

At Dedham this morning the Norfolk County Commissioners gave an adjourned hearing on the petition of the city of Quincy for a bridge over the railroad at Warren avenue, Wollaston.

The city was represented by Mayor Hall, City Solicitor Sears, Councilman Nichols, ex-Councilman George F. Pinkham and ex-Councilmen H. T. Whitman each of whom spoke in favor of a bridge.

Mr. Ingersol appeared as a reprsentative of President Hall of the N. Y., N. H. & R. R. He did not oppose but desired that there should be 18 feet in the clear. He thought the matter of supports could be mutually agreed upon.

The Commissioners held an executive session and then reported, requesting the city and the railroad to get together, and reach a mutual agreement as to the construction of a bridge at this point, when they would further consider.

A Large Sale.

The largest sale of land that has taken place in Quincy for years, says the Herald, has been recorded. It involves about 40 acres, having a frontage of 2,500 feet on Quincy bay, near Elm street, between the Sailors' Home and Norfolk Downs. The property has an assessed value of $12,000, and stamps representing $25,000 are affixed to the deeds. The sale was made by Winthrop H. Chick to E. M. Faulhabber.

Probably this is a taking for the Metropolitan parkway.

Spring Flowers, &c.

The grand annual exhibition of spring flowers, plants, fruits and vegetables, by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, will be held at Horticultural hall, 101 Tremont Street, Boston, from twelve o'clock Tuesday, the 20th, to nine o'clock p. m. on Friday, the 23d of March, inclusive. Appearances indicate that the Exhibition will be of a great magnitude, as over one thousand dollars will be awarded in prizes to the succesful growers of the "Flowers" that bloom in the "Spring."

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Nathan Wolf, for violation of the ordinances concerning junk dealers, was heard and he was discharged.

Nathan Wolf was arraigned for receiving stolen property at Quincy. Case continued until Saturday.

Heikki Ojanuera was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Benson Meyett was arraigned for assault on Isabel Meyett at Quincy. Case continued until Friday.

☞Anybody who stays away from Music hall tonight, misses a jovial and fascinating entertainment.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

During Monday no precipitation to an appreciable amount was reported within the limits of the United States. Temperatures continue low in the eastern lower lake region, the middle Atlantic states and New England, and are high throughout the interior. Generally fair weather is indicated for New England, except probably snow in Maine. It will be warmer. On the Atlantic coast winds will shift to east and south, and be fresh.

Pastor Beecher's Misfortune.

Elmira, N. Y., March 13.—Rev. Thomas K. Beecher, pastor of the Park church for the past 46 years, was stricken with paralysis Sunday night on his return home from evening service, and his recovery is considered doubtful. He is a brother of the late Henry Ward Beecher and Harriet Beecher Stowe, author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

Poor Imitation of Silver Certificate.

Washington, March 13.—Chief Wilkie of the secret service has received the first counterfeit so far discovered of the new $1 silver certificate. The specimen, which came from Cleveland, is a very poor zincetching.

Want Convention Date Changed.

Kansas City, March 13.—The subcommittee of the national Democratic committee, appointed to make arrangements for the national convention in July, arrived here yesterday. A committee of local passenger agents met the committee and argued for a change of date for the convention, pleading that if held on July 4, as planned, the railways will not be able to offer proper facilities. They urged that the date be changed to July 3.

The funeral of Mrs. Nellie Miller took place from the residence of her mother on Walnut street, Atlantic, this morning. The deceased was 35 years of age. She leave an aged mother three brothers and a sister, besides a host of friends to mourn her absence. The interment was at West Quincy.

DIED.

HAYES—In Quincy, March 13, Mr. Thomas Hayes, of Quarry street, aged 63 years.
CARTER—In Quincy Point, March 12. Mr. Thomas W. Carter of 33 South street, aged 74 years, 9 months and 10 days.
MILLER—In Atlantic, March 11, Mrs. Ellen J., wife of Mr. James Miller, aged 35 years, 2 months and 23 days.
SARGEANT—In South Weymouth, March 11, Mrs. Alice M., wife of Mr. Elmer E. Sargeant, aged 25 years.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Henry H. Faxon advertises houses to let.

Chief Engineer Williams is on the sick list.

Mr. H. Folkins of Hancock street is quite ill.

The Board of Health held a meeting Monday evening.

Mrs. Mary Hart of Furnace avenue is ill with the grip.

Another meeting of the City Council next Monday evening.

Miss Lillian Kent of Whitman is the guest of Quincy friends.

James F. Allen is still confined to the bed with rheumatism.

Tonight at Music hall, Hoyt's great play "A Bunch of Keys."

Rev. Fr. Barrett of Boston preaches at St. Mary's church tonight.

Probate Court for Norfolk County will be held in Quincy tomorrow at 9 A. M.

The Five Associates will hold a sunlight dance at St. Mary's hall Patriots' Day.

Rural Lodge of Masons will attend the funeral of Bro. Thomas W. Carter at Quincy Point tomorrow.

The spire of St. Mary's church which had become so badly decayed so as to become dangerous has been taken down.

The employes of the Tubular Rivet & Stud Company had to stop work about 3.30 Monday afternoon for want of power.

Officer Larkin picked up a well-filled lady's pocketbook in front of the Daily Ledger office Saturday and returned it to its owner.

It is reported that John Cashman has been offered the superintendency of the Quincy Quarry Co. by the Quincy Commercial Granite Co.

Rev. Ellery C. Butler of the First church was one of the speakers at the Forward Movement Meeting at the Malden Unitarian church on Sunday evening.

Many Quincy people will attend the opening of the Cochato club at Braintree on Friday evening. It is rumored that one lady has a new $100 gown for the occasion.

Col. Prentiss Ingraham, the author, was a guest of Samuel Curtis of Franklin street over Sunday. He was a Confederate soldier at Port Hudson, and a brigadier general in the Cuban army.

The Pines, a well known summer resort of Quincy people, on Lake Massapoag, not far from Sharon, was destroyed by fire Sunday night; loss $10,000. The fire is supposed to have been incendiary.

The Boston Association of Ministers met with Rev. E. C. Butler on Monday at the Unitarian church. A paper was read by Rev. Dr. Ames of the church of the Disciples, after which supper was served.

We would call the attention of our readers to the card of Frank A. Locke piano tuner, in our columns. He is well known to many of our citizens, having tuned pianos in this city for many years.

Represenative Sheppard presented to to the Legislature on Monday the petition of the Park Commissioners of this city, that they be authorized to erect bath houses in the parks and playgrounds of the city.

Thomas Hayes, who was well known in Quincy as a teamster, died this morning at the Quincy city Hospital where he has been undergoing treatment. He resided at 24 Quarry street, and leaves a widow and one son.

The ladies of Bethany church are planning for a novel social tomorrow evening—a left-handed winter picnic. Coffee will be served and everyone is expected to bring his basket lunch as at any other picnic. Mr. King gives the picnic address. Everybody invited. The picnic begins at 6.30.

Mrs. Herbert F. Doble who received a compound fracture of the ankle last October is still unable to be about although she is now improving rapidly. She has had a long seige of it, and as her ankle did not heal as it should it became necessary three weeks ago to perform an operation. Since then she has improved rapidly.

The annual fair at the Washington Street Congregational church will be held the 13th, 14th and 15th. Entertainments each evening will consist of many pleasing features. Supper last two evenings. The suppers at the Point church are the best. Tables for the sale of useful and fancy articles, china, flowers, candy and cake also a surprise table. Supper at 6.30, entertainment at 8 o'clock. Ice cream and cake served each evening. Come one and all, and have a good time.

☞Charles Hoyt—A Bunch of Keys—Music hall, tonight. No more need be said.

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Public Hearing on Street Railway Location.

Favorable Reports on Several Appropriation Orders.

Order Introduced for an $18,000 Fire Station.

There was a very large attendance at Monday's night's meeting of the City Council, which was due to the report that some interesting things would develop at the public hearing on the petition of the Quincy & Boston street railway, for a change of location of its Houghs Neck line. The expected did not happen, however, for the hearing was utterly devoid of anything exciting, on the whole, being rather tame.

Councilman Smith was the only absentee.

COMMUNICATION.

The Commissioner of Public Works forwarded an estimate of the cost of constructing sidewalks which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

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The Mayor sent a communication relative to making a contract with the Quincy Electric Light & Power Co. for another three years upon the old terms, the lights to burn until 1 o'clock and to be turned on in case of fire. To Committee on Finance.

The Mayor announced the following appointments which were confirmed:

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The New England Telephone Co. and the Quincy Electric Light Co. petitioned for a location for poles. Referred to Committee on Streets.

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The Committee on Streets reported leave to withdraw on the order for a permanent sidewalk on Chestnut and Bigelow street. Accepted.

The same committee reported ought to pass, on order for permanent sidewalks on Rawson road, Billings road, Washington street, Beach street and Water street.

Referred to Finance Committee.

The same committee reported an order for $1,000 for paved gutters on Prospect avenue. Referred to Committee on Finance.

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There should be a fire alarm box within fifty feet of every school building.

The amendment was adopted and the order referred to the Committee on Ordiances. The Committee on Finance reported favorable on orders for $500 for completing Madison street, $400 for completing School street, $1,000 for completing the widening of Howard street, $600 for regrading Furnace avenue, $200 for completing Goddard and Federal avenue and $1,500 for completing Billings road. Laid on the table until later in the evening when a loan order for $4,200 was offered covering these amounts.

The Committee on Finance reported an amendment to the order for $20,000 for completing Coddington and Spear streets, borrowing the money under the street improvement act of 1899. Amendment adopted and order passed under suspension of the rules.

The same committee reported favorable on the order for $30,000 for extension of Water mains. Passed under suspension of the rules.

The same committee reported an order of $50 for marking the graves of Revolutionary soldiers and sailors in Quincy. Rules suspended and order passed.

PUBLIC HEARING.

A public hearing was held on the petition of the Quincy & Boston street railway for a change of location to Houghs Neck.

John R. Graham representing the corporation, said on account of relocation of Sea street it seemed to the railroad that the tracks should be relocated. We want a turnout at the junction of Coddington and Sea street and a double track from Dennen's to the Willows. This will permit us to run ten or fifteen minute cars. We intend to put in a first class construction. It was important that this should be settled as we want to accommodate the people there. We have the rails and are ready to build at once.

In response to questions by Councilman Faxon Mr. Graham said they intended to put in a sixty-pound rail. We are willing to put in the kind of rail the Council orders.

Herbert T. Whitman had examined the plans of location and it seemed to him a good one. The tracks are now taken up and what is done must be done soon. He thought the location should be granted.

John Cavanagh was about to tell what the Houghs Neck people desired, when he was shut off by President Bryant, who informed him that the petition was not on fifteen minute time. Mr. Cavanagh then said he hoped the location would be granted. Unless something is done soon we shall get left.

The only opposition if such it could be called, came from William H. Baker, an attorney of Newton who represented Andrew A. Meyer. Mr. Baker said he did not oppose provided certain terms were adhered to. We want good service. Ten minute service would be satisfactory. He also wanted to know if they intended to rebuild line the entire length; whether they intended to treat people of Houghs Neck the same as they do other sections; whether they intended to grant an eight cent transfer; whether they intend to run cars during the winter months. It seems to us the franchise should not be abused by failing to run cars during the winter. If they do not intend to do these things there are others who will do it and should be given a chance to place themselves on record as to this agreement. If these reasonable terms are imposed we do not object.

The hearing then closed and the order was recommitted.

MOTIONS, ORDERS, ETC.

Councilman Freeman offered an order for $18,000 for a two-way engine house and ward room at Wollaston. Referred to joint Committee of Public Buildings, Fire Department and Finance.

FREE TRANSFERS.

Councilman Packard offered a resolution that the Mayor be requested to confer with the Quincy & Boston street railroad relative to taking action to abolish the eight-cent transfer and to make an agreement to put in operation a five-cent fare, or free transfer on all cars on all lines within the city limits. Adopted.

Councilman Freeman offered an order for $2,000 to macademize Beale street, from Everett street to Milton street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Freeman offered an order that the School Committee submit an itemized estimate of their requirements for the year, according to chapter 255 of the acts of 1891. Adopted.

Councilman Nicol offered an order for $2,000 for regrading and rebuilding Liberty street, from Liberty square to Centre street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Councilman Nicol offered an order for $1,000 for draining and regrading Rodman street. Referred to Committee on Streets. Adjourned 8.40.

Two Inches Single.

Two inches single is getting to be a popular display for modest users of newspaper space. It gives them room enough to say a little something and say it strongly; it is big enough to get in very effective display; and it is not an expensive space to maintain.—About Ads.

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SHIRT WAISTS.

Fashion Shows Endless Varieties For the Coming Season.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, March 6.

Shirt waists, shirt waists,
Is the burden of her song;
She talks of them at evening
And shops the whole day long.
Shirt waists, shirt waists,
She finds in every store,
And when she's seen them all she cries,
"I wish there had been more."

This may not be very good poetry, but it is true. Shirt waists there are of every size, form, kind of material and imaginable diversity of make. The trimming is as diverse as it is beautiful. As many ladies make their own shirt waists, I will try and give a few ideas. Even little tots of girls will wear them this season. They do now even, but they are of flannel in some bright and pretty color. I noticed one of pink flannel for a little 6-year-old mite. There were two rows of ribbon sewed on flat down the front, and this was embroidered in a dainty pattern. There was a standing collar, with a black bow. For a 10-year-old there was a blue waist dotted with red pinhead dots. This was laid in close folds from the neck to the waist. The back was plaited in the same way without a yoke. A wide plait down the center had the regulation three brass buttons.

Some of the waists have yokes in the back, and these may be plain, pointed, vandyked or scalloped. One has one scallop in the center, with the curve upward, and three plaits converging from that curve to the waist line in a point. Some of them have rows of very fine tucking from bottom to top, with insertions of narrow valenciennes between them and a flat fold in the center. The sleeves are made in the same way. One style has rows of insertion lengthwise, with puffings of thin material between. The sleeves are made in the same way. Others have the lace insertion, with puffed ribbon between, so that the whole waist is made of lace and ribbon. The colors are white, baby blue, cerise, pink, nile green, silver gray and black. The form of most of them is that called the French waist.

Fine white lawns and swisses, pineapple cloths and a dozen other delicate and sheer fabrics seem to have the preference for pretty waists for summer wear, and these are so trimmed with lace that it is difficult to describe them. But one thing must always be remembered—these shirt waists must all be laundered in the course of human events, and they must be made with that view.

The gingham pique and other washable stuffs are made rather more simply, but tucks, plaits and brass buttons have their place there too. The cuffs to the shirts of flannels, ginghams, etc., are like shirt cuffs for two linked buttons, but all the fine and thin ones have flaring cuffs more or less orna-

NEW SHIRT WAISTS.

mented to follow the trimming on the rest. All these thin ones have self collars or high bands, around which ribbon or some very light tie will be drawn.

Silk waists are made much in the same general style, but most of these are corded in front. One decided novelty has the body of the waist of dove colored peau de soie, with an open front. This is filled in with a white taffeta vest. There are revers of the dove silk laid in the tiniest of tucks. The sleeves are tucked across the top, and the high collar is done in the same style.

Some of the silk ones have puffed lines, with tucked ones between, and the whole is made of that. The back is arranged so that the plaits and puffs come to a V point in the back. Most elaborate are some of the waists. One I noticed was of the finest nainsook, the whole front worked into a lattice pattern with fine black guipure insertion, and where the lines crossed there was placed a "motif" of black lace. The sleeves had ten lines of narrow tucks lengthwise with one row of the insertion between them. Another had a foundation of the sheerest lawn. Round and round there were alternate lines of black valenciennes lace insertion and fringed white valenciennes lace. The lace and fringe were scarce an inch wide. The sleeves were made the same way. In the center of the front was one flat plait edged with the fringed lace both sides. The prettiest, because the neatest and simplest, of the ginghams and percales are gathered very full in front at the neck and in front at the belt. The back has but few gathers, and they brought very snug at the bottom. There are yokes of every conceivable shape and size.

I noticed several white waists of thin stuffs, with boleros of the same and trimmed in the same way as the rest. A flat bow of the lawn edged with lace was put upon the front to hold the bolero together. The velutina waists follow the general designs of the others and are tucked, plaited, folded and run with featherbone like the others. Many of the silk waists are cut away at the neck and have a sort of guimpe of some other color or material. And what I have told you here is as but one drop out of a bucketful.

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	5.	Edward A. Barnard,	85	2	23
	8.	Jeremiah J. Corcoran,	27	5	0
	8.	Ida F. Orr,	37	2	27
	10.	Edmund F. C. Chini,	0	5	27
	10.	Charlotte M. King,	63	0	18
	11.	Valentina Picini,	0	4	21
	12.	John A. Malcolm,	45	9	28
	12.	Murto Moynihan,	55	0	0
	13.	Auguste Lenciaux,	34	0	0
	13.	Mary H. McDonnell,	80	0	0
	13.	Louis M. Kelley,	28	10	22
	14.	Minnie M. Poland,	10	7	2
	14.	Ledocia N. Griggs,	92	6	0
	16.	James Quigley,	41	0	0
	17.	Paul T. Linden,	0	4	20
	20.	Hubert W. Girouard,	0	2	0
	20.	James F. Riley,	0	0	2
	23.	Thomas J. Jones,	33	2	0
	24.	Helen E. Higgins,	31	11	0
	27.	Patrick J. Cunniff,	45	0	14
	29.	Arthur Austin,	50	0	0
	29.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	30.	Joseph Sherag,	36	0	0
May	3.	Catherine Raycroft,	69	0	0
	3.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	4.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	4.	Simeon Dell,	73	11	17
	4.	Kathrene O. Adams,	30	11	5
	4.	William S. King,	72	8	2
	5.	Margaret Marr,	0	11	17
	6.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	7.	Robert W. Green,	2	0	0
	12.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	13.	George F. Arnold,	74	2	18
	14.	James Dalton,	32	0	0
	15.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	15.	George Chrystall,	31	0	0
	18.	Edward J. Colbert,	35	1	1
	20.	Lucy P. Perry,	88	6	2
	23.	Ellen Lyons,	69	10	13
	24.	Benjamin H. Kingsley,	28	11	12
	25.	Annie C. McLeod,	41	0	0
	26.	Sallie Hopkins,	20	1	25
	27.	Carlo A. Della Chiesa,	1	1	4
	27.	John Flynn,	50	0	0
	28.	Martin H. Cook,	0	0	4
	29.	Ralph E. Turner,	2	0	20
	30.	Marguerite A. Meehan,	0	2	20
	31.	Luke J. Coyle,	7	7	0
	31.	Arthur Di Bona,	0	2	6
June	1.	Elizabeth Barry,	40	0	0
	1.	Robert McIntire, Jr.,	0	1	18
	2.	Alexander Gourlay,	60	0	0
	5.	Alfred Luard,	67	4	6
	5.	John J. Hanlon,	1	9	3
	5.	Nelson V. Titus,	56	5	24
	6.	Josephine M. Monti,	0	2	14
	6.	Helen M. Chase,	0	9	12
	6.	Lucy A. Newcomb,	92	6	0
	9.	Catherine Madden,	83	0	0
	9.	Mary J. McKinnon,	3	10	17
	9.	William Mattson,	28	0	0
	9.	T. Henry Wason,	62	1	17
	10.	William H. Grady,	35	0	0
	10.	Lewis P. Griffiths,	0	4	12
	11.	George H. Locke,	83	9	13
	12.	William R. Owens,	31	8	7
	16.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	16.	Adeline S. Thurber,	79	11	9
	18.	Karl Skog,	25	0	0
	19.	Olive S. Knowlton,	0	0	12
	19.	John Crane,	80	7	11
	19.	Elizabeth B. Marsh,	77	6	17
	20.	Richard Powers,	19	2	28
	20.	Lempi M. Erickson,	0	10	0
	21.	James Behan,	60	0	0
	21.	Mary A. Thayer,	76	5	10
	23.	Jeremiah Ford,	58	0	0
	23.	Margaret Jones,	0	9	19
	24.	Thomas McDonnell,	48	4	16
	29.	James Maloney,	0	0	1
	29.	Alexander Smith,	76	5	3

[To be Continued.]

WEYMOUTH.

Mrs. Ellen Pratt, who has been making a visit with her daughter, Mrs. John Long at Springfield, has returned home.

Mrs. James Quinn is quite ill at her home on Pleasant street.

A bean supper will be given in the vestry of the Porter M. E. church, Wednesday evening, March 14.

Dr. Kettembile of Brookline was the guest of Mr. Herbert Tirrell at Porter, Sunday.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. William Kirkby are confined at their home with illness.

Mr. Stephen White, while chopping wood one afternoon last week, cut off the top of his thumb.

Misses Mabel and Flora Clark of Cambridge were the guest of Miss Edith Inkley at Porter on Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS.

The committee on the Men's Banquet given at the Universalist church, March 7, desire to return hearty thanks to all those donating or assisting in any manner to make it the success which the verdict of the people has already pronounced.

Quincy, March 13. 1t

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Mar. 10:

Mr. J. L. Clements, Mr. H. Johnson, Mrs. S. Smith, Miss Christy McDonald.

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE

Who are injured by the use or coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

TO LET.

Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

Any of the above will be let at very reasonable figures.

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The Houses are in complete repair.

Farm, 50 acres, house and outbuildings, head Summer street.
Large store, 162 Hancock street, city water dry cellar and workshop.
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Half House, 4 rooms, 19 Kidder street.
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Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
Stable with city water, 28 Coddington street. $5 per month.
Stable and sheds near Quincy Centre on Coddington street. $4.00 per month.
Small stable, No. 2 Quincy street. $3 per month.
100 Windows and Blinds for sale.
Wharf, with office, blacksmith shops, etc. Quincy Neck.
Basement, head of Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage or pasturing purposes.
Gravel suitable for cementing, concreting and roofing for sale.
Fifty loads of loam for sale.
The Buildings are in the Very Best Condition.
For particulars, enquire of, or address

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Quincy, March 13, 1900. 1m

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Mar. 7. tf

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LOST.

LOST—A small pocket medicine case, near Brewer's corner, this morning. Name was on a slip in the inside. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to DR. F. S. DAVIS, 5 Elm street, Quincy. Mar. 13-tf

WANTED.

WANTED—A Farm more than 20 acres, not far from Quincy, Mass. Send particulars to John Skogberg, 9 Nelson Street, West Quincy, Mass. Mar. 12-3t

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also half-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises. Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET—Furnished Room with furnace heat and bath room. Apply at 27 Chestnut street, cor. Cottage ave.

Wagons For Sale.

ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO. March 6. 1m

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Up Stairs Suite in a Modern House Just Built.

Five rooms and bath, open plumbing, hard wood floors and halls, curtained and screened throughout, electric lights, all modern conveniences. First class neighborhood, very few children, on Lunt street, just off Billings road and near Hancock street, and commands a fine view. Two minutes to Norfolk Downs station. Electrics pass the house. Rent reasonable to right party. Call as above or address L. F. R. LANGELIER, 50 Bromfield street, Boston. Room No. 8. Telephone No. 3,314. Feb. 28. tf

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SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

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NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
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EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a.m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a.m.
			New Moon	30	2:30 p.m.

Gratefulness.

"I'm the man you saved from drowning yesterday."

"Yes? I suppose you came to express your thanks."

"Well, yes—no—that is, you see, in pulling me out of the water you completely ruined my clothes, and I thought you might give me another suit."—Fliegende Blatter.

Another Arrest in Goebel Case.

Louisville, March 13.—W. L. Hazelipp was arrested yesterday at the central asylum for the insane on a charge of conspiracy. The charge is practically the same as that under which Secretary of State Powers and Captain Davis are now in custody for. Mr. Hazelipp is alleged to have been implicated in the plot to assassinate William Goebel. He is steward of the sentral asylum, and was appointed to that office by Governor Bradley. Hazelipp is in custody of detectives at Lakeland, and will be brought to Louisville.

Suspected of Being a Fraud.

New Haven, March 13.—A man whose card bears the name "Ansing Afocking Advani," and who represents himself as being an East Indian prince and an indigo merchant at Bombay, is locked up, charged with passing a fraudulent check. The alleged prince has been stopping in town for several days for the avowed purpose of securing young lady typewriters to accompany him to London and Bombay, and it is said that he had arranged with several.

A Wave of Purification.

New York, March 13.—The grand jury yesterday found indictments against 10 persons for violating the gambling law. There were no indictments found yesterday in connection with the music halls, concert halls or disorderly houses. Assistant District Attorney O'Reilly is preparing notices to be sent to landlords who rent their property for disorderly purposes, notifying them of the necessity of getting rid of their tenants.

Improvement in Health of Troops.

Washington, March 13.—Surgeon General Sternberg has received a cablegram from Colonel Greenleaf, chief surgeon in the Philippines, saying that the total number of cases in the military hospitals in and around Manila, March 12, was 1287. There has been a steady reduction in the number of cases under treatment at the hospitals since Jan. 20 last, when they numbered 2540.

Wife's Body to Be Exhumed.

Dover, N. H., March 13.—Job Clay was arrested at his home at Lee last night on a charge of simple assault upon his wife, who died Feb. 27. The warrant was sworn out on suspicion that Mrs. Clay died as the result of an assault. The body will be exhumed and a post-mortem examination will follow.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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AT PATRIOT OFFICE.

BURNED LIKE TINDER.

Tenement Building Occupied by Italians Quickly Destroyed by Fire.

Fourteen, Mostly Children, Were Roasted to Death.

Disaster Believed to Have Been the Work of an Incendiary, Who Sought Revenge.

Newark, N. J., March 13.—Fourteen persons, a majority of whom were children, were burned to death at a tenement house fire, at Morris and Fourteenth avenues, about 5 o'clock Monday morning. Thirteen bodies were recovered from the ruins within three hours after the flames had been extinguished. The building was a three-story frame structure, formerly used as a church, but transformed into a tenement house with small rooms, scarcely 8x10 feet in dimensions, opening into a narrow hallway on both the second and third floors, forming a veritable firetrap.

The building in which the fire broke out was a veritable firetrap. It was old, of frame construction, and extended two stories above the ground floor. Until three or four years ago the structure had been used as a church, but it was converted into a tenement. The lower floor, fronting on 50, 52 and 54 Fourteenth avenue, was occupied by three stores, and the upper portion of the building was divided into 20 living rooms.

As nearly as can be learned the structure was occupied by 10 families, all Italians. Two of the occupants, Vito Crandanza and one other family, kept boarders, and there is said to have been 40 or 50 persons of both sexes and all ages in the building when the fire started.

The police are confident that the fire was of incendiary origin, and they have arrested Vito Crandanza on suspicion.

Virginus de Prula and Joseph Frenig are being held as witnesses. There was a game of cards Sunday night in one of the rooms of the house. Much wine was carried into the room and some time after midnight there was a violent quarrel. During the quarrel, which ended without a collision, some one, now asserted to be Crandanza, exclaimed after he and others had made various threats: "I'll send the whole lot of you to hell in a few hours if you're not careful."

After this threat was made the card party broke up and from that time until nearly 5 o'clock the inmates slept undisturbed. A few minutes before 5 everyone in the building was awakened by the roar of flames. They found the fire burning at the foot of the stairs leading from the first to the second story. The hallway and the stairs were burning fiercely, cutting off the only egress from the upper floor, on which six families lived. It also cut off the escape by the door for those who lived in the rear part of the first floor. Those in the basement were in no danger, as the fire was above them.

Some one escaping from the basement or the first floor, it is supposed, pulled an alarm box on the corner. The whole neighborhood was awake in an instant, and from the burning building came agonizing screams and calls for help. By the time the firemen reached the scene the building was wrapped in flames, and those who had not escaped were dead or doomed. They must have died within a few minutes, for the fire rushed through every room in the frail building within 10 minutes.

There was great excitement about the scene. Men, women and children who escaped from the burning building rushed about almost naked looking for their relatives. For a time it was thought there were many more lost than events later proved, because several naked children were picked up by neighbors and carried indoors. Thus fathers and mothers missed their children and rushed screaming about. The police and neighbors quieted the frightened ones. They were gotten into shelter and the police made a census and reunited families after a couple hours of hard work.

The fire lasted only a few minutes, for the firemen drowned it out easily. The search for the dead began within 20 minutes after the alarm sounded, so quickly was the fire conquered.

The stench of roasted flesh coming from the ruins was sickening. The first body found was that of Mrs. Boldi. Close by her lay the charred remains of her 7-year-old daughter. Then followed discovery after discovery, until 13 bodies were found. Mrs. Casillo was found with her two children clasped in her arms. The little boy's face was buried in her breast and the baby she had thrust beneath her night gown in a vain endeavor to save it from the flames.

A wagon load of pine boxes arrived from the morgue and four hours after the fire broke out the first wagon load of filled boxes started away for the morgue. It was noon before the search for the bodies was ended, and by that time every bit of the debris had been gone over most carefully.

There were still many missing, but they were accounted for in various parts of the city during the course of the day. While the search was going on a man died at the city hospital, where he had been taken after the firemen arrived and found him lying on the sidewalk. He had leaped from the second story and his skull was crushed in.

In case Crandanza or any one else should be convicted of setting fire to the building the only penalty possible is death by hanging. The law holds that an incendiary setting fire to a building and death resulting, even if he had no intention to kill, is guilty of murder in the first degree.

Lumber Schooner Ashore.

Cape Henry, Va., March 13.—Schooner Lizzie James, with lumber, went ashore yesterday on Hatteras Inlet bar during a heavy gale. The entire crew were successfully landed by Captain Stowe with a pilot skiff manned by a crew of Hatteras seamen. The sea was so high that the rescue was very difficult.

CHANGES IN THE DAILY CAPITAL.

Rev. Mr. Sheldon Exercises Rigorous Censorship Over Both News and "Ads.".

Topeka, Kan., March 13.—Rev. C. M. Sheldon, who is editing the Topeka Capital this week, was at the office of the paper early yesterday morning, and made a hurried inspection of the various departments. At 10 o'clock he had a conference with the visiting correspondents, and shortly afterward met the working force of the paper, and gave out instructions for the day.

REV. CHARLES M. SHELDON'S HOME IN TOPEKA.

"The main purpose of the paper will be to influence its readers to seek first the kingdom of God." Mr. Sheldon made this announcement in his editorial leader outlining his policy this morning. "May God bless the use of this paper to the glory of his kingdom on earth," says Rev. Mr. Sheldon in concluding his leader.

The first item on the first page today is a prayer written by Bishop Vincent of the Methodist Episcopal church.

One page has been reserved for telegraphic news, which ordinarily occupies about three times that space. The Associated Press report is necessarily being "blue pencilled" with a vengeance.

The market reports are cut from four columns to one. All quotations on stocks and bonds, giving options, and other matter involving transactions in futures, have been consigned to the waste basket, and only the actual cash prices of grain, produce, etc, are quoted.

Advertisements are banished from the news and editorial pages, and are bunched in places reserved for them. The censorship here is even more rigorous than in the news column, and a large quantity of this matter has been cut out, including all relating to patent medicines. No retail advertisements from out-of-town tradesmen will be accepted, Mr. Sheldon holding that this would be an injury to home merchants.

The first page today is given up to discussions on what Mr. Sheldon considers the most important questions now before the world. There are four leading articles on this page, the first being devoted to the famine in India. "Militarism" is discussed to the extent of about 1200 words, the leading article under this heading being extracts from a pamphlet treating the war evils as a disease epidemic in all latitudes, and discussing its causes, dangers and cure, and urging the religion of Christ as the only remedy. The third first-page story is a column and a half symposium on the Kansas prohibitory law, and is made up of brief statements from leading politicians and educators of the state.

The fourth and last and important article is in the form of a letter to Mr. Sheldon from the Y. M. C. A. of Colorado, appealing to the Christian people of the country to establish a home for consumptives at Denver.

Double Tragedy in New Hampshire.

Farmington, N. H., March 13.—The murder of Lole Pearl by George B. French, and then the suicide of the latter, Sunday night, undoubtedly was the result of an ungovernable temper, inflamed by jealousy. Miss Pearl was very attractive and inclined to dress stylishly. On Friday night, during French's absence from town, Miss Pearl went with a man to a dance in the adjoining town of Milton. When French returned to town Sunday morning he heard people talking about Miss Pearl's going to the dance, and he became furious. Late in the afternoon French went to the house of Mrs. Edwin E. Pike, and there the tragedy occurred. French had kept company with Miss Pearl for about two years, and there had been several quarrels. He was madly jealous of her.

Political Deadlock Continues.

St. John's, March 13.—Governor McCallum has again prorogued the legislature, this time until March 22, owing to the political deadlock. The governor insists that Bond should agree to carry on public business, and the latter urges dissolution and a general election. Bond says he will obstruct the passage of the appropriation bills unless the governor agrees to his terms.

Many Cigarmakers Out.

New York, March 13.—About 2300 cigarmakers, of which number nearly 800 are girls, employed by Kerbs, Wertheim & Schiffer, this city, are on strike. Although the strike was declared because of an alleged poor grade of stock, the strikers have asked for an increase of wages running from 20 to 30 percent, and that the factory go under the control of the union.

Pugilist Held on Charge of Robbery.

New York, March 13.—William Dunn, formerly the heavyweight champion pugilist of New Jersey, was held yesterday in Jersey City on a charge of robbery, he and two other men having in their possession 10 pigs of copper, stolen from a freight car. The three prisoners were held in $1000 bail each for the grand jury.

Michael and Bald in Racers' Ranks.

New York, March 13.—Jimmie Michael, who at one time was the king of the pace followers, announces that he has left the turf. He has made a proposition to meet all cyclists at the middle distance. Eddie Bald also announces that he will go into active competition this year.

Bath Carpenters Join Union.

Bath, Me., March 13.—The situation in the carpenters' strike here remains practically unchanged, but it seems probable that a settlement will be brought about soon. The Bath union initiated 36 new members yesterday.

A BRAVE LITTLE ANT.

WILLING TO LOSE HIS OWN LIFE TO SAVE HIS FELLOWS.

A Naturalist's Interesting Story of the Heroism Displayed by One of These Tiny Creatures In a Moment of Extreme Peril.

The sun was just setting, writes a naturalist, when I returned, slightly fatigued, from several miles' ride on my wheel. As is my custom on returning home, I took the garden hose and turned water into a great trench which had been dug around a maple tree for the purpose of holding water a sufficient time to permit the dirt adjacent to the roots to become thoroughly soaked.

Sitting down near the tree to rest, my attention was soon attracted to a group of small ants rushing hither and thither in an endeavor to escape. The bottom of the circular ditch being covered, about 20 of the ants sought safety on a large clod of earth. At first they were scattered about over the highest part of the little mound and to all appearances were indifferent as to their surrounndings.

After a little one of the number proceeded leisurely around the little island, and after finishing the circuit it hurried back to its companions. It appeared that they then for the first time realized that they were surrounded by water. The survey was repeated several times in quick succession. The group of ants gathered more closely together and seemed to be in a state of restless anxiety.

As the water rose the circuit grew less, the vigil more earnest and the excitement more intense with each return of the sentinel. They rushed about over each other in a terrible state of agitation, for the water was rapidly approaching. There was now hardly room for them to stand on—just a little white, and that would be soon under water. They ceased struggling, settled down into motionless inactivity and seemed entirely resigned to their fate.

I picked up a little stick and laid it across the water to the point where the ants were. They seemed dazed and did not instantly take advantage of the means of escape afforded them. One then crawled hurriedly up on the stick and went its length out and over the blades of grass on to the dry land. Without a second's hesitation he turned and retraced his steps back to his companions. Now the smallest one of the group returned with him to dry land. They both retraced their steps, and the work of rescue began. The rest seemed passive, entirely subservient to the will of these two. Each, with a companion, hastened out to a place of safety.

The small one was much the more active, she rescuing about three to the larger's two. Time was precious, as the water was rapidly rising. It would soon be running around the outer end of the stick, and the island was melting away. One by one they were taken out, the guide accompanying the rescued one each time to a place of security. Why they did not all follow the first one out when he returned puzzled me, but they did not. The smaller ant now hurried forth with the last one. Still he was not content and rushed back in search of others.

The little hillock was now melted away, and he turned to seek safety for himself. He did not seem as much concerned as before. He did not hasten on as when conscious of rescuing others. The water was running around the stick. The last avenue of escape seemed closed to him forever. He went to the highest point and settled down perfectly still. His previous conduct convinced me that he now fully realized that the case was hopeless as far as he was concerned.

Must the bravest of them all thus die when he could have easily made his escape long ago? He willingly risked his own life that he might save others. Could a more genuine example of heroism be found in human annals? Could a more striking example of brotherly love and unselfish devotion be shown? Could a more earnest solicitude for the life of others be instanced? I think not. Within his own power this little insect had no possible means of escape. He did not fear death; neither did he die, but he was last to escape.

I lifted the stick from the water and laid it on the ground. He crawled hurriedly away to his companions, whom he had so recently torn from the grasp of death. Whatever I may have done for them, I can but feel that in this example the little hero ant did much more for me.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Where We Get Caviare.

Caviare is consumed in large quantities all over the Russian empire. It is also sent to Italy, Germany, France and England and is largely eaten in this country. Caviare is a shining brown substance in little globules, looking exactly like little bramble berries. It is obtained from sturgeon in March by millions on their spawning beds in the mouth of the Danube, the Dneiper, the Don and the Volga rivers, where both nets and hooks are used to capture the fish.

After the membrane of the roe has been removed the grains are washed with vinegar or the cheap white wines of the country. Then they are dried in the air, salted, put into bags and pressed and packed in casks. It is one of the most important articles of Russian trade, the sales reaching annually over $10,000,000.

Just Like Him.

Visitor (viewing the new baby)—He's the very image of his father.

Proud Mother—Yes, and he acts just like him too.

Visitor—Is it possible?

Proud Mother—Yes; he keeps me up nearly every night.—New York World.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS IN MAINE.

Republicans Appear to Have Been Generally Successful—Bay State Town Meetings.

Biddeford, Me., March 13.—Nathaniel B. Walker, the only candidate for mayor, received 1042 votes. All the rest of the Citizen ticket was elected, there being no opposition, except in ward 1, where the Citizens defeated the Republican ward ticket.

Clarence O. Poor was re-elected mayor of Belfast. The Republicans secured a victory, only one alderman and one member of the council being of the opposite party.

Arthur Chapin was re-elected mayor of Bangor by the Republicans, who also elected five of the seven aldermen, and 16 of the 21 councilmen.

In Brewer, Charles J. Hutchings was elected mayor by the Republicans, he receiving 187 of the 198 votes thrown. The city council is all Republican.

The Republicans carried every ward at Augusta, electing their entire city ticket. Mayor S. W. Lane was elected to his fourth term.

Another Day of Town Meetings.

Boston, March 13.—Another batch of Massachusetts towns held their annual meetings yesterday, when the ins and outs of the town affairs were discussed and disposed of. Cottage City turned its back on license and voted "no." The town of Amesbury decided to order a new fire engine and to have the town's water supply looked into.

New York Central Not Worrying.

New York, March 13.—Speaking of the more recent efforts of the opponents of the proposed lease of the Boston and Albany to the New York Central, President Gallaway of the last-named road says: "I do not think that the opposition will succeed in preventing the lease. Still there is no telling what the Massachusetts legislature may do. There are always political influences at work. If that legislature fails to ratify the lease, of course it falls through, and the responsibility must rest in that quarter. The New York Central management is not worrying about the outcome."

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Minister Used a Gun.

Richmond, March 13.—News reaches here of the shooting and probably fatal wounding at White Plains of Dr. W. H. Temple by Rev. J. E. R. Reiddick, a well-known Methodist minister. Reiddick claims that Dr. Temple, who was his wife's physician, had insulted her.

Goslin Furnishes Heavy Bail.

New York, March 13.—Alfred E. Goslin, charged with circulating false reports concerning the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company for the purpose of affecting the market value of the stock, was yesterday released upon depositing $12,000 bail, cash.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

At a meeting of a number of prominent farmers and live stock owners at Concord, N. H., it was decided to organize a stock company, to be incorporated under the title of the Concord Fair, for the purpose of holding an annual state fair in that city.

Frank T. Arnold, aged 65, dropped dead from apoplexy at Peabody, Mass. He had been connected with the Peabody and Boston express for over 30 years, was a veteran of the Civil war and had been quite a factor in the political life of the town.

Steamship Victoria sailed from Brooklyn for Cape Town with a cargo of 5600 tons of oats, 1000 tons of rails and 2 tons of provisions, consigned to the British forces in South Africa.

The American Snuff company was incorporated at Trenton, with an authorized capital stock of $25,000,000.

The Montgomery county courthouse at Clarksville, Tenn., was burned. Loss, $125,000.

If the man does not stop the cough the cough stops the man; stops his appetite, his sleep, his pleasure and his work. So called "cough remedies" sometimes relieve but they don't go deep enough to cure. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures coughs and diseases of the respiratory organs perfectly and permanently. It stops the cough. It heals the lungs, stops the hemorrhage, if the lungs are bleeding, and by purifying the blood and increasing the action of the blood-making glands enriches every organ with the good blood which alone will make a good body.

"My husband had been coughing for years and people frankly told me that he would go into consumption," writes Mrs. John Shireman, of No. 265 25th Place, Chicago, Ill. "He had such terrible coughing spells, we not only grew much alarmed, but looked for the bursting of a blood vessel or a hemorrhage at almost any time. After three days' coughing he was too weak to cross the room. The doctor did him no good. I stated the case to a druggist, who handed me a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. My husband's recovery was remarkable. In three days after he began using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery he was up and around, and in two more days he went to work. Two bottles cured him."

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

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Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *6 12	abc	6 32	*5 53	ihgfedcba	6 22 r
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r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
9 33	a	9 51	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32			

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, f, Harrison Square.
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Feb. 23. tf

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

AT ITS VERY GATES.

Bloemfontein Expected to Fall Into the Hands of the British Today.

Likely to Strain Alliance of the Two Republics.

Salisbury Declines America's Proffer of Good Office to Bring About Peace.

London, March 14.—General Roberts is knocking at the gates of Bloemfontein, capital of the Orange Free State, and is likely, before many hours, to have them opened to him. By a clever movement the British commander, avoiding the direct route to Bloemfontein defended by the Boers, swung to the south and marched 13 miles to Venter's Vlei, which is about 15 miles southwest of that city, thus turning the enemy's position. He then ordered French with his cavalry to make a dash for Bloemfontein. His instructions were carried out, the British cavalry after a sharp fight seizing positions which command the city. At last accounts Roberts was hurrying re-enforcements of cavalry and mounted infantry to French's aid. The actual entry of Lord Roberts into the Orange Free State capital seems likely to come today.

The Boers retiring from the Orange river will find themselves between two British armies, and their guns are almost bound to fall into the hands of the British, while the occupation of the capital of the Free State will strain the alliance of the two republics to the utmost.

The government will not allow the Kruger-Steyn appeal to influence in any way their determination not to spare any effort to prosecute the war. There will be no diminution of measures calculated to maintain the full efficiency of the field force, and whatever reinforcements were previously considered advisable will still be sent out.

Lord Salisbury's reply meets with unanimous approval among conservatives, and it is the universal opinion that the Boers, by their extravagant claims and canting tone, meant to influence foreign powers, have again overreached themselves, as they did by the ultimatum.

The United States government has offered to mediate between Great Britain and the Boers, and the English government has felt compelled to decline the services. Lord Salisbury has further informed the presidents of the two republics that their request for peace with "incontestable independence" is flatly rejected, the British government holding them responsible for the precipitation of hostilities. In connection with the offer of the United States to mediate and Great Britain's refusal of the same, it is not impossible that England welcomed the opportunity thus afforded her to tell the rest of the world to keep hands off.

The Times, commenting editorially this morning upon the reply of Lord Salisbury to the message from the Boer presidents, says: "The government has given the only conceivable reply to the extraordinary Kruger-Steyn telegram, a reply which will be hailed with profound satisfaction throughout the empire. We are sincerely glad to see the attitude the United States has assumed in transmitting the proposals. Washington's services, of course, have been declined, but declined, we need hardly say, in the same cordial and friendly spirit in which they were offered. The news that General French commands Bloemfontein is an instructive comment on the preposterous character of the Boer pretensions."

Swindled Many Banks.

Philadelphia, March 14.—Edward E. Grinnell, formerly employed as a laborer in the disbursing office of the medical department of the United States army at San Francisco, who was recently arrested here charged with the larceny of government checks, was yesterday held in $3500 bail for trial in San Francisco. The defendant admitted swindling numerous banks by means of the checks, and it is believed that he realized about $10,000.

Vermont Farmer Murdered.

Burlington, Vt., March 14.—Aleck Devine aged about 35, years, a farmer residing at Westford, was murdered Monday afternoon, and the murderer had not been apprehended. Death resulted from two shots, fired from a 32-callbre revolver. The police believe that Curtis Pooler, who has been in this section of the state about a week, knows something about the crime, and they are actively engaged in trying to tocate him.

Confesses to Many Robberies.

Dover, N. H., March 14.—Arthur Willey of this city was arrested yesterday on the charge of breaking and entering a stable and the larceny of articles therefrom. Since his arrest he has confessed to entering several places in this section of late, and taking robes, harness and other articles.

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March 14. 6t

THE CHRISTIAN DAILY

Urges Non-Partisan Politics and a Higher Standard of Righteousness.

Topeka, March 14.—The leading story on the first page of Rev. Charles M. Sheldon's Christian Daily this morning is a brief statement by Associate Editor Chase, telling of the prompt response made to the appeal in Tuesday morning's paper in behalf of the famine stricken people of India. The Christian Endeavor World of Boston telegraphed Mr. Sheldon urging him to open a fund, but he says he is too busy to attend to the work and suggests that contributions be sent through regular channels.

FREDERICK O. POPENOE.

[Who offered Mr. Sheldon the use of his newspaper for one week.]

Governor Stanley writes a column article on the most gratifying feature of his administration, which, he says, is the progress prison reform has made in the state. Another feature of the page is the anti-war cartoon by Beard, and in this connection General Otis' latest list of casualties in Luzon is run, with comment by Editor Sheldon.

A leading article on the local page is a statement from the Kansas Millers' association, protesting against alleged unjust treatment which they receive at the hands of the railroads.

On the telegraph page much is made of the war, and Editor Sheldon comments freely on the news. There is a long special from Grinnell, Ia., telling of the resignation of President Gates of Iowa college and giving his reasons therefor.

The editorial leader is headed: "What can we do to make this a better city?" It advocates non-partisan politics and urges a higher standard of righteousness among officials and people.

The Case of Major Ruthers.

Washington, March 14.—The report of the board appointed to investigate the charges against Major Ruthers, commissary of subsistence, U. S. V., has been received at the war department. Although there is reason for the belief that Major Ruthers was exonerated, the officials refuse to give out any information on the subject. The charges against Major Ruthers alleged that while stationed in Florida he caused the government to lose a large amount of money by the sale of commissary stores not properly condemned.

End of the Lizzie James.

Cape Henry, Va., March 14.—The weather bureau officials at Hatteras report that the schooner Lizzie James, ashore on Hatteras inlet bar, will prove a total loss. She has broken in two, and is full of water. The cargo remains intact, and will probably nearly all be saved.

More Carpenters Join the Union.

Bath, Me., March 14.—The carpenters' strike in the local shipyards remains unchanged. At a meeting yesterday 27 new members were admitted to the union. Non-union men are engaged at work at Kelley, Spear & Co.'s, and at the works of the New England company.

Improved Situation at Honolulu.

San Francisco, March 14.—Advices from Honolulu, under date of March 5, say that no new cases of plague have developed for three days. The situation in Honolulu is better than it has been for a month.

IN A SEETHING CONDITION.

Still Impossible to Predict Result of Conference on Puerto Rican Matters.

Washington, March 14.—A caucus of Republican senators was held yesterday afternoon to determine on a Puerto Rican bill upon which all may unite. Conferences between leading senators were held Monday and yesterday, and resulted in the call for the caucus. As one senator said: "Things are on a seething condition, and it is impossible to predict the outcome."

No vote was taken on any of the various propositions laid before the caucus, but, as a result of the caucus talk, the impression prevailed that there was a great deal of opposition, which opposition, if not placated, might endanged its passage. It was also apparent that a number of other senators thought the legislation was ill advised, but while opposed to the bill would, nevertheless, vote for it as a party measure.

Deep feeling was displayed over the question by a number of senators, and especially by those of the middle west, some of whom did not hesitate to affirm that any effort to place a tariff upon the exchange of business between the United States and Puerto Rico would have an injurious effect upon the Republican party in those states. There were some sharp passages at arms.

It was generally agreed, however, that from a party standpoint almost any bill would be better than none, and this feeling gave the friends of the measure hope, despite the apparently unyielding attitude of the party factions. They are still holding to the bill as originally introduced and express the belief that it will form the basis of whatever settlement is agreed upon. This opinion is based upon what was said in a general way and not upon any poll of the caucus, for there was nothing approaching a vote during the meeting.

Those senators who favored the proposition for a tariff on Puerto Rican goods coming into this country and free trade for goods to Puerto Rico, said that this course would be humane in principle since it would afford free entry of food and supplies needed by the Puerto Ricans, while the tariff on goods coming into this country would supply revenue for the island and also retain the principal of protection.

Several times during the debate the course of the administration was mentioned and the statement was made that the country was aroused because it had seemed that congress was acting contrary to the wishes of the president. Several senators asserted that the president was now anxious for the proposed tariff of 15 percent.

Senator Foraker talked at considerable length and vigorously supported the bill, and was especially determined that the governmental features should not be abandoned. He also defended the tariff provisions as being of advantage instead of a hardship to the people of Puerto Rico. He declared that the bill as amended by the committee levying 15 percent on products both ways was the best measure that could be passed, but said he was willing to accept the compromise levying a duty only on Puerto Rican products coming to this country.

Senator Hanna favored the house bill, and especially the tariff provisions. He said that from a party view the tariff ought to remain. This was a Republican congress and there should be Republican legislation. If the bill was defeated he asserted that it would hand the legislation over to the Democrats.

Contractors Say They Won't Yield.

San Juan, P. R., March 14.—Another strike has begun among the workmen on the military road in the Arecabo division. Hitherto the men have been paid 40 cents a day, and they want 50. Six hundred left work, but they are not organized. The contractors declare that they will make no concessions, as there are plenty of workmen available to fill the places of the strikers.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1-4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

Municipal Elections In Granite State.

Portsmouth, N. H., March 14.—In the municipal election here Edward McIntire, Republican, was elected mayor. The new city government gives the Republicans 14 of the 18 councilmen and 8 of the 10 aldermen. Edmund Tetley was re-elected mayor of Laconia, and the Republicans also made a clean sweep with the election of every councilman, making a gain of two over last year.

Frank L. Wilson (Dem.) was elected mayor of Berlin. The city council comprises 6 Democrats and 3 Republicans.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 14.—The committee on public service of the legislature yesterday gave a hearing on five bills relating to the civil service law of the state. One bill was to repeal the law, another was to exempt the city of Boston from provisions of the law, a third provided for the referendum on the repeal of the law, the fourth was entitled an "act to improve the civil service of the state," and the fifth was a bill to extend the provisions of the civil service act to the counties and towns of the state.

One Man Fought Five.

Columbia, S. C., March 14.—Five convicts on a penitentiary farm near this city attacked Abe Harling, a guard. They got his Winchester, but did not know how to operate it, and fought him with hoes. He succeeded in drawing his pistol, after a desperate fight, and killed one negro and wounded another. Two surrendered and the fifth escaped.

Sentenced to State Prison.

Boston, March 14.—Louis Walamaceda, the Spanish youth who tried to rob a Devonshire street diamond dealer in his store by throwing flour in the dealer's eyes recently, was on Tuesday sent to state prison for seven to 10 years by Judge Sherman. The diamonds were recovered after the attempted robbery.

Jailed For Shooting His Father.

New Market, N. H., March 14.—Joseph Roberge, charged with shooting his father Monday night, was arraigned in the police court Tuesday, charged with assault with intent to kill. He was held without bail and taken to jail to await the result of the victim's injuries.

Spencer Pleads Not Guilty.

Hartford, March 14.—In the superior court yesterday Robert E. Spencer, the Enfield banker, pleaded not guilty to the charges of embezzlement and forgery. He was held for the June term of the court in bonds of $6000.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

No precipitation to a measureable amount has fallen during the past 24 hours, except over portions of the lake regions. Temperatures have risen somewhat in the Atlantic states and have fallen decidedly in the west and northwest, but are nowhere unreasonably low. It will be fair in New England. On the Atlantic coast the winds will be fresh, and mostly westerly to northerly.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

George A. Gates has tendered his resignation as president of the Iowa college, to take effect next November. This step is taken on account of Mrs. Gates' illness.

Pere Henri Didon, the celebrated Dominican preacher and author, died suddenly at Toulouse, France, of apoplexy. He was born in 1840.

The plant of the New England Box company at Winchester, N. H., was partially burned, causing a loss of $15,000.

American clerks will be employed in the United States postoffice at the Paris exposition, and mail to be forwarded to that office should be addressed "Care of United States Postal Station, Paris, France."

Benjamin B. Nudd, 70 years old, was killed at North Concord, N. H., by being thrown from his wagon. His skull was fractured.

Officials of the Paris exposition say there is no foundation for the report circulated in the United States that the date of opening has been postponed a fortnight. The exposition will be opened April 15, as advertised.

A certificate of incorporation was filed at Dover, Del., for the Standard Fishing Rod company of Warren, Mass., to manufacture and sell fishing rods and other sporting goods. Capital, $25,000.

Advertise to be successful.

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Lace Curtains, Blankets, Piano Covers, Carriage Robes, Bath Rugs, etc., cleansed equal to new.

Gloves cleansed, 10 and 15c. Neckties cleansed, 10c.

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Mar. 7. 1m

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And many other premiums too numerous to mention from a reliable Boston firm.

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And be convinced that this is the place to get Bargains.

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Prof. Charles E. Fay.

Subject: The Canadian Rockies.

This lecture will be illustrated by Stereopticon Views.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1900,

Beginning at eight oclock.

Single Admission, 25 cents.

March 9. 6t

PROPOSALS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Quincy, Mass., Mar. 14, 1900.

SEALED Proposals for delivering in Quincy about 400 tons cast iron water pipe, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, City Hall, WEDNESDAY, March 28, 1900, until 4 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened and read. Sizes and quantities are as follows:

800 feet 16 inch, weighing 1500 pounds, per length of 12 feet.
300 feet 12 inch, weighing 950 pounds, per length of 12 feet.
6200 feet 10 inch, weighing 725 pounds, per length of 12 feet.
625 feet 8 inch, weighing 530 pounds, per length of 12 feet.
10,555 feet 6 inch, weighing 500 pounds, per length of 12 feet.
1,066 feet 4 inch, weighing 220 pounds, per length of 12 feet.

The right is reserved to increase or diminish the above quantities and also to reject any or all bids or to accept the bid deemed best for the city.

C. F. KNOWLTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.
March 14. It

PROPOSALS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Quincy, Mass., Mar. 14, 1900.

SEALED Proposals for delivering in Quincy, in complete working order, one Buffalo-Pitts double engine twelve ton steam Road Roller, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, TUESDAY, March 20, 1900, until 4 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened and read.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to accept the bid deemed best for the city.

C. F. KNOWLTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.
March 14. It

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Mar. 12th, 1900.

THE Committee on Prisons will give a continued hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 642, to provide for the establishment of the Eastern Reformatory, at room No. 249, State House, on THURSDAY, March 15, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

FRANK A. PATCH, Chairman.
WILLIAM COLVARD PARKER,
March 14-1t Clerk of the Committee.

SPRING ITEMS!

Spring will soon be here. Get your clothes ready now.

Don't you like the color of them, or are they faded? Have them dyed.

Are they soiled? Have them cleansed.
Are they out of shape? Have them pressed.
Don't they fit you right? Have them altered.
Do they need repairing? A stitch in time etc.

It will pay you to bring your clothes to us and have them done right at the very lowest prices.

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We make and repair all kinds of Horse Boots in first class manner.
Also all kinds of Sporting Goods.

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A quick cure at a small price. Guaranteed to do as advertised or money refunded.

Large Bottles 25 cents.

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	23	40	40	60	51
Monday,	23	34	63	60	49
Tuesday,	35	35	49	65	37
Wednesday,	45	39	37	53	35
Thursday,	—	34	36	40	37
Friday,	—	44	42	50	26
Saturday,	—	53	28	56	31

New Advertisements Today.

Hearing—State House.
Sealed Proposals—Road Roller.
Lost—Gauntlet Glove.
Quincy Bargain Department Store.
Proposals—400 tons cast iron water pipe.
Quincy Steam Dye House—Spring Items.

Good Afternoon

Hon. Benjamin Harrison never did have a very high opinion of the wisdom of Congress.

It his an off week when some detective does not claim to have located the assassin of Goebel, but somehow none of them ever get so far as to produce the criminal.

Br'er Sheldon will make a big mistake if he figures that those who subscribe for the paper that he will conduct for a single week, as he thinks Christ would, would become regular subscribers to a religious daily.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ It is probably unfair to call the Rev. Mr. Sheldon, as the Springfield Republican calls him, a "reverend Pharisee." Conciously, at any rate, there is no reason to suppose he is anything of the sort. He seems to us to be conducting a rather unnecessary enterprise, but his sincerity is scarcely open to question. — New Bedford Standard.

☞ There are still a goodly number of people in this country who believe that in the economy of Providence there are no accidents, no blunders and no wrongs against justice and humanity; there are also great multitudes who do not believe that the treaty of Paris repealed the Constitution of the United States, or made the Declaration of Independence a lie, or the wise precepts of Washington's farewell address canting folly.—Philadephia Ledger.

☞ The town of Guilford, Conn., has voted to omit the levy of a tax upon its citizens for the ensuing year, having money enough in the treasury to meet all obligations. We don,t know much about Guilford, but we do know that it may be not particular credit to a people to have hardly any tax or no tax at all; for where there is no desire for public improvement of any kind there can be but little local pride or progress. A very low tax is as much to be dreaded as a very high one. One extreme is as bad as the other.—Malden News.

☞ The worst of the popular suspicions regarding the quality of food products manufactured in this country are confirmed by the report of the senate committee on manufactures on the result of its investigations. In brief the committee has found that there is scarcely a manufactured article used as food which is not more or less adulterated. In some cases the adulterant is pernicious and endangers the health of those who use the product: in others, while harmless, it is a mere swindling device. It is strange that the manufacturers are willing thus to injure their own trade. In the long run pure products always command the largest consumption. Since the enactment of the law compelling the millers to label their flour with its quality the exportation of that commodity has increased 20 per cent. There can be no injustice, therefore, in legislation requiring manufacturers either to sell pure products or else warn purshasers by label of the kind and quality of the goods offered. In fact, both the health and the business of the nation depend upon some such legislation. — Providence Bulletin.

—Only children toy with serpents.

CONFERENCE.

Proposition Expected from Manufacturers.

Their Committee in Session in Boston Today.

A Fac Simile of the Agreement at Barre.

A meeting of the Conference committee of the New England Manufacturers' Association is being held today in Boston. Just what action will be taken looking toward a settlement of the present labor difficulty is not know, but it is understood that the committee will in a measure outline its policy and possibly decided upon the terms at which a settlement can be made.

If this action in taken the matter will go back to the several associations, and by them be brought before the local conference committees, of the cutters and manufacturers.

Much unfavorable comment is heard in Quincy over the action of the National Cutters' Union, in persisting that no settlement could be made until the demand of eight hours and $3 was granted, but at the last moment without a struggle accepting terms in other granite centres that were considerably below that figure.

Two months or more ago the New England Association tried to have a conference meeting with the National Union, but the latter absolutely refused unless the demand was conceded. Had meetings at that time been held, it is very probable that a settlement would have been agreed upon and that there would have been no suspension of work. As the matter now stands no one knows when a settlement will be reached.

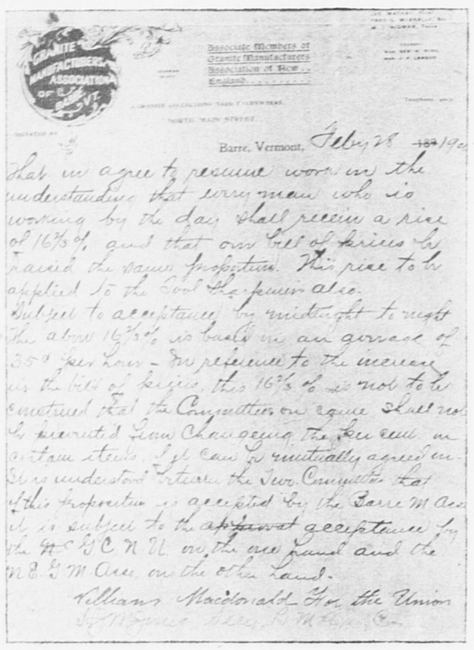
A visit though the granite district of Quincy shows the yards generally deserted, and where, usually, the sound of many hammers could be heard, now but one could be heard, and in some cases none at all. Some work is being done in all the yards, such as boxing finished work, and getting it ready for shipment, while in one of two cases it was found that the proprietors had closed their office desks, and putting on the apron, had gone into the sheds to put the finishing touches upon some work the cutters had left incompleted when they quit work.

All deplore the condition of affairs, but manufacturers say it cannot be helped. The demand was more than the condition of business would permit. All of the employers spoke a good word for the men, and were sorry no agreement had been reached.

Many of the cutters have left town seeking work elsewhere, yet there are many still left and they can be seen gathered in little groups standing upon the street corners discussing the situation.

There has been some difference of opinion among the stonecutters of Quincy as to the basis of settlement in Barre, a portion of the men claiming proposition was on a minimum rate.

A fac simile of the proposition as submitted and acted upon is given herewith and should dispel all such opinions:



Barre, Vermont, Feby 28 1900

That we agree to presume work in the understanding that every man who is working by the day shall receive a rise of 16⅔% and that our list of prices be based the same proportion. This rate to be applied to the Tool Sharpeners also.

Subject to acceptance by midnight tonight the above 16⅔% is based on an average of 30¢ per hour. In reference to the increase in the list of prices this 16⅔% is not to be construed that the Committee on same shall not present New Changing Prices in Barre steels. If can be mutually agreed upon. It is understood & taken the New Committee that if this proposition is accepted by the Barre M Ass'n it is subject to the approval acceptance by the N E C M U on the one hand and the N E M Ass'n on the other hand.

Williams Macdonald For the Union

When it is taken into consideration that this agreement is an embodiment of the old agreement, with a change of figures only, the fact that it is an average rate is even more plain.

Article 2 reads: Except as otherwise specified, the rate of wages shall in every case be determined by the foregoing bill of prices, which is based on a rate of thirty cents per hour for an average stonecutter.

Article 3 reads: If a cutter is put to work on stones that cannot be figured by the bill of prices before his pay is based, he shall not be paid less than thirty cents per hour.

Two Inches Single.

Two inches single is getting to be a popular display for modest users of newspaper space. It gives them room enough to say a little something and say it strongly; it is big enough to get in very effective display; and it is not an expensive space to maintain.—About Ads.

W. Y. C. Whist.

The second whist party of the Wollaston Yacht Club was held at Mr. Lapham's, Safford Street, Wollaston, Tuesday night. Eight tables being in play. The first lady's prize was taken by Mrs. A. Polk of Wollaston Park, a bon-bon dish; second prize, Miss C. Jennings of Wollaston Park, a cracker jar. The first gentlemens prize went to Mr. Osgood of Atlantic a sterling silver case; Mr. Thorp of Norfolk Downs took the second prize, an ink tray, with two wells. Light refreshments were served during the evening.

Bath House Hearing.

The Legislative Committee on Rules gave a hearing in the Speaker's room at the State House at 1 o'clock today on the petition of the Park Commissioner of Quincy, for permisssion to erect a bath houses on the playgrounds. Speaker Myers presided. City Solicitor Sears and Park Commissioner Whiting appeared for the city, and there seems to be no good reason why the petition should be denied.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents

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Drop us a postal and we will send for your wheel have it cleaned and put in perfect order.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

This is hardly a traditional March day.

A fine day, giving promise of an early spring.

Mr. Arthur Keith of Washington is in town for a few days.

The City Council Committee on Ordinances met Tuesday night.

A meeting of the new North Quincy club will be held this evening.

The City Council Committee on Streets will meet Friday evening.

Mrs. Charles Hall of Walker street is confined to the house by a severe attack of the grip.

The Rev. Frank W. Pratt, pastor of the Wollaston Unitarian Church, has leased a part of the house owned by Mrs. Blanche P. Bagley on Prospect avenue.

At a meeting of the Quincy Yacht Club held on Tuesday evening it was voted to appropriate $525 for the expenses of the House committee for the coming season.

The Crystal Spring Ice Co. were hard at work Tuesday getting in ice. One end of their pond is almost free from ice, but at the upper end they have ice ten inches thick.

The remaining cars of the Quincy & Boston street railroad, which were damaged by fire and since that time have been made over into vestibules, are expected to arrive this week.

Prof. Fay lectures at the Quincy High School tomorrow evening on "The Canadian Rockies." This interesting country is but little known to the people of the United States, but it is rich in attractions.

The Quincy Adams depot is open again to the public, and patrons of the railroad from this point find the station a welcome change from the dirty dismal rooms they have heretofore had to put up with.

The entertainment at the fair at Quincy Point this evening will be by Mr. Stanley R. Fisher, tenor soloist; Miss Laura Marion Belden, reader, from the Emerson college, Boston; Miss Charlotte L. Collins, pianist.

South street is the first to be renumbered under the new ordinance the work being now in progress from the Elm street end under the direction of Commissioner Knowlton and City Engineer Flood. Twenty-five feet are allowed to each number.

Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows has delegated Noble Grand John W. Dunn and Vice Grand Frank W. Flowers to attend the funeral of Bro. Joshua B. Dyer at Concord, N. H., on Thursday. White Mountain lodge of that city will have charge of the funeral.

OUR ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

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ODD LOTS.

This Comprises Lots of Kid Gloves, Hosiery Underwear, Laces, Corsets, Flannel Waists, etc.

TAKE NOTICE.

This Sale is not New Cheap Goods bought for the purpose of advertising. But goods actually marked down for a reduction of stock.

Our Store will be closed at 6 o'clock on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Evenings until further notice.

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TO LET.

Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

Any of the above will be let at very reasonable figures.

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A great many persons who live on farms and have to do their own washing, used colored table linen to save washing. To keep them looking new and from fading use a little

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in the wash water, and dry in the shade. It is wonderful how long a pretty red table cloth will keep its freshness washed this way. Wash red or colored napkins the same way.

The above is taken from our free booklet "GOLDEN RULES FOR HOUSEWORK" Sent free on request to

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Quincy, Jan. 31. tf

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WRAPPERS in the medium and light patterns, that are very pretty and latest styles.

NEW GINGHAMS for Shirt Waists and Dresses in Plaids and Stripes for 10 and 12 1-2 cts.

15 New Patterns in Drapery Muslins, Silkilenes, Cretonnes.

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Quincy Aug 26 lp tf

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When you are willing to pay a little more than the average price of all Kinds of Flour and obtain a barrel of Swansdown that will make enough more bread to offset the little more you have paid. Then you will get the best bread, the whitest bread, the lightest bread, the sweetest tasting bread and on account of its yielding qualities it has not cost you any more than the cheapest.

L. M. PRATT & CO.,

AGENTS FOR QUINCY, MASS.

Savings Bank Building, Quincy.

Probate Court in Quincy.

Judge Flint held Probate court for Norfolk county at Quincy this morning and transacted the following business

WILLS ALLOWED

Of Sarah Ann Veazie, late of Quincy; Charles C. Mellen executor, bond $20,000.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Annie Winlock, on estate of William Winlock late of Quincy; bond $3000.

Edward B. Souther, on estate of Frederick Souther late of Quincy; bond $1000.

Warren E. Rhoads, on estate of Marinda D. Boyden late of Norwood.

Richard D. Chase, de boois men, under the will of Mary Ann Ricker late of Quincy; bond $600.

Robert W. Beatey, on estate of Lavinia J. Beaty late of Hyde Park; bond $1,000.

Harry S. Nicoll, on estate of Sarah Allison late of Quincy; bond $1500.

Rose Ann Farrell, on estate of William Farrell late of Barehills, Col., having estate in Stoughton; bond $3000.

Etta R. Poole, on estate of Sallie A. Harrington late of Weymouth; bond $3000.

Mary Gary, on estate of Michael Gary, late of Foxborough; bond $1500.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First and final of George B. Wendell, administrator of estate of Mary E. Wendell late of Quincy, for $5657.48.

First of William A. Hodges and Emily E. Garbarino, trustees under a written agreement of compromise in the estate of Patrick McDonnell late of Quincy, for the benefit of Emily E. Garbarino and others.

Second of Hartley L. White, guardian of Cornelius L. White, an insane person of Holbrook, for $485.11

INVENTORIES FILED.

On estate of Mary E. Wendell late of Quincy; personal estate, $5,214.17; real estate, $4,930.

On estate of Wilbur F. Nott late of Braintree; personal estate, $4,050.36; real estate, $2,000.

GUARDIANSHIP.

Sarah J. F. Carr was appointed guardian of Joseph Carr an insane person of Quincy; bond $12,000.

George W. Pratt was appointed guardian of Jessie J. Pratt, a minor of Weymouth; bond $200.

Nellie M. Hawes was appointed guardian of Benjamin Hawes, an insane person of Braintree bond $2000.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Henry A. Johnson was appointed trustee, to sell certain real estate of Elizabeth W. F. Hobart late of Braintree, for the benefit of Charlotte E. Hobart; bond $5000.

REMOVAL.

John J. Seary, administrator of the estate of John J. Lydon late of Norwood, was removed, having failed to file a new bond as ordered.

FREE TRANSFERS.

Would be Politic for Street Railway to Yield Gracefully.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

Councilman Packard deserves the encouragement of every person in the city in his endeavor to compel the street railway company to issue free transfers. A few days ago a friend, a stranger in this city, took a car at the Episcopal church for a point near the High school building. He was mulcted in the sum of eight cents for this short trip. Later he had business in Weymouth Landing, a village several miles from City Square, and paid five cents. Since then he has been endeavoring to ascertain whether the railway officials devised this tariff by simple arithmetic, algebra, geometery, logarithums or by the "rule of the thumb."

The street railway does not hesitate to come before our Council and ask for many favors in the shape of new locations, turnouts, etc., but when the citizens ask a fair price in exchange for these valuable franchises there is strong repugnance upon the part of the officials in granting them.

Free transfers within the city limits are but a small return to ask of the railway for the rights which have been dealt out to it with a prodigal hand by our past city governments.

Municipalities and towns are now demanding of street-railway corporations, adequate returns for the use of public highways. Recently two street railways were after a certain location in Brookline, both made liberal propositions, which show the value of such franchises as we grant free. The Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company agreed, it is understood, that if the double track location petitioned for on Boylston street be granted, to pay its regular taxes, sell tickets to the school children at half rate, and fix its fare to regular patrons at all hours at the rate of six tickets for 25 cents, or single fare for five cents between the Brookline terminus and Newton Highland. Also in this event, provide suitable electric lighting for the streets as directed by the selectmen.

A bill is now before the Legislature to compel the Union Railway Co. of New Bedford to pay ten per cent. (a maximum sum stated) of the cost of the great Fairhaven bridge.

When street railway companies confined their operations to handling local traffic in the horse railroad days, and in the early stages of the development of the trolley line, it was well for towns and cities to encourage their construction. Small cars and an unobtrusive traffic was the rule. Time has changed this until now the huge eight-wheelers running on 60 pound rails and crowded to the foot boards with "through passengers rush through our narrow streets. Such heavy traffic on narrow streets often necessitates their widening at an enormous expense without any direct returns, as the case on Sea street to Houghs Neck.

The street railways are doing a great work in developing the country, but, like the railroads, it seems to me that they should not have everything for nothing, but should be made to pay their way.

As the free tranfers and other concessions are bound to come it would seem to an outsider that it would be more politic for the railway officials to yield to the inevitable gracefully, rather than to be coerced into it by orders from the City Council. W. A. S.

Civil Service.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

That the Fire Department has at last been rescued from politics should be permanently recognized by the City Council by placing it under the civil service rules. For years the department has been handicapped by repeated political shakeups. An attempt was made late last fall to place the department under the operation of the civil service laws but as this was done on the eve of a municipal election that was reason enough to defeat the measure. Now that a Republican Mayor and a Democratic Chief of the Fire department have without the least friction made up a list of appointments which gives satisfaction it would now seem to be an opportune time to introduce another order placing this department on a permanent basis and forever removing it from the field of political foot-ball. Business.

Improved Quincy System.

Editor of the Quincy Ledger:

I notice a statement purported to have been made by me that the work in the Quincy schools is "all wrong." Permit me to say that I never made or even dreamed of making such an astounding assertion. I may have said that the work has been greatly improved since I was superintendent at Quincy.

Very truly yours

Francis W. Parker.

DO YOUR FEET TROUBLE YOU?

We will make your shoes and guarantee them to fit perfectly, and be of great comfort and ease to you.

HANS HANSON, 10 Granite street.

Quincy, March 12. tf

QUINCY DEATHS OF 1899.

DATE.		NAME.	AGE. YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
July	1.	John E. Moynihan,	22	6	17
	2.	Henry V. Ring,	24	3	24
	3.	Roderick McDougal,	5	11	6
	4.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	5.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	5.	Mabel McEachern,	0	5	5
	6.	Joseph Callahan,	17	4	18
	6.	Margaret A. Quigley,	27	10	0
	9.	Robina McNaughton,	34	5	3
	10.	Margaret Montague,	2	3	0
	16.	Emelia G. Anderson,	27	0	0
	18.	Catherine A. Bryan,	16	8	24
	19.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	20.	Joseph J. Behan,	14	11	5
	20.	Josephine Lyons,	0	6	6
	22.	Juliet Tribou,	73	5	5
	22.	Mary E. Rogers,	25	7	15
	23.	Nunzio Scolamiro,	0	7	17
	24.	Joseph Lyons,	0	6	9
	24.	William W. Osburne,	0	5	2
	24.	Ellen Johnson,	0	0	8
	24.	Katie A. Douglass,	9	9	10
	25.	Alice W. Macullar,	0	7	11
	25.	Allen Johnson,	63	0	0
	25.	Kathleen L. Dalton,	0	9	12
	26.	William Birnie,	54	1	27
	28.	Flora A. McKay,	0	4	22
	28.	Patrick Finley,	52	0	0
	28.	John V. Hunt,	74	10	10
	29.	James Sugrue	0	6	15
	29.	James Reynolds,	0	1	24
	30.	Emlie E. Mattson,	0	9	0
	30.	Ralph Webster,	0	5	16
	30.	Esther F. Hall,	23	6	11
	30.	Mary Hobart,	81	10	0
	31.	Harry Addison,	0	0	24
	31.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	31.	Nettie S. Miller,	43	7	12
	31.	Stillborn,	0		
Aug.	1.	Ellen C. Drohan,	0	10	26
	1.	Michele Giglio,	0	0	14
	3.	John H. Gilbert,	72	8	22
	4.	Richard De La Rocco,	0	2	15
	4.	John L. Gleeson,	54	0	0
	5.	Mary Murphy,	48	0	0
	5.	Mary A. Vergobbi,	0	2	7
	5.	Dorothy M. Judkins,	1	2	14
	7.	Alma Bouchard,	11	8	0
	7.	Genevieve G. Drummey,	1	1	2
	8.	Nellie Carroll,	22	10	26
	9.	Harriet R. Dewson,	59	11	19
	10.	David Melquist,	1	0	21
	12.	Gabriel Annala,	9	0	23
	12.	Frederick W. Miller,	27	3	21
	12.	Fred Lemieux,	0	8	0
	15.	James T. Cuffe,	33	9	11
	15.	Eugene Keniley,	73	5	0
	16.	Lillian B. Caddy,	0	10	27
	17.	George T. McLaughlin,	0	8	0
	17.	George H. Malinquist,	1	2	3
	17.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	17.	John E. E. Hagberg,	1	8	15
	19.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	19.	John W. Jellow,	0	6	10
	19.	James Murdock,	52	6	17
	20.	Henry C. Westwood,	39	0	0
	20.	Edward E. Allen,	38	2	0
	21.	Henry W. Cardarelli,	0	11	9
	22.	Bryantha R. Webb,	85	10	9
	23.	Alice Horigan,	0	5	21
	24.	Yalmar E. Byne,	0	2	21
	24.	Herman W. Rietzel,	0	8	12
	24.	William Ferritor,	0	5	0
	25.	Annie U. Tite,	0	3	0
	26.	Gladis V. Bisson,	0	7	1
	26.	Minnie Soule,	25	4	3
	27.	Elizabeth R. Lincoln,	81	8	16
	27.	George G. Bell,	12	3	5
	28.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	28.	Noah C. Stetson,	68	4	4
	28.	Amelia Maluati,	77	0	0
	28.	Mary E. Batts,	1	4	24
	28.	Michael Donovan,	55	0	0
	30.	Anna J. McAuliffe,	0	11	15
	31.	David P. Meaney,	21	6	23
Sept.	1.	Richard T. Cassidy,	26	6	12
	1.	Bartholomew J. Tymon,	40	0	0
	1.	Lena Corbett,	0	4	1
	1.	Joseph A. Swanson,	33	3	3
	2.	Otto W. Schaetzl,	3	4	11
	3.	James McDonald,	0	5	9
	3.	Mary E. Moran,	43	5	8
	3.	William B. Johnson,	0	11	13
	6.	John Kane,	83	0	0
	7.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	7.	Annie M. Byron,	0	5	15
	8.	Thomas Kelly,	74	1	0
	10.	Christina M. Livendale,	65	1	20
	10.	Charles E. Tirrell,	43	3	12
	11.	Henry White,	75	4	22
	12.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	13.	George H. S. Soule, Jr.,	0	0	24
	13.	Catherine F. Gilcoine,	0	2	8
	15.	Esther E. Hall,	0	1	18
	15.	Thomas S. Barter,	79	2	11
	16.	Francis A. E. Tate,	19	5	27
	17.	Margaret J. Cuffe,	0	4	17
	19.	Grace B. Nightingale,	0	2	15
	19.	Ethel M. Bradley,	0	0	4
	23.	Ellen A. Paquet,	0	11	14
	25.	George Patch,	76	0	0
	25.	Joseph Babine,	19	4	0
	28.	Lewis A. LeBleu,	32	0	7
	28.	Alice C. Good,	0	6	9
	30.	Mary Queenan,	1	0	12

[To be Continued.]

A Difference.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

At the hearing before the City Council Monday night, on the street railway location on Coddington and Sea streets, President Bryant held those who spoke in favor of granting the location, strictly to the subject, and the minute they attempted to explain or give reasons, they were brought up with a round turn and informed that they must confine themselves to the subject. When Mr. Baker, who represented Mr. Meyers, got up to speak he was given an unusual amount of leeway, and permitted to say anything he desired without being called down by President Bryant. The difference in the treatment received was very marked, and was commented upon by several disinterested citizens after the Council had adjourned.

Fair Play.

TODAY'S COURT.

John O'Donovan was arraigned for assault on Mary O'Donovan at Quincy. Case continued for two weeks.

The continued cases of Constantino Di Bona, Alexander Cucohi, Nuizio Di Bona and Donato Saloucci for gaming on the Lord's Day were called, and they were fined $5 each.

Appeal to Truth.

The State Department of Scientific Temperance Instruction of the W. C. T. U. comments as follows:

"We learn that Mr. Faxon is more than glad to share with the Wollaston Woman's Christian Temperance Union and Mrs. Charles A. Spear the honor of furnishing the teachers of Quincy with the very interesting and instructive pamphlet called 'Appeal to Truth.' As has been said this is a very exhaustive analysis of Prof. Atwater's experiments concerning the food value of alcohol. A very apt illustration of his conclusion has come to us in the case of a drunken man brought before a judge for trial. He stoutly denied he had been drinking, but that feeling hungry had 'eaten a couple of slices of whiskey and a piece of brandy.'

"We congratulate Quincy on having such a delightful rivalry in doing good. This department of our organization has many times felt the impulse of Mr. Faxon's generosity."

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE's signature on every box. 25c.

IVORY SOAP PASTE.

In fifteen minutes, with only a cake of Ivory Soap and water, you can make a better cleansing paste than you can buy.

Ivory Soap Paste will take spots from clothing; and will clean carpets, rugs, kid gloves, slippers, patent, enamel, russet leather and canvas shoes, leather belts, painted wood-work and furniture. The special value of Ivory Soap in this form arises from the fact that it can be used with a damp sponge or cloth to cleanse many articles that cannot be washed because they will not stand the free application of water.

DIRECTIONS FOR MAKING.—To one pint of boiling water add one and one-half ounces (one-quarter of the small size cake) of Ivory Soap cut into shavings, boil five minutes after the soap is thoroughly dissolved. Remove from the fire and cool in convenient dishes (not tin). It will keep well in an air-tight glass jar. COPYRIGHT 1898 BY THE PROCTER & GAMBLE CO. CINCINNATI

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

A continuance of fair weather is predicted for tomorrow.

Work will be resumed on Coddington and Sea street this week.

Proposals are invited by Commissioner Knowlton for a steam road roller and for water pipes.

Arthur S. Dunbar of East Weymouth has been elected janitor of the club house of the Quincy Yacht Club at Houghs Neck.

An assignee's sale of the goods of the Boston Bargain Department store is advertised to begin tomorrow. This company has carried a large line of dry goods and some good bargains may be expected.

Commissioner Knowlton intends to replace the small water main on Washington street, between Chubbuck and Wharf streets by a large main that will be sufficient for all times. This will also mean that this section will probably get a few more much needed hydrants.

The presentation of Hoyt's "A Bunch of Keys" at Music hall, Tuesday evening, was an unusually creditable presentation and deserved a much larger audience than was present. The choruses, quartettes and solos were well rendered, and called for well deserved encores.

"Black Joe," who is a "colored gentleman" well known by old and young in Atlantic, has added to his family a small black pig, which is a rare sight to the majority of people. Every evening, as "Joe" returns from work the pig, accompanied by a black dog, wends its way slowly down Atlantic street to meet their friend and master, and the three trudge along home together. The two pets frequent certain houses during the day, and are fed regularly by kind hands. "Joe," for all he is a hard-working man, yet is artistic enough to have pets of the right color.

Important to Mothers.

The manufacturers of Castoria have been compelled to spend hundreds of thousands of dollars to familiarize the public with the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. This has been necessitated by reason of pirates counterfeiting the Castoria trade mark. This counterfeiting is a crime not only against the proprietors of Castoria, but against the growing generation. All persons should be careful to see that Castoria bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, if they would guard the health of their children. Parents, and mothers in particular, ought to carefully examine the Castoria advertisements which have been appearing in this paper, and to remember that the wrapper of every bottle of genuine Castoria bears the fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, under whose supervision it has been manufactured continuously for over thirty years.—Phila. Bulletin.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
G. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

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Half House of 6 rooms on Elm Place, near Universalist church. South side, in good repair. $12.50 per month.

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" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—Will the gentleman who picked up a fur gauntlet in the car on leaving the 5.28 train at Atlantic on MONDAY, the 12th inst., please to communicate with H. W. BARKER, 22 Greenleaf street, and state where the glove may now be found. March 14-4t

LOST—A small pocket medicine case, near Brewer's corner, this morning. Name was on a slip in the inside. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to DR. F. S. DAVIS, 5 Elm street, Quincy. Mar. 13-tf

WANTED.

WANTED—A Farm more than 20 acres, not far from Quincy, Mass. Send particulars to John Skogberg, 9 Nelson Street, West Quincy, Mass. Mar. 12-3t

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also half-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises. Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET—Furnished Room with furnace heat and bath room. Apply at 27 Chestnut street, cor. Cottage ave.

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ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO. March 6. 1m

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CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.

Quincy, April 25. tf

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The Houses are in complete repair.

Farm, 50 acres, house and outbuildings, head Summer street.
Large store, 162 Hancock street, city water, dry cellar and workshop.
House, 7 rooms, 12 Washington street.
Half House, 8 rooms, 16 Cottage street, with stable.
Half House, 4 rooms, 19 Kidder street.
Half House, 5 rooms, city water, 13 Field street.
Three tenements, 51 Howard street, Quincy Neck.
Double House, 4 rooms in each half, 15 Brackett street.
Half House, 6 rooms, Pond street. Land with same if desired.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
Stable with city water, 28 Coddington street. $5 per month.
Stable and sheds near Quincy Centre on Coddington street. $4.00 per month.
Small stable, No. 2 Quincy street. $3 per month.
100 Windows and Blinds for sale.
Wharf, with office, blacksmith shops, etc. Quincy Neck.
Basement, head of Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage or pasturing purposes.
Gravel suitable for cementing, concreting and roofing for sale.
Fifty loads of loam for sale.
The Buildings are in the Very Best Condition.
For particulars, enquire of, or address

HENRY H. FAXON, Quincy, Mass.

Quincy, March 13, 1900. 1m

Quincy Daily Ledger.

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and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.30.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 115 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
J. P. O'Brien, 38 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. E. Hall, Washington St.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—Loring's Pharmacy.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a.m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a.m.
New Moon	30	2:30 p.m.			

The Stranger In the Country.

"Heavens, but that's a long cow!"—Meggendorfer Blatter.

Didn't Hurry the Train.

A railroad conductor on the afternoon train of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley road was staggered one day by the request of a very plainly dressed woman.

She approached the conductor while the train was waiting at the South Memphis station and said:

"Mister, I wish you would git an early start this evening, for I've got a heap of work to do when I get home. We just moved down into the delta from 'Alabam,' and we ain't got things straightened around yet. It will be a big accommodation to me if I git down home before sundown."

The conductor, polite as conductors usually are, promised the woman he would do the best he could, but the train left on the regular schedule time.—Memphis Scimitar.

Sugar Farmers Handicapped.

Chester, Vt., March 14.—This is "sugaring time" in Vermont, according to the calendar, but with snow three to five feet in depth in the woods, protected from the sun by two thicknesses of crust, the farmers expect to have trouble in breaking out roads to the sugar camps. The run of sap in the maples is also likely to be late.

Not One Became Law.

Albany, March 14.—The legislature of 1899 considered bills which would have increased the debt of New York city $98,790,000, all of which died either through failure of passage or veto. One bill became a law, but was declared unconstitutional.

Returned From Exile.

Holliston, Mass., March 14.—Rev. P. M. Jernegan, of marine gold salt fame, has arrived here with his wife and child, and was seen at the house of his father-in-law. A number of the neighbors saw and recognized him.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)
Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

FINANCE BILL PASSED.

The House Records a Majority of Forty-Six Votes In Its Favor.

Gold Standard Is the All-Important Feature.

Impossible to Have International Bimetallism at Ratio of 16 to 1.

Washington, March 14.—Under the order previously made, the house proceeded yesterday to the consideration of the conference report upon the financial bill. After considerable debate the bill was adopted by the house—yeas, 166; nays, 120; present and not voting, 10. The president will sign it today, when the measure will become a law.

The vote was on party lines, except that nine Democrats joined with the Republicans in supporting the conference report.

Mr. Overstreet of Indiana, who was in charge of the report, explained in detail the modifications of the house and senate bills agreed upon by the conferees. He said that every principle contained in the house bill had been preserved in the conference rport, except the provision relative to the taxation of national bank franchises. The establishment of the gold standard into law was still its all important and essential feature.

"Has the secretary of the treasury the power to redeem a silver dollar in gold under the amalgamated bill?" asked Mr. Shafroth of Colorado.

"He has not," replied Mr. Overstreet, "and he did not have the power under the original house bill."

"Under this bill will private obligations be made payable in gold?" inquired Mr. Snodgrass of Tennessee.

"Under section 2 of the original house bill," replied Mr. Overstreet, "public and private debts were made conformable to the gold standard. That section is omitted from the report, first, because it is a question in law whether it would not be retroactive, and, second, because having fixed the gold standard and reorganized it by converting all public obligations into gold obligations there will be no necessity to legislate concerning private obligations, as they will invariably reflect the character of government obligations."

Mr. Williams of Illinois asked whether it would not be impossible, in case an international bimetallic agreement was reached, to escape paying the refunded 30-years 2 percent gold bonds in gold, and such being the case whether the bill could be considered an encouragement to international bimetallism.

"The bonds could only be paid in gold," responded Mr. Overstreet. "This bill holds out not the slightest hope of international bimetallism under present conditions. I say frankly that this bill will make it practically and absolutely impossible ever to have international bimetallism at the ratio of 16 to 1."

The bill has for its first object the fixing of the standard of value and the maintaining at a parity with that standard of all forms of money issued or coined by the United States. It reaffirms that the unit of value is the dollar, consisting of 25.8 grains of gold .9 fine, but from that point it goes on to make it the duty of the secretary of the treasury to maintain all forms of money issued or coined at a parity with this standard. It puts into the hands of the secretary ample power to do that.

Personal explanations were made yesterday in the senate by Mr. Allen (Neb.) and Mr. Butler (N. C.) of their positions on the financial question. Both announced their belief in the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. The statements were called out by reports to the contrary, which had gained some circulation.

Mr. Turner of Washington began an extended speech on the Puerto Rican bill, maintaining that the pending measure clearly was unconstitutional. He expressed his belief that it would be so held if it were passed upon by the supreme court.

Restored to Old Position.

Washington, March 14.—President McKinley has granted a full and unconditional pardon to Captain Bowman H. McCalla of the navy, now serving in the Philippines. In 1890 Captain McCalla was convicted by court-martial of striking a mutinous sailor with the back of his sword. In view of the fact of Captain McCalla's conspicuous service in the war with Spain and later in the Philippines the president has granted him a full pardon, which will operate to restore him to his old rank and position.

New Gold Fields Discovered.

Victoria, B. C., March 14.—Klondike arrivals report rich discoveries of gold on Jack Wade creek, Klondike, in some parts of which from $3 to $5 a bucket is being taken out. Henry Cowley, formerly a reporter, has arrived with reports of the discovery of a new placer field 120 miles north from Nome and equally rich. Other miners just out from Dawson are inclined to discredit the evidence of new fields.

Expelled For Opposing Hanna.

Columbus, O., March 14.—The supreme court has sustained the Cuyahoga courts in refusing to grant an injunction restraining the Tippecanoe club from ousting Messrs. Mason and Brambley from the membership. The club holds that the two men are not Republicans, they having refused to vote in the legislature for Mr. Hanna for United States senator.

Wanted For Stealing Mail.

Bristol, Conn., March 14.—Three United States marshals have arrived here with warrants for the arrest of L. S. Green and Edward Johnson, charged with stealing registered mail from the mail car of the train which was wrecked at Plainfield about [illegible] ago. No trace of the men [illegible] however.
Bulletin.

—Only children t

REMEY'S IMPORTANT TASK.

Will Direct Asiatic Squadron During What May Prove to Be Troublous Times.

Washington, March 14.—Rear Admiral Kempff, at present commandant of the Mare Island navy yard, has telegraphed the navy department his acceptance of the offer of second in command on the Asiatic station. Rear Admiral Remey, the nominal commandant of the entire naval force on the Asiatic station, is expected to remain in the Philippines, while Rear Admiral Kempff will have a separate squadron cruising on the Chinese and Japanese coasts.

ADMIRAL REMEY.

The re-establishment of the force on the China station may be a significant fact, in view of the repeated hints from European sources of hostilities on so large a scale that they threaten to involve Asia.

Peace For the Present.

Frankfort, Ky., March 14.—The legislature of Kentucky adjourned yesterday. A conference between Adjutant Generals Collier and Castleman resulted in a perfect understanding being reached. Governor Taylor will continue to act as governor, Governor Beckham making no move toward securing possession of the state buildings until after the court of appeals has decided the disputed governorship. The legislature appropriated $100,000 for the use of Governor Beckham in reorganizing the state militia, and Governor Beckham signed the appropriation resolution last night. Among the more conservative element in each party the opinion prevails that the worst is over, and that when the court of appeals renders its decision the danger of civil war will entirely have passed away.

Twenty Charges Against Him.

New Haven, March 14.—Fred N. Davis, 24 years old, living with his wife and two small children at 231 Shelton street, is under arrest, being held on 20 charges of burglary, extending from October, 1898, to the present time, and also on two charges of theft. Davis was a conductor on the Fairhaven and Westville line of trolley cars to Easthaven. The goods stolen include phonographs, bicycles, diamonds, watches, paintings, statuary, revolvers and money. Davis' house is a treasure place of valuables. He gained entrance to the different stores by skeleton keys.

Two More Bodies In Newark Ruins.

New York, March 14.—Two more bodies have been recovered from the ruins of the Italian tenement which was burned Monday morning in Newark. The list of dead now numbers 16, and five other supposed victims have not been accounted for. The finding of the bodies yesterday was a surprise, as the firemen had boarded up the ruins, believing they had taken out all the bodies, and only went back for another search upon the persistent pleas of the Italians in the neighborhood.

"Sapho" Squelched by Police.

Kalamazoo, Mich., March 14.—A performance of "Sapho" was attempted here last night, despite the action of the city council in ordering it suppressed. When the performance had been on only 15 minutes the chief of police appeared and ordered the curtain down. On the advice of an attorney the management thrice resumed the performance, and each time the police lowered the curtain. The audience finally dispersed amid stormy scenes.

Kennebec Ice Crop Housed.

Gardiner, Me., March 14.—The ice crop on the Kennebec river has been housed and all danger of an ice famine, so far as supply from this section is concerned, is removed. The ice is of excellent quality and thickness. The cut just completed totals 575,000 tons, which, with the left-over stock of 350,000 tons, makes a supply that will meet all demands the coming summer.

Portions of Illinois Flooded.

Chicago, March 14.—Many factories in towns and cities of the upper Illinois valley are idle on account of the almost unprecedented floods. Much damage was done in that section by ice to industrial plants and private property. The water is 21 feet above the normal stage. Forty families have been driven from their homes at Ottawa.

Would Rather Be Mayor.

Indianapolis, March 14. — Mayor Thomas Taggart, in a letter addressed to the Democracy of the state, declines to be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor. His nomination had been conceded by all. The only reason given for the declination is his intention to serve his term out as mayor.

Deboe Scoffs at a Rumor.

Washington, March 14.—A rumor was current at the Capitol yesterday that a warrant was to be issued for the arrest of Senator Deboe of Kentucky for alleged complicity in the assassination of Mr. Goebel. The senator declared that the mere suggestion of such a thing was ridiculous.

Peruvian Revolution Ended.

Lima, March 14.—In a sharp fight between the government troops and the revolutionists near Moyobamba, Colonel Viscarra, the last of the insurgent leaders to hold out, was killed. The whole of Peru is now tranquil.

FIRST IN THE FIELD.

Campaign of 1900 Opened by the Republicans of Rhode Island.

Gregory and Kimball Placed at Head of State Ticket.

Resolutions Express Confidence In the Principles of the National Administration.

Providence, March 15.—Rhode Island's Republicans ranged up in battle array yesterday and prepared to fire the first gun in the coming campaign, when they nominated their ticket for state officers in the state convention held in Infantry hall. Delegates representing every town and city in the state were present, to the number of 350.

Chairman Utter made a strong speech in accepting the office of permanent chairman. Later a speech on national issues was made by Congressman Cushman of Tacoma, Wash., in the course of which he said it was a political proverb that in the presidential year, "As Rhode Island goes, so goes the Union."

Delegates to the national convention were elected, headed by General Charles R. Brayton. Complete harmony reigned throughout, and at the close of the convention the statement was made that it was the most successful and biggest held in recent years.

For governor, William Gregory of North Kingston was nominated.

The other nominations were: Lieutenant governor, Charles D. Kimball of Providence; attorney general, Willard B. Tanner of Providence; secretary of state, Charles P. Bennett of Providence; general treasurer, Walter A. Read of Gloster. All nominations were made by acclamation.

The platform says that the Republicans of Rhode Island renew their allegiance to the declaration of principles adopted by the Republican national convention of 1896, and note with satisfaction that every promise therein made has been kept and that every prediction therein made has been verified.

We cordially indorse the present national Republican administration, and give public expression of our confidence in the patriotism and statesmanship of William McKinley.

We congratulate the people of the state upon the unprecedented commercial, manufacturing and agricultural prosperity now prevailing throughout the country under a Republican administration, and it is a special cause for congratulation to the people of Rhode Island that the action of both houses of a Republican congress has laid at rest all fear of an unsound and dangerous currency.

While existing federal legislation concerning injurious combinations is the work of a Republican congress and was approved by a Republican president, yet we favor such further legislation, both state and national, as shall abolish and render impossible all those dishonestly organized aggregations of capital commonly called "trusts," however they may be created or by whomsoever they may be controlled, which have for their purpose the stifling of competition, the arbitrary fixing of prices or controlling of production, and which destroy the just opportunities of labor and plunder the public.

In the election of nominees of this convention and in the election of a Republican general assembly which shall insure the return of a Republican to the United States senate, we cordially invite the participation of all good citizens, irrespective of party, who believe in the supremacy of law over disorder within our own borders, and in the extinction of rebellion and the establishment of our flag in our new possessions.

From Affluence to Povery.

New York, March 14.—United States Deputy Marshal Bernhard yesterday delivered into the custody of the officers of the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse Noa Aschner, the former banker, who is wanted in Germany for forgeries amounting to over 100,000 marks. Aschner had been a fugitive for years. He was reduced to beggary when arrested here several weeks ago.

Pittsburg's Leper Is Dead.

Pittsburg, March 14.—Arthur D. Wilson, a leper who had been confined in the Pittsburg pest house for two years, died yesterday. He had mingled among Pittsburg people while suffering from leprosy for more than 10 years. It was necessary to keep two nurses for the afflicted man during the last two years, and it is estimated that he cost the city $5000.

No Evidence of Manslaughter.

Boston, March 14.—Edward McCaffrey, the Roxbury undertaker who ran over John E. Avery, a lawyer, in Tremont street, on Feb. 22, was in the municipal criminal court yesterday on a charge of manslaughter. After a hearing Judge Dewey discharged the prisoner, the evidence being insufficient to hold him.

Doctor's Skull Fractured.

Claremont, N. H., March 14.—Dr. Oscar C. Young of Charlestown and Miss Perham, a professional nurse, are in a hospital suffering from injuries received by being struck by a passenger train. Dr. Young's skull is fractured, and there is but little chance for his recovery. Miss Perham was not seriously injured.

Robber Sentenced.

Boston, March 14.—Joseph Sullivan was sentenced by Judge Sherman yesterday to state prison for a term of from seven to ten years. He assaulted and robbed W. H. O'Brien on Feb. 24 last. He has served time in state prison once and in the house of correction several times.

The Colombian Revolution.

Kingston, Jam., March 14.—The latest news from Colombia is to the effect that the revolution will last for the next 12 months. Business is at a standstill in every part of the republic.

MATRON AND MAID.

Mrs. Potter Palmer finds that her duties as commissioner to the Paris exposition will be merely honorary.

The Lawton fund has reached nearly $100,000. Mrs. Lawton is already being overwhelmed with begging letters.

Miss Rose Murray of Toledo, the champion woman bowler of America, has entered her name for the international tournament at Union Hul park in July.

The will of the late Mrs. Ella P. McBlain of Geneva, N. Y., bequeaths $10,000 to the city hospital of Geneva and $10,000 to the cemetery for a mortuary chapel.

Mrs. Pickett, wife of the Confederate general who led the famous charge at Gettysburg, is the author of some very pretty memorial verses—"Our Gathered Lily"—printed in the Baltimore papers.

Miss Beatrix Jones, a society girl of North Carolina, has made a bid for the appointment of landscape gardener for the grounds of the new 88. Peter and Paul's cathedral to be built in Washington.

Mrs. Alice McL. Birney, president of the National Congress of Mothers, regrets to announce that she will not be able to receive her friends for some time, owing to the continued illness of her daughter.

Miss Mary Buchanan Randolph, who was buried at Maplewood, near Charlotteville, Va., recently, was a daughter of Dr. W. C. N. Randolph, for many years rector of the University of Virginia, and a great-great-granddaughter of Thomas Jefferson.

Miss Anne Rhodes, corresponding secretary of the New York State Federation of Women's Clubs, has gone on a trip to the island of Trinidad. She expects to be away about a month. She will get material for a lecture about the place, people and customs.

After nearly 50 years of newspaper work in the United States Mrs. Jennie June Croly will soon leave for England, her native country, where she will pass the remaining years of her life. She began newspaper work in 1855 in New York and was one of the founders of Sorosis, in 1868.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt of Brooklyn, who succeeds Miss Susan B. Anthony as president of the National Association of the Woman Suffrage Societies, is a popular college woman and has for a number of years been associated with Miss Anthony in advancing the work of the organization.

A young woman named Erika Paulasz is likely to be the first woman architect of Austria. She has applied to the Budapest board of examiners for a certificate to practice, already having her certificates as a draftsman and as a master mason. It is now necessary for her to demonstrate her ability to control bodies of men; therefore she must undergo a public trial.

CURTAIN RAISERS.

Minnie Seligman has signed a contract to play in the Keith houses exclusively for some time to come. She is in New York now.

Grace Van Benthuysen, daughter of the managing editor of the New York World, will make her debut on the stage in Chicago next month.

Bijou Fernandez, J. G. Saville and Frank Hatch are members of the "Countess Chiffon" company, which opened in New York some time ago.

Frank Daniels will devote next season to the Pacific coast and the territory out that way, and will not be back east, where he is now, for two years.

Emmett Corrigan, who succeeded E. J. Morgan in the title part in "Ben-Hur," has done so well that he has been engaged to play it for two years ahead.

Richard Harding Davis' dramatization of "Van Bibber" has been accepted for production by Robert Hilliard. Three acts will be required to tell the stories.

Every week we hear of some new plan of Victory Bateman's. The last report is that she is to create the title role in the forthcoming melodrama, "The Angel of the Alley."

The Dramatic Mirror says in a late issue that wherever ticket speculation thrives as a general rule it can also be said that the management is deriving a share of the profits of the traffic.

CHURCH COLLECTIONS.

The Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden of Columbus, O., has consented to become a member of the city council of that city.

Bishop Lawrence (Episcopal) of Massachusetts is one of the wealthiest clergymen in the country, having the income on $2,000,000.

The Rev. Samuel A. Eliot, the secretary of the American Unitarian association, has declined to accept the unanimous call which was tendered to him by the members of the South Congregational church of Boston, and he will remain in his present position.

Rev. Dr. Mackenzie, a prominent Presbyterian minister with a charge in San Francisco and professor at San Anselmo seminary, is said to be the richest clergyman in California. He made his fortune himself in orange farming while attending to his clerical and educational duties.

OVER THE OCEAN.

Paris objects to bullfights. Revolutions are quite as exciting and not nearly so dangerous.—St. Paul Globe.

General Kitchener has a record as a man who will not stand any nousense. As Oom Paul has something of a record in that way, the clash will be a severe one.—Washington Star.

Rumors about a possible conflict between Japan and Russia are becoming numerous enough to cause anxiety. People have learned in recent years that war can happen.—Indianapolis News.

Great Britain is rather late in proposing to democratize her army, but better late than never. There's vast room for reform where no young man can enter the cavalry unless his father can give him $2,500 a year.—Boston Herald.

THE HOME DOCTOR.

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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M. and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M., 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

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r 7 56 ad		8 15	10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 45	12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	1 28 cba		1 49 r
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

BLOEMFONTEIN'S FALL.

British Flag Now Flies Over the Free State Presidency.

Troops Were Cordially Welcomed by the Inhabitants.

Roberts Reports That Enemy Have Withdrawn and All Is Quiet.

Commander's Headquarters at the House of the "Late President" Steyn.

London, March 15.—A dispatch from Ploemfontein, dated Tuesday evening, March 13, says:

"Bloemfontein surrendered at 10 today. It was occupied at noon. President Steyn, with a majority of the fighting burghers, has fled northward.

"General French was within five miles of the place at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon. He sent a summons into the town threatening to bombard it unless it surrendered by 4 a. m. Tuesday. A white flag was hoisted Tuesday morning, and a deputation of the town council, with the mayor, came out to meet Lord Robberts at Spitz kop, five miles south of the town, mking a formal surrender of the place.

MARTIMAS TH. STEYN.

"Lord Roberts made a state entry at noon. He received a tremendous ovation. After visiting the public buildings, he went to the official residence of the president, followed by a cheering crowd, who waved the British flag and sang the British national anthem. They were in a condition of frenzied excitement.

"Lord Roberts has his headquarters at the president's house, and there are many of the British wounded in the building. The railway is not injured.

The following is the text of Lord Roberts' dispatch to the war office announcing his occupation of Bloemfontein:

"Bloemfontein, Tuesday, March 13.—By the help of God and by the bravery of her majesty's soldiers the troops under my command have taken possession of Bloemfontein. The British flag now flies over the presidency, evacuated last evening by Mr. Steyn, late president of the Orange Free State. Mr. Frazer, member of the late executive government; the mayor, the secretary to the late government, the landrost and other officials met me two miles from the town and presented me with the keys of the public offices.

"The enemy has withdrawn from the neighborhood and all seems quiet. The inhabitants of Bloemfontein gave the troops a cordial welcome."

The above dispatch, though dated Tuesday, was not received at the war office until 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. It was made public a few minutes before 9 o'clock. The delay is attributed to the field telegraphs not being connected with Bloemfontein on Tuesday evening.

Extra papers were soon out on the streets and the night crowds of London were singing patriotic songs and engaging in demonstrations.

It is not doubted that there may yet be heavy fighting, but the genius of Lord Roberts is looked to for victory over all difficulties. His grim reference to the "late" President Steyn is understood to show that there shall be no ambiguity as to the position assumed toward the republics. The fact that Mr. Frazer, late chairman of the Free State raad, and leader of the opposition to Mr. Steyn, came with the deputation to surrender the keys, is regarded as extremely significant of considerable difference of opinion among the Free Staters regarding the war. It is said that President Kruger hates Mr. Fraser on account of his sympathy with the outlanders. The demonstration of the Bloemfontein inhabitants is also regarded as a good augury for the future of British supremacy.

The Daily Mail has the following dispatch from Pretoria, dated March 12: Lord Salisbury's reply has been received, and a Boer refutation of the British contention is under consideration. It will deny that any annexation has been made, and it will declare that the occupation of British territory was purely strategic. It will express the determination of the two republics to fight to the finish.

Three Ministers Sued.

Chicago, March 15.—Rev. A. Schell, D. D., has brought suit for $25,000 damages against Rev. Charles Parkhurst, publisher of Zion's Herald; Rev. B. C. Jennings, western agent of the Methodist book concern, and Rev. Joseph Berry, editor of The Epworth Herald, for alleged conspiracy. The charge is based on the statement that the three defendants attempted to drive Dr. Schell out of the Methodist church and incidentally to deprive him of his position as secretary of the Epworth league, with the loss of the accompanying annual salary of $4000. The trouble arose from a controversy over royalties on a song book published by the Methodist book concern.

"Upper Ten" Not Exempt.

New York, March 15.—The police last night arrested the proprietors of several fashionable restaurants, including the proprietor of the Imperial hotel, on the charge of having music in their restaurants without a concert hall license. The police also visited such places as the Hotel Majestic, the Marie Antoinette, the St. Andrew, and the Empire, and ordered that the music be stopped. Some of those who came under the severe hand of the police last night were enraged that they should be arrested in the same class with the proprietors of places of unsavory reputation.

Hemmed In by Fire.

Shelton, Conn., March 15.—Nine persons narrowly escaped death or serious injury in a fire here early Wednesday. The building in which the fire was discovered was occupied as a boarding house, and when the flames were discovered in a narrow hallway leading from the upper part of the building nine persons were asleep in rooms on the second floor. Escape by the stairway was impossible. Several jumped from windows, but were not seriously injured. All the others were taken from the upper part of the building by the firemen on ladders.

Celebration Marred by an Accident.

Clinton, Mass., March 15.—The semi-centennial of the incorporation of the town of Clinton was observed Wednesday by the ringing of bells, the sounding of the fire alarm, the firing of a cannon, and closing with a grand ball last night. Shortly before 12 o'clock the gun prematurely discharged. Martin Healey was seriously injured, and fears are entertained that he will lose his eyesight. Several bystanders were somewhat injured by the explosion.

Indebtedness of $25.000.000.

New York, March 15.—Hugh J. Grant, the temporary receiver for the Third Avenue Railway company, yesterday presented to Judge Lacombe a report showing the present condition of the corporation's affairs. The report shows that the total indebtedness for the Third Avenue company is, in round numbers, $25,000,000, not including any of the indebtedness of the subordinate companies.

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It will pay you to bring your clothes to us and have them done right at the very lowest prices.

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March 14. tf

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

Going Out of Business.

Boston Bargain Department Store,

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This Entire Stock must be sold out within the next 30 days. Goods will be sold at one-half the cost. Stock consists of General line of Dry and Fancy Goods, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, Smallwares, Notions, etc. The basement is full of Kitchen Furnishings. Dinner and Tea Sets, China and Glassware, Tin, Agate and Woodenware. The assignee has carried on this business for a year at a great loss. Everything must be closed out. Store Fixtures, etc., etc. Do your trading in the forenoon and avoid the crowds. There are over Fifty Thousand different articles in the store. Time and space will not permit us to enumerate.

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SALE COMMENCES ON **THURSDAY,** MARCH 15.

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FOR HUMANE REASONS

The $2,000,000 Puerto Rican Relief Proposition Will Be Passed at Once.

Committee to Compromise Differences on the Tariff.

Governmental Features of the Bill Considered From Various Standpoints.

Washington, March 15.—After a caucus lasting from 2 o'clock until 5:30 Wednesday afternoon, the Republican senators agreed that the house bill appropriating $2,000,000 for the relief of Puerto Rico shall be taken up and passed immediately. The bill for a civil government of the island is to be taken up and disposed of as soon as possible, and the tariff bill is to be delayed for the present, while a committee of seven senators is to try to compromise differences on the revenue bill, and secure a measure which Republican senators generally can support.

The temper of the debate was much milder than that of Tuesday. As soon as it was generally understood that the tariff features of the legislation were to be postponed the discussion reverted to the governmental features of the bill, and upon this subject the time was mostly spent. Senator Foraker explained many features of the bill, and was frequently interrogated, so that he was on his feet a great deal of the time. He was questioned by different senators, most of whom wanted to know the effect of different provisions of the bill. It was intimated that the bill could be amended if necessary, and senators opposed to a tariff on Puerto Rican products said that there would not be the least objection to passing the government bill.

Senator Elkins favored leaving not only the question of revenues, but the government of the island, as well, to the president. He thought the island would be much better off under military rule for the next two years than under any government that could be devised by congress. He particularly counselled delay. "We will know a lot more about this whole question in a year or two years than we do now," he said, "and the islands will be as well taken care of during that time as they would be under any legislation we may pass."

Senator Elkins said that haste was not necessary, and earnestly supported the proposition to delay the tariff bill, and said he thought the governmental bill might well be deayed too.

Senator Foraker said that the question of dealing with the island was before congress, and he thought congress should act. The committee on Puerto Rico had given a great deal of time to the subject, and felt sure the bill prepared would meet all emergencies.

There was general unanimity as to the wisdom of providing for immediate action on the $2,000,000 relief proposition, the opinion of all the senators being that that measure should be passed for humane reasons. There was some effort to have the appropriation bill, the house tariff bill, and the senate bill considered at one time, but this was antagonized as likely to result in too great delay.

Senator Platt of Connecticut expressed himself as firmly convinced that the principle of a protective tariff in the interest of the industries of the United States should be sustained in whatever was done. He showed a leaning toward the house tariff bill, as did several other senators who spoke. Some of them expressed the opinion that this measure would command the votes of two-thirds of the members of the caucus if tested.

Members of the Puerto Rican committee were not willing that the governmental features of the bill should be abandoned at this time. Senator Foraker expressed the opinion in this connection that the Puerto Ricans themselves would not object to the tariff provided by the house bill, and said that some of the residents of the island have even gone so far as to say that they would cheerfully accept a 25 percent rate. But, while this was true, he would have a civil government provided as a concomitant of the tariff proposition.

Senator Hoar talked at considerable length about the legal phase of the question, expressing the opinion that the senate could not act with too great deliberation in considering so momentous a subject.

Senator Warren agreed with Mr. Hoar upon his latter point. He had, he said, been favorable to absolute free trade between Puerto Rico and the United States proper, but he had listened with interest and profit to the arguments on the other side, and he did not believe that the subject had been exhausted by any means. He felt that everything was to be gained and nothing lost by proceeding deliberately, especially in view of the fact that the entire problem was new.

Many other speeches were made in the same line, ntoably by Senators Aldrich and Mason.

At this point the suggestion of a committee was made, and as soon as the authority for its appointment was given the caucus adjourned sine die.

Double Murder at Washington.

Washington, March 15.—In a paroxysm of rage, Olof Pallesen yesterday stabbed and killed his wife, Josephine, murdered Julia Hengesbach, the 3-year-old daughter of Charles F. Hengesbach, and murderously assaulted the child's mother, Mary Hengenbach. Mrs. Hengensbach now lies near the verge of death, with seven stab wounds in her body. Pallesen narrowly escaped being stoned to death by a crowd. The motive for the crime is not definitely known.

Union Men Are Still Out.

Biddeford, Me., March 15.—The striking operatives of the Saco and Pettee machine shop were paid off Wednesday. No sign of any break in the ranks of the strikers is apparent thus far. The 15 non-union men are at work as usual, and the foundry has been run with non-union men as helpers for the moulders.

Will Hidden In Secret Drawer.

Pittsfield, Mass., March 15.—The will of Mrs. Lucinda Young, who died in New Lebanon, N. Y., in 1882, at the age of 100 years, has been found in a secret drawer in an antique desk owned by Mrs. Jane A. Wollison of this city. The desk was given to Mrs. Wollison in the distribution of Mrs. Young's furniture. The will makes several bequests, and a lawyer is making efforts to have it proved.

Phelps Left Estate of $200.000.

Burlington, Vt., March 15.—The will of the late E. J. Phelps was filed in the probate court yesterday, the entire estate being bequeathed to the widow of the late lawyer, one exception being a bequest of $500 to a young man in Bennington, who was named for Mr. Phelps. It is believed that the total estate approximates a value of fully $200,000.

Passengers and Crew Saved.

San Francisco, March 15.—Advices to the merchants' exchange from Seattle say the steamer Excelsior has arrived there from Alaska with news of the loss of the steamer Wolcott. The crew, passengers and most of her cargo were saved by the Excelsior. On Jan. 31 the Wolcott struck a rock 10 miles from Kodiac. She is a total loss.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 15.—The gas situation, as Thomas W. Lawson sees it, was given additional ventilation yesterday at the state house before the committee on manufactures. Mr. Lawson was again the only one to testify. He made the statement that he had been offered $750,000 to cease his efforts to reduce gas.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Temperatures have fallen decidedly east of the plateau region, except in New England, the middle and south Atlantic states and along the gulf coast. The high pressure will continue to dominate the weather conditions generally in New England for the next two or three days, and temperature below the seasonal average may therefore be expected. It will snow in southern New England on Friday. On the New England coast winds will be fresh north to east.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	23	40	40	60	51
Monday,	23	34	63	60	49
Tuesday,	35	35	49	65	37
Wednesday,	45	39	37	53	35
Thursday,	44	34	36	40	37
Friday,	—	44	42	50	26
Saturday,	—	53	28	56	31

New Advertisements Today.

Wanted—Girls.

Mortgagee's Sale of Personal Property.

Good Afternoon.

Much speculation is going on in the press as to whether Lord Pauncefote will remain at Washington as British Ambassador, but there is no doubt in Lord Pauncefote's mind, as he has advertised his horses and carriages for sale.

Senator William W. Towle of Dorchester is favorably mentioned as the Republican candidate for Congress in this district. His faithful and efficient work in the Legislature, and his endorsement at the polls whenever he has been a candidate, eminently qualify him for advancement.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ If men received in this world no more than they really earned, there would be very few millionaires.—Beverly Times.

☞ To restore music to the standard of excellence to which Eben Tourjee lifted it in New England necesitates a return to the principles upon which harmony is based. It may be claimed that the musical culture of the public must first be lifted, but this will be found an easy task once the ear be tuned to pitch and a more general knowledge of the vocal art be diffused. —Haverhill Gazette.

☞ The Supreme court of Missouri has ruled that the anti-department store law passed by the last legislature of that state is unconstitutional. The act applied to cities having a population of 50,000 or more. It divided all merchandise into twenty-eight groups or departments, and made it unlawful for any firm, person or corporation to sell goods of more than one group without a special license. But the time is coming when the people, stung to desperation and resoluteness, will find a way to knock out all this syndicate, trust and combination business. The people are slow in getting down to business, but when they do get down to it they are mighty sure.—Milford Journal.

☞ The Bell Telephone Company knows once in a while how its patrons feel in the matter of exorbitant rates; for instance it objects to the valuations placed by the New York State Board of Tax Commissioners on the special franchises operated by it in Buffalo and Rochester. The franchise in Buffalo was valued at $617,000 and the one in Rochester at $250,000. The company protests that both valuations are excessive. It is maintained that the valuation in Buffalo should not exceed $366,262, and that the valuation of $52,400 placed by the local assessor on the property of the company in Rochester, should not be increased. Well, there is now and then a way for the people to get part of their money back even if it is not returned on the original victims.—Lynn Item.

S. of V., and L. A. S. Notes.

Francis L. Souther Camp, S. of V., is to visit Camp 88 of Scituate in April. The members will make the trip in barges.

The operetta recently held by the camp and society has materially added to the treasuries of both organizations.

The whist parties being held under the auspices of Ladies' Aid society are extremely popular.

A new feature is to be introduced in Camp 27, namely an hour' entertainment at every meeting under the management of the Good of Order committee. This feature will doubtless increase the attendance, as well as the interest in the meetings.

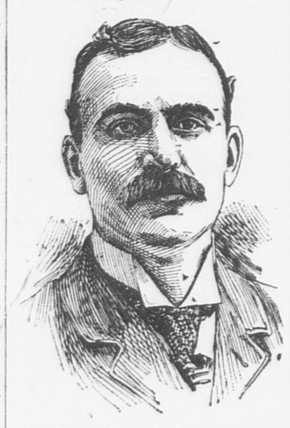
A LOSS TO QUINCY.

Commissioner Knowlton Accepts a New Position.

To Be Engineer of Survey in Porto Rico.

Ex-Commissioner Ewell May Be His Successor.

Charles F. Knowlton, Commissioner of Public Works, was on Wednesday night tendered the appointment as engineer of survey and construction under the department of Public Works at Porto Rico and this morning he cabled his acceptance.



By the wording of the dispatch his acceptance or rejection of the proffered position had to be cabled before noon today. The Commissioner consulted with Mayor Hall, who, while he regretted to lose him, advised him to accept. Mr. Knowlton slept over it and this morning went to Boston to cable his acceptance.

Mr. Knowlton does not state what salary goes with the position, other than it is a large increase over the amount he now receives, and as it is a government position, it becomes almost permanent.

The offer came in a cable dispatch, and was received by Commissioner Knowlton as stated above Wednesday evening.

The government desires him to report for duty as soon as possible, but it will probably be a week or ten days before he can get away.

As stated above, his position will be that of engineer of survey and construction. He will take fifteen men with him, two draughtsmen, and all his stationery and supplies.

Mr. Knowlton's resignation will leave a vacancy for Mayor Hall to fill, and chances are that ex-Commissioner William Walter Ewell will be tendered the position.

High School Debate.

At the High school on Wednesday the subject of the Senior debate was:

Resolved, That Quincy should be annexed to Boton.

The affirmative was assigned to: Miss Wilde, Miss Harkins and Miss Thompson.

The negative to: Miss Hall, Mr. King, and Mr. Snow.

The presiding officer was Miss Greer, and the critic Mr. Keyes.

The negative won the debate. A popular vote decided that Quincy should not be annexed to Boston.

It is said to have been the best debate of the series.

The Junior debate was on the subject:

Resolved, That England is justified in her attack on the Boers.

Affirmative, Miss B. Walker, Miss Donovan and Mr. Hallett.

Negative, Miss Vogler and Mr. Sherburne.

Decision in favor of the affirmative.

TODAY'S COURT.

It was juvenile day at the district court today and a number of Quincy and Milton cases were disposed of or further continued.

Fourth Number In

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A LECTURE BY

Prof. Charles E. Fay.

Subject: The Canadian Rockies.

This lecture will be illustrated by Stereopticon Views.

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LOCATION WANTED.

Should Quincy Give Manufacturers Encouragement.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

Several communications have reached the City Council recently from different sources in relation to proposed locations for extensive plants for manufacturing concerns in our city. Of course they would all like to know what inducements, if any, we can offer them to settle within our territory.

President Bryant referred the matter to Committee on Buildings and Grounds and the committee have informally discussed the subject. The question seems to be an important one and perhaps if neglected we may justly be criticised.

Things have got to come our way soon, sure. The north shore is pretty well taken up, and manufacturing plants desiring to locate near Boston have got to come to Quincy.

The New Haven road has secured all the land on the Neponset river north of the bridge, and now the balance of the water front clear to Milton line is looked upon with hungry eyes by more than one concern, who, however, are all anxious for some concessions. I believe they will have to come here, anyway, as with our location we are right on the track for business.

It is the same on Fore river; there will be a demand for big works there also, but of course it is not so near Boston.

To return to concessions it would be wrong even if legal, to abate taxes, or for the city as a city to erect buildings for a new enterprise. It would be unfair to business already established.

In order to get a little clearer idea than a letter would give us, I sought out the manager of perhaps the largest concern which wrote us. They evidently are perfectly reliable, being one of the strongest in the country and employ over 3,000 men.

I gave him my personal views on the subject, something after this style.

I may be wrong but, Mr. Manager, how can your plant benefit the city of Quincy to the extent that we should subsidize it? You say you have 1,500 married men who will require houses, the taxes on which will amount to $35,000 per year, but this would be more than offset by the 2,000 or more children that we should have to provide with brick schoolhouses and a fancy education. Counting in interest on schoolbuildings, $15,000; expense of education, $35,000; and leaving us about $20,000 in the hole annually. And I did not refer to the probable wants for increased police, fire, street lights, etc., as I did not want to hurt his feelings. The local grocer or dry goods merchant would not secure much benefit either, as the wives and daughters would charge up when short, and hie to Boston when flush.

The manager admitted that my figures were substantially correct, but said other cities were anxious to secure their plant, but were either too far from Boston, or did not have tide water.

There is still another concern that does not want much, except a guarantee that we will not overtax them, because they will be for a time perhaps non-residents. This is a reliable company and is worth looking into.

This is altogether too big a question to be settled by a committee, unless we hold a public hearing, when the citizens generally can give their views on the subject, as there must be a variety of opinions as to which is the best policy. Of course if we had a board of trade they would soon decide such questions, but it requires discussion.

Elisha Packard.

Quincy, Mar. 15, 1900.

Mathieson—McKaig.

A large number of friend, and relatives assembled at 19 Trafford street, Wednesday evening, to witness the marriage service of John Mathieson, one of the best known young men of South Quincy to Miss Mary McKaig of this place.

Mr. Arthur Patterson and Miss Sadie McKaig acted as groomsman and bridesmaid. An abundance of refreshments was served and the bride was the recipient of many useful, beautiful and valuable presents. The marriage ceremony was conducted by Rev. Geo. H. Watt of West Rutland, Vermont.

Not to Move Away.

John Stuart, the Wollaston beach boat builder, who was recently burned out, says the report that he is to remove his business to Marblehead is without foundation, as at present he has no such intention. At present he is located temporarily at Weymouth Fore River. Mr. Stuart also says the report that he was buried out on the same site a few years ago is not true. There was a fire on that site, but not in his place, but in a ship owned by a man named Yonquist.

—An instance of remarkable youthful heroism is recorded where a five-year old boy rescued his little brother of three years from drowning in a pond. Children sometimes have more presence of mind than their elders.

TERMS OUTLINED.

By Which Granite Associations May Settle

Framed at Meeting of New England Committee.

Early Conference Expected In This City.

The Conference committee of the New England Manufacturers' Association met in Boston, Wednesday, and for four hours discussed the present situation in the granite industry. Before the meeting adjourned it is understood that it passed a resolution looking toward a settlement of the strike.

Just what that resolution embodied is not known, as the committee refuse to give it out to the public until it has been submitted to the several Manufacturers' Associations throughout New England.

The resolution will be mailed sometime today, and it is more than probable that a meeting of the two conference committees in Quincy will be held at an early date.

It is said that the resolutions define the terms by which local associations may settle with the granite cutters.

The report that the Manufacturers were willing to concede 35 cents minimum or average, as reported in Boston papers, is not a fact, and no reference is made to it in the resolutions.

Another Conference.

Another meeting of the joint conference committee in Quincy will probably be held Friday night, and it is the hope of everybody that some understanding may be arrived at.

When the two committees adjourned at their last meeting the adjournment was without date and no provision was made for calling another meeting.

In view of the action taken Wednesday by the New England Conference Committee it was thought advisable to hold another meeting of the Quincy committees. As no provision was made for calling another meeting John L. Miller, who is chairman of the joint committee, took the matter upon himself and this morning communicated with the secretary of the Cutters' committee, suggesting a meeting for Friday night.

Mr. Miller when seen this noon said he thought someone should call them together and while he might be overstepping his bounds, he was willing to take the responsibility of suggesting.

Time enough has not elapsed to receive a reply from the cutters but as both parties are anxious to settle the trouble if possible there is not much doubt but what the meeting will be held Friday evening.

Hours for Clerks of Courts.

A bill before the Legislature will if passed regulate the office hours of the clerk of the Quincy, as well as all clerks of police, district and municipal courts. On Monday Mr. Porter of Lynn offered an amendment making the hours from 9 to 12. Mr. Lyon of Boston offered an amendment that when the salary is $500 or less the clerks shall only keep open their offices such hours as the court may order. Mr. Driscoll offered an amendment that the act shall not apply to Chicopee. Mr. Boroskby of Boston offered an amendment providing that in cities of less than 20,000 inhabitants the office hours shall be from 9 to 12 each morning. On motion of Mr. Frost of Lawrence, the matter was recommitted.

Two Inches Single.

Two inches single is getting to be a popular display for modest users of newspaper space. It gives them room enough to say a little something and say it strongly; it is big enough to get in very effective display; and it is not an expensive space to maintain.—About Ads.

—In the calendar year 1899 our largest import of gold was from Australia, $12,612,000; the second largest $8,927,000, from Canada; the third largest, $8,899,000, from British Columbia, (Klondike.) England stood fifth as a shipper of gold to us, sending $6,373,000; Mexico sixth, sending $4,728,000; France seventh, with $3,816,000.

— Says an Irishman, "It's a great comfort to be alone, especially when your sweetheart is with you."—Chicago News.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Mr. James Buckham of Edwin street is quite ill.

Miss Annie S. Keenan, who teaches in Warren, is home on her spring vacation.

Miss Francis Sheehan of Haverhill is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. J. McMasters of Hancock street.

Mrs. A. Bradshaw of Billings street is now able to be out once more, after a three weeks illness of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert D. Kingsley of Norfolk Downs are receiving congratulations on arrival of an eight pound baby, born last Saturday.

Hon. John Shaw visited the State House on Tuesday and graced the platform at the night of Speaker Meyers during the session of the House.

Both Rev. and Mrs. Merrill C. Ward have been confined to their home at West Hingham since March 9, with the grip, but are recovering. Mr. Ward expects to be in the pulpit next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Durgin and Henry P. Kittredge have returned from Palm beach, Florida. Henry denies the report that he left one of his toes behind him. He says his toe got scratched, but that he brought them all back with him.

Atlantic has heard that it is to have a depot after the same pattern as Quincy, and of the same size, and is greatly elated. North Quincy promises to grow rapidly during the next decade and Quincy will not object to its having the best of railroad accommodations.

A Case of Want.

A sad case of want was brought to light on Newcomb place this week by Agent Loring of the State Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. Agent Loring had it reported to him early in the week, that there was a child that was being abused and he promptly made an investigation. When he arrived he found the mother, who had recently returned from the Hospital, crying from hunger, not having tasted a morsel for hours. The child, a two-year-old was also crying pitiously for food, and there was not a mouthful of any kind in the house to eat. The mother was getting ready to go out to call on a friend, and said she was planning to arrive at meal time so that she might get something to eat.

The mother said that the father was a painter, and was at work in Milton. He had no money to pay his fare and walking back and forth to his work. He had drawn what money he could on his job, and could not get any more until the job was finished.

The child did not show any marks of abuse and the trouble was doubtless caused by hunger and lack of necessities of life.

Their immediate wants were provided and the case reported to Overseer of the Poor Bass.

—L. Philip Perew of Niagara county, New York, has obtained permission to use the Erie canal to test a system of propulsion of canal-boats. The device invented, which consists of a railway track, to be used in operating an electric motor, will be tested on the half mile of the tow path west of the railroad bridge at Tonawanda.

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TO LET.

Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

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One Body in Wate After Midnigh

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CHILDREN DROWNED.

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One Body in Water Until After Midnight.

Chief of Police Criticised by a Councilman.

A sad drowning accident occurred Wednesday afternoon in the old slate quarry at Norfolk Downs. Two boys, aged respectively 3 and 4 years, losing their lives. The two boys were B. L. Blanchard, aged 3 years, of Warwick street, and Harland Roy, the 5-year-old son of Horace Smith. Both boys live near the old quarry and were playmates.

The quarry has not been in use for many years, and it is said to be very deep in some places forty feet or more.

When Wood, Harmon & Co. took the Norfolk Downs property, a high fence was built about the quarry as a protection of life, as it has been looked upon a dangerous place particularly so at this time of the year when the rains have filled it.

Wednesday afternoon the two boys were playing together and from what can be learned it is supposed that they broke through the fence. Getting too near the edge of the quarry hole they fell in. There is no shore to the quarry, as it goes down abruptly, so that when they fell in there was no possible chance for them to save themselves.

The children were not missed until late Wednesday afternoon, and as they did not return home to supper the parents became alarmed. The neighborhood was searched, and the little ones were finally traced to the quarry. The horrible suspicion dawned upon them that they were there, and their parents became almost frantic.

When a search was made, the Blanchard boy's body was found. Search was then commenced for the body of the Smith boy, but no trace could be found. The affair was then reported to the police, and Medical Examiner Jones notified. Grappling irons and hooks were used but try as they would the missing boy could not be found. Shortly before 11 o'clock Mayor Hall, who had been apprised, dispatched a special car for the scene, with lanterns, hooks and ladders and other appliances. The work dragging the quarry was then resumed with renewed vigor. Patiently did the grapplers work, but still without success, and as time sped on, it looked as though the night would pass before the body would be recovered.

Early in the evening a boat was secured and this was kept moving about the quarry, and the searchers were unceasing in their efforts. Shortly after midnight their efforts were successful, and the body was brought to the surface. Life had long been extinct, and the body was turned over to Undertaker Fay.

Chief Ripley, Officers Ferguson and Morrissey were early on the scene and remained until late, rendering what assistance they could.

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The Mayor wishes to publicly thank Mr. Waterhouse and the men of the Quincy & Boston Street Railway for their kindness and courtesy in getting men and material to the assistance of those citizens who were searching for the body of the children drowned at Norfolk Downs. Also to those who responded to his call from the Central Fire station. Councilman Poland is especially to be commended for his earnest work in behalf of the afflicted family.

HISTORIC FRIGATE.

Work of Quincy Lady for Restoration of Constitution.

Mrs. Nelson V. Tutus of this city presided on Tuesday at a special meeting of the Massachusettts Society of the United States Daughters of 1812 of which she is president, held in Boston. The object was the discussion of ways and means for the restoration of the old frigate Constitution, for which the society has just received permission from Congress.

The president said that the society at large seemed to have a vague idea of what had been done and what were the future plans. She then gave a brief resume of her correspondence with Secretary of the Navy Long and other officials in regard to the act of Congress giving the society permission to restore the old frigate, the money to be raised by popular subscription. She also told something of her work in getting the bill through Congress, and the opposition of people who wished to have the frigate taken to Washington and used as a museum.

Mrs. Titus has received a large number of letters from patriotic people all over the country expressing great interest in the work of restoration. It is planned to present the matter to the Governors of the various states and territories, who shall in turn present it to the several boards of education, and in that way a popular dime subscription will be started among the school children. Among other plans is one to obtain a room as headquarters, and this was left to the discretion of the state council.

Votes of thanks to Secretary Long of the Navy and to Senators and Congressmen who helped in passing the bill through Congress.

It was also voted to give a New England supper on the afternoon of Patriots' day, April 19, for the benefit of the contingent fund, for the necessary preliminary expenses of raising the Constitution fund. There will be many interesting features connected with the affair.

At the close of the business session Mrs. Abijah Thompson read a paper on the Constitution.

Quincy Point Fair.

The fair at the Quincy Point church opened auspicuously Tuesday evening.

The entertainment Wednesday evening was one of rare excellence. A goodly number was in attendance, and after a bountiful pie supper furnished by the ladies, listened with much pleasure to the following entertainers:

Mr. Stanley R. Fisher, tenor soloist; Miss Alice Clark, Emerson colllege, Boston, reader; and Miss Charlotte L. Collins, pianist.

Mr. Fisher has a beautiful, robust tenor voice, and sings with intelligence and power. Though hardly more than a youth he holds a position as tenor soloists in a large church in Newtonville.

Everybody was delighted with Miss Clark's reading. Her beautiful rendering of "Jack the Fisherman" showed her to be not only a woman of a high order of talent, but also a woman of sincere and noble character. Her manner is simple, direct and unaffected. Her selection in lighter vein from Josiah Allen's Wife," was much enjoyed. Emerson college can feel assured of continued prosperity, so long as it can turn out such a product as Miss Clark.

Miss Collins is from Oakland, California. Through some friends whom she is visiting, she was obtained for this entertainment. She is a thoroughly educated musician. One hardly knows which to admire more the charming way in which she accompanied Mr. Fisher, for her piano solos. Both were excellent. She has a beautiful and delicate touch, and interprets her selections in such a way that one feels the music as she feels it. Of the technique of the piano she is thoroughly master.

—Mirrors are becoming very popular to detectives in the stores and shops of large cities, to warn the proprietor of petty thieving. Properly arranged they permit the observance of every movement of the customers, even when the clerk's back is turned to him.

—Over 2,000,000 bottles, of the value of £7,000, are recovered each year from the dust wards in London, and eturned to their owners.

Must Have Had Liquid Air.

Boston, Mass., March 15, 1900.

Editors of the Quincy Ledger,

Dear Sirs:—In reply to the individual who signs "Fair Play" to a letter in your last evening's issue, taking exceptions as to the manner in which the City Council conducts its business, would say that "Fair Play" must have had liquid air injected in his brain—causing the imagination to expand, or must have been gazing through a Quincy & Boston telescope.

To openly charge members of the City Council with favoritism or a dishonest motive, under the guise of anonymous "Fair Play," is uncalled for, cowardly, and unworthy of a person claiming citizenship.

What Mr. Baker said in my interest was just, proper, and consistant with the nature of the hearing—and only a deceased brain could construe it otherwise.

The City Council is composed of honorable men, elected by popular vote, and each possessed the courage to shut Mr. Baker off had they deemed it necesssary or inconsistent with the rights of a citizen of Quincy. Besides Mr. Baker knows how to conduct himself, he is a good lawyer, and knows enough to keep himself within bounds. Doubtless the City Council appreciates the requirements of Houghs Neck, and will not be deterred from their plain duty by a person who is so void of self respect as to make wholesale charges against members of the City government, and assume the unwarrantable gall to call themselves "Fair Play."

It is fortunate perhaps that the writer is not a resident of some of the Southern or Western cities, as a treatment of tar and feathers is promptly meeted out to such persons.

"Fair Play" reminds me of Webster's hybrid, between a peacock and a shagpoke; he appears to have the self esteem of the one, and the brain of the other.

I think "Fair Play" and the "citizens" referred to in his letter are a myth, conceived in some morbid brain.

Now "Fair Play," the next time you write, don't sit so close to the electric current, as you might get a shock and that would mean sure death.

Andrew A. Meyer.

N. E. O. P. Notes.

At the annual convention of the Grand lodge of Massachusetts, N. E. O. P., held in Lawrence hall, Boston, Wednesday, Quincy lodge was represented by Past Wardens Laura E. Holt, Mrs. Penfield, Mary Crane, and M. C. Holmes.

In the re-election of Judge Flint of Weymouth to the office of grand warden the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts retains the valuable services of a most efficient officer and highly respected gentleman.

In the Grand Warden's report at the opening of the convention, a very important and extremely gratifying fact was brought out, namely the phenominal growth of the order in this State since January first, nearly 500 new members having joined the organization since that date.

Mid-Winter Picnic.

A novelty in the social line was held Wednesday evening at the Bethany church chapel, and was known by the name of a mid-winter left handed picnic. The picnic was largely attended and was a pronounced success the arrangements being in charge of Dr. Gilson. The participants brought their lunches with them and when time for lunch came they separated into groups and pitched into the good things contained in the lunch basket. The participants were not permitted to use their right hands in eating the lunch everything being done with the left hand. If one unconsciously used the right hand he or she was subjected to a fine. In addition to the lunch there was a brief entertainment consisting of recitations by the children. Mrs. Hunt also distinguished herself by playing a piano solo with the left hand. Mrs. Buckingham and Miss Clara Merrill also sang solos.

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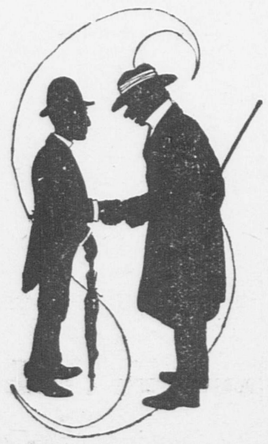

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QUINCY DEATHS OF 1899.

DATE.		NAME.	AGE. YEARS.	MONTHS.	DAYS.
Oct.	1.	Clarence S. Maxwell	0	0	25
	1.	Jane Owens,	87	4	4
	2.	Michael Driscoll,	58	0	0
	2.	Victor Olson,	23	0	0
	3.	Hulda E. Nelson,	9	0	29
	3.	Mabel E. Crawford,	1	2	8
	5.	George Langton,	39	5	0
	7.	William F. Farrington,	37	1	2
	7.	Mary J. DeLue,	78	4	13
	10.	Anton Olson,	26	0	0
	10.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
	11.	Mary F. Blaine,	0	2	0
	13.	Ira O. Severance,	69	7	18
	14.	Francis Clark,	1	8	16
	15.	Stillborn.	0	0	0
	16.	Josiah Medlin,	31	10	14
	17.	Julia Crimmins,	2	1	25
	19.	Carl Paavas,	40	0	0
	20.	Augusta B. French,	77	1	2
	21.	Stillborn,	0	0	0
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	21.	Clarence S. Pinel,	0	8	3
	22.	Samuel D. Bosworth,	52	0	0
	24.	Sarah V. Cleghorn,	60	3	2
	26.	Daniel Ross,	83	7	0
	29.	John J. Connelly, Jr.,	0	0	19
Nov.	1.	Edith M. E. Anderson,	1	9	19
	4.	Dande Calevro,	10	1	22
	4.	Murdock McDougall,	44	10	1
	5.	John Thompson,	50	0	0
	6.	Flora Raymond,	1	7	2
	6.	George A. Thomas,	2	8	14
	8.	John Callahan,	69	7	0
	8.	Francis A. Massey,	80	0	0
	10.	Caroline W. Merritt,	91	0	22
	10.	Joseph F. Berry,	71	11	14
	10.	Thomas McGann,	72	0	0
	11.	Sarah Allison,	71	10	11
	11.	Charles V. Hanson,	55	2	12
	13.	Francis S. Kelliher,	0	3	4
	16.	Laura A. McDougall,	53	3	26
	18.	Thomas McGrath,	75	0	0
	20.	Rebecca L. Burke,	10	3	21
	21.	Philomen McManus,	7	4	12
	22.	J. Peter Lambert,	44	5	12
	25.	Robert Campbell,	67	3	9
	26.	Francenia A. Picard,	38	1	23
	26.	Mary Moran,	40	0	0
	27.	James J. Mahoney,	80	3	15
	28.	Jennie Ross,	21	10	6
	28.	Stillborn.	0	0	0
Dec.	1.	J. Harvey Smith,	35	9	0
	3.	Elizabeth C. MacDonald,	55	2	6
	4.	Martin Nelson,	52	5	0
	5.	Herbert W. Pitts,	2	10	22
	7.	Kate Richards,	54	0	0
	9.	Elizabeth A. Curtis,	71	0	9
	9.	Peter J. Anderson,	50	0	0
	10.	Julia A. Brooks,	62	2	22
	10.	Unknown.	35	0	0
	10.	John Monahan,	28	0	0
	10.	Emeline Adams,	59	2	27
	11.	Stillborn.	0	0	0
	11.	Henry Blanchard,	67	10	5
	12.	William Cullen,	60	0	0
	14.	Henry J. Gore,	49	0	0
	15.	Mary J. Hannon,	1	5	11
	16.	Marion F. King,	0	5	23
	17.	William McIntyre,	42	6	0
	18.	Lawrence Haynes,	15	6	1
	18.	James A. Flowers,	2	0	0
	18.	Catherine M. Grignon,	0	7	9
	19.	Harold L. Myatt,	41	5	26
	30.	Annie Delory,	0	11	14
	23.	John Thompson,	59	0	0
	22.	Ann Gerry,	64	7	29
	23.	Edward Porter,	84	0	0
	24.	Alessandri Terzo,	3	2	14
	29.	Adaline D. Gilson,	42	0	0
	29.	Bertha E. Tinney,	74	8	25
	30.	Isaiah Cressey,	0	5	23
	31.	Emily M. Garrity,	65	8	20
	31.	Francis A. Cashman,	38	0	0
			0	6	6

—A clock, which is said to have been running since August, 1898, the workmanship of P. M. Rovenskilde, is attracting much attention at Cabery, Ill., the home of its maker. It is propelled by a system of ball weights and a small current of electricity.

—An Indiana man claims to have invented a process by which cakes of ice may be preserved for many months with no covering whatever from the action of the atmosphere except a coating of his preservative, the composition of which is a secret.

—A pistol, an electric bell and a cat-o'-nine-tails are the moving forces in an ingenious burgular alarm evolved by a grocer of St. Louis, Mo.

BILLHEADS PRINTED
AT PATRIOT OFFICE.

—Ruskin was very fond of the study of minerals. He was especially fond of chalcedony, of which he once said: "A schoolboy can't pick up diamonds or topazes or rock crystals on Brighton Beach; but every other flint he breaks may have a bit of chalcedony in it, and I have had more hunting pleasure out of it than from any other mineral whatever.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

DIED.

ANDERSON—At the Quincy City Hospital, March 13, Mr. John Anderson of Station street, aged 49 years.

HORSE OWNERS!

We make and repair all kinds of Horse Boots in first class manner.
Also all kinds of Sporting Goods.
HANS HANSON, 10 Granite street.
Quincy, March 12. tf

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

We are Looking for people who are Looking for Bargains, and if you are one of them just call at

The Quincy New and Second-Hand Variety Co.,
20 Franklin Street,

And be convinced that this is the place to get Bargains.

WALTER P. PINEL, Manager.

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage of personal property given by John Milton and his wife, Jessie Milton, both of Quincy, Massachusetts, to Sylvester R. Briggs, of Somerville, Massachusetts, dated March 8, 1899, and recorded in the Records of Mortgages of Personal Property in the Clerk's office of the City of Quincy, Book 16, page 561, which mortgage was duly assigned to Charles J. Moore, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, at the store of Napoleon B. Furnald, 70 Washington street, Quincy, Mass., on WEDNESDAY, March 28, 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the property described in said mortgage, namely:

One (1) plush parlor set of seven (7) pieces, two (2) rattan rockers, gilt stand, piano lamp and stand, three (3) mats, fur rug, fifteen (15) pictures, twenty-five (25) yards tapestry carpet, twenty (20) yards wool carpet, one (1) easel, mt. centre table, hanging lamp, "Premium" parlor stove, three (3) pairs lace curtains, oak table, "Glenwood" range and ware, cane seat rocker, one (1) pair portieres, eight (8) kitchen chairs, "Singer" sewing machine, pine table, Walker & Pratt range and ware, five (5) iron bedsteads, five (5) springs, mattresses and bedding for each, four (4) oak bedsteads, four (4) springs, mattresses and bedding for each, oak commode, twelve (12) H. W. chairs, black walnut desk, oak wardrobe, one (1) mirror, oak dressing case, black walnut cabinet, toilet stand, also one (1) Middleby portable oven with all pans and cooking utensils, bread closet, two (2) round front show cases, one (1) square show case, one (1) round upright show case, one (1) Italian soda fountain, three (3) counters, four (4) oak bench tables, five (5) lunch stools, one (1) covered baker's wagon, one (1) carryall, one (1) pung, one (1) express wagon, one (1) bay horse, two (2) sets of harness, also all crockery, glassware, tin, iron and plated ware, and each and every article of personal property on premises occupied by us at Houghs Neck in Quincy, Mass., except one (1) piano.

Said property will be sold subject to all liens or claims against the same existing at the time of the giving of said mortgage.

Terms cash.

CHARLES M. MOORE,
Assignee and Present Holder of Said Mortgage.
W. W. JENNESS, Att'y.
87 Milk street, Boston, Mass.
March 14, 1900. 15-22-26

Administratrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administratrix of the estate of

JOHN CALLAHAN,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

CATHERINE CALLAHAN, Adm'x.
(Address) CATHERINE CALLAHAN,
15 Willard St., Quincy, Mass.
Dec. 20, A. D. 1899. Mar. 8-3t--8-15-22

Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,
A READER

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—Will the gentleman who picked up a fur gauntlet in the car on leaving the 5.28 train at Atlantic on MONDAY, the 12th inst., please to communicate with H. W. BARKER, 22 Greenleaf street, and state where the glove may now be found. March 14-4t

LOST—A small pocket medicine case, near Brewer's corner, this morning. Name was on a slip in the inside. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to DR. F. S. DAVIS, 5 Elm street, Quincy. Mar. 13-tf

WANTED.

WANTED—10 Girls for Factory, also General Housework girls. Ladies in want of good competent nurse can be accommodated. MISSES FLYNN, 12 Hancock street. March 15-6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also half-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises.
Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, the owner, at Bicknell's bread, DOTT, at Ledger office, or 4 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET—Furnished Room with furnace heat and bath room. Apply at 27 Chestnut street, cor. Cottage ave.

Wagons For Sale.

ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO.
March 6. 1m

TO LET.

SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.

CLARENCE BURGIN,
Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

TO LET!

IN QUINCY, MASS.,

Houses, Stores, Land, ROOMS, OFFICES AND WHARVES,

The Houses are in complete repair.

Farm, 50 acres, house and outbuildings, head Summer street.
Large store, 162 Hancock street, city water, dry cellar and workshop.
House, 7 rooms, 12 Washington street.
Half House, 8 rooms, 16 Cottage street, with stable.
Half House, 4 rooms, 19 Kidder street.
Half House, 5 rooms, city water, 13 Field street.
Three tenements, 51 Howard street, Quincy Neck.
Double House, 4 rooms in each half, 15 Brackett street.
Half House, 6 rooms, Pond street. Land with same if desired.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
Stable with city water, 28 Coddington street. $5 per month.
Stable and sheds near Quincy Centre on Coddington street. $4.00 per month.
Small stable, No. 2 Quincy street. $3 per month.
100 Windows and Blinds for sale.
Wharf, with office, blacksmith shops, etc. Quincy Neck.
Basement, head of Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage or pasturing purposes.
Gravel suitable for cementing, concreting and roofing for sale.
Fifty loads of loam for sale.
The Buildings are in the Very Best Condition.
For particulars, enquire of, or address
HENRY H. FAXON, Quincy, Mass.
Quincy, March 13, 1900. 1m

First-Class Dressmaking.

MRS. GEORGE A. CHELIUS of Boston will be pleased to meet the ladies of Quincy and vicinity at *No. 6 Coddington St., March 8, 1900.* Feb. 26-1m

Quincy Daily Ledger.

FOR SALE BY NEWSBOYS
and at the following places:

BOSTON—Terminal News Stand after 3.30.
QUINCY—Ledger Office, 115 Hancock St.
Hartwell's Periodical Store, 1 Granite St.
Henry P. Kittredge, City Square.
J. P. O'Brien, 38 Hancock St.
C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. E. Hall, Washington St.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—Loring's Pharmacy.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a. m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a. m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a. m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a. m.
New Moon	30	3:30 p. m.			

Fond Mother (to very busy brother-in-law)—You might look after Freddy while I'm out. See that he doesn't play with the coals or get into mischief, and if he cries give him a piece of chocolate—there's some in the dining room—and if that doesn't stop him run him round the room on your back. He loves it. But on no account let him be a nuisance to you!—Punch.

President Signs Finance Bill.

Washington, March 15.—At 12:46 p. m. on Wednesday, the president affixed his signature to the financial bill, thus making it a law of the land. At the same time he recalled to those who stood by the fact that many of the most important financial bills which had been passed by congress had been approved on the 14th day of the month. He spoke of the Sherman act, the resumption act, and now the bill which was before him.

Attachment Served on the Stage.

Kansas City, March 15.—A deputy sheriff climbing over the stage from the box during a performance to serve an attachment in a suit against Frederick Warde, the actor, was a novel scene witnessed at a local opera house yesterday. The deputy secured service on Warde while another deputy attached the box office receipts. They had been unable to gain entrance through the stage door.

Bullet Through His Heart.

Boston, March 15.—As the supposed result of despondency, caused by ill health, Edward N. Roche, 32 years old, of Gardner, Mass., committed suicide by shooting Wednesday in the public garden. A score or more of pedestrians saw Roche kill himself. He died without speaking, the bullet having pierced his heart.

Charged With Stealing Mailbag.

Boston, March 15.—Robert J. Farley was arraigned yesterday, charged with stealing a mailbag from the railroad station at Palmer. He pleaded not guilty and was sent to jail in default of $2000 bail. He was brought here from Rutland, Vt., where he was arrested.

Dress Caught Fire.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 15.—Kate Capron, aged 9, was probably fatally burned at Central Falls. She tried to lift a stove cover, but as the lifter was hot she wrapped her dress skirt about it. The dress touched the hot stove and burst into flames.

To Cure Nervousness in One Week
To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

GRAIN-O! GRAIN-O!

remember that name when you want a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it. Grain-O is made of pure grain, it aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder and the children as well as the adults can drink it with great benefit. Costs about 1-4 as much as coffee. 15c. and 25c. per package. Ask your grocer for Grain-O.

ON THEIR OWN HOOK.

Gold Democrats of Indiana Cannot Support Bryan or McKinley.

Chicago Platform Assaults Individual Freedom.

They Find Much to Fear From Continuance In Power of Republicans.

Indianapolis, March 15.—About 200 gold Democrats assembled here last night and talked over what was best for the party to do in the coming campaign. Chairman James L. Keach said it was the object to find out from the leading members of the party whether or not they would support Mr. Bryan as had been reported. The following resolutions were adopted:

We, Democrats of Indiana, who in 1896 opposed the Chicago platform, hereby resolve:

1. We affirm our continued belief in the principles of the platform adopted in 1896 by the national Democratic party, and assert our sincere loyalty to the same.

2. All that has been done and that is now being done by those who supported Bryan in 1896 points to the readoption of the Chicago platform and the renomination of Mr. Bryan.

Being deeply impressed with the gravity of the situation we conceive it to be our solemn duty to oppose with all our strength the assaults made by the Chicago platform of 1896 on individual freedom, the right of private contract, the independence and integrity of the federal judiciary, the authority of the president to enforce the laws and to denounce its advocacy of the radically wrong and fundamentally dangerous demand for the free, unlimited and independent coinage of silver and gold by the United States, at the ratio of 16 to 1, and its repudiation, at the instigation of Republican and Populist allies of the Democratic doctrine of tariff for revenue only.

There can be no compromise with those who propose to support Mr. Bryan or any other candidate of the Chicago platform.

3. Recent events lead us to fear that the continuance in power for another four years of the Republican party, under its present masters, with its centralizing policies, protective tariff legislation and capitalistic tendencies, would be disgraceful and calamitous and, above all, the people of the United States cannot safely tolerate even a suggestion that the inhabitants of any of our territory are not entitled to the right of trial by jury, to the beneficient protection of the writ of habeas corpus, to the freedom of religion, to the personal liberty guaranteed by the constitutional prohibitions against slavery, or to any one of those sacred rights of persons and property which are guaranteed to all, not only by the express words of the constitution, but by those fundamental principles of liberty on which our whole system of government rests.

4. We, therefore, earnestly call on the leaders of the national Democratic party who led the fight in 1896 for good government and national honor to give immediate and serious consideration to the present ominous condition of affairs and request them to take such action by organization or otherwise as may in their wisdom seem necessary and most appropriate to meet the emergencies now confronting all who love their country and who desire that this government shall be a government of the people, by the people and for the people, and as such shall not perish from the earth.

Mr. Keach was instructed to take immediate steps towards the organization of the national Democratic forces.

Verdict In Red Ash Mine Disaster.

Charleston, W. Va., March 15.—The coroner's jury which has been hearing evidence as to the cause of the recent disaster at Red Ash mine returned a verdict that the miners came to their death by reason of an explosion of gas, caused by lack of proper ventilation. Up to date a total of 47 dead have been removed from Red Ash mine. Only two more known to have been in the mine are not yet accounted for.

Many Refused to Join.

New York, March 15.—Oakleigh Thorne, president of the American Brick company, is authority for the statement that the company will soon go out of business. The company was organized with $15,000,000 about a year ago and planned to control the output hereabouts. The scheme failed when several individual owners of brick yards declined to go into the company.

Complainant Didn't Appear.

Lima, O., March 15.—Magistrate Duffield has discharged H. L. Michael, vice president of the American National bank, who was arraigned on a charge of robbing that institution of $18,000 which mysteriously disappeared. The detective who made the affidavit was not present and the justice refused to continue the case.

Nashua Strike Continues.

Nashua, March 15.—There is no change in the situation of the strike that has been in progress during the past week by the employes of the Nashua Iron and Brass foundry. The company has 12 non-union men at work in the shop, while there were formerly 60 men, with helpers.

Gathered In by Leather Trust.

Kenosha, Wis., March 15.—It is reported here that a local tannery has been sold to the leather trust for $4,000,000. Last week it was reported the big combine made the company an offer of $3,000,000, but this was refused.

Mill Operatives Will Be Idle.

Fitchburg, Mass., March 15.—A fire in the weaving department of the Glenn woolen mill last night did a money damage of about $25,000, and a material loss that will cause 100 hands to be idle for an indefinite time.

POOLER GIVES HIMSELF UP.

Says He Thought His Life Was In Danger When He Shot Farmer Devine.

Burlington, Vt., March 15.—The alleged murderer of Aleck Devine, Curtis Pooler, at Westford Monday afternoon, returned to Westford Wednesday and was shortly after placed under arrest.

Pooler says he shot the farmer in self defense, but the officers are of the opinion that the circumstances do not bear out his claim. He disappeared shortly after the body of Devine was found in the barn, where both of the men had gone after the head of the family had partaken of supper in the house.

Pooler made a statement, declaring that the act was committed in self defense, and that when he reached Colchester and gave the matter careful thought he decided to return and give his side of the story. He says that after they went to the stable they had some words over family affairs, Devine apparently being jealous of him. Devine then went up stairs to feed his horses, and when he came down Devine remarked that the matter might as well be settled, at the same time reaching for his hip pocket, in which Pooler claims he believed Devine carried a revolver. Pooler then took his revolver from his pocket and fired a shot while Devine was facing him, as he feared that he was about to be shot himself.

The wife of the murdered man states emphatically that her husband had no occasion to be jealous, as she did not know Pooler, and that she does not believe the story of the crime as told by him. She says her husband never carried a revolver.

Savage Assault on Aged Woman.

Granby, Conn., March 15.—Arthur Farrow, a deaf mute, aged 30, a farm hand employed by Wadsworth Humphrey of North Granby, attempted a murderous assault upon Mrs. Humphrey, aged 60, by stabbing her several times with a jackknife. Mrs. Humphrey managed to escape. Frank Judd succeeded in overpowering Farrow as he was entering the barn to hang himself. He had previously tried to end his life by slashing his throat with the knife. The wounds Mrs. Humphrey sustained are not of an alarming nature.

Still In a Tangle.

St. John's, March 15.—The Bondite party has decided to insist on an immediate appeal to the electorate after passing the revenue bills as a condition of taking office. Mr. Bond conveyed this intimation to Governor McCallum, who absolutely refused the Bondite condition and declared that a spring election would be a calamity for the country, because it would dislocate all the fishery preparations. The governor pledged himself to exhaust his constitutional prerogatives to prevent a spring election.

A Kick From New York.

New York, March 15.—"Buck" Ewing, who will manage the New York baseball team this season, says that Andrew Freedman will not sign the eight-club agreement. Ewing says that both he and Freedman are considerably aroused over the action of the other clubs in the league in securing control of the players of the four clubs in the league that dropped out, when it was understood that the New York club was to have the preference of the players.

Got All the Law Called For.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 15.—The general assembly in 1899 passed a law which provides that the sentence of any person stealing domestic fowls valued at less than $20 shall be three months' imprisonment and a fine of $20 and costs. The first case tried under this law in the state was before the court at Central Falls yesterday. Adin L. Ray of Cumberland was found guilty of stealing three hens and received the statutory sentence.

Says Attorney Can't Help Him.

New Haven, March 15.—Frederick M. Davis, the street car conductor charged with numerous burglaries, was arraigned in court yesterday. Judge Bishop continued the case until Saturday. Bonds were fixed at $4000. Davis went to jail. He refused the services of an attorney who had been engaged by his father-in-law, saying that he was guilty and a lawyer could not help him.

Senator Peffer's Son Kills Himself.

Kansas City, March 15.—The son of ex-United States Senator Peffer of Topeka was found dead in his room at a cheap lodging house yesterday. He had taken morphine and left a card inscribed: "Father, I'm tired." Peffer, who was about 35 years of age, was a printer, and bore a card of a Topeka union. No cause for the suicide is known.

Kipling Talks of Disloyalty.

New York, March 15.—The first word from Rudyard Kipling since he went to South Africa will be printed in this week's issue of Harper's Weekly. Mr. Kipling cables a long account of British disloyalty, which he calls "the sin of witchcraft." The burden of his complaint is that British civil officials in Cape Town wink at semi-treasonable acts.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Fire at Miamisburg, O., destroyed the big Rothschild tobacco warehouse, and damaged other buildings. Loss, $150,000.

The Joliet (Ills.) Limestone company has gone into the hands of a receiver. The liabilities are estimated at $400,000.

The organization of the Standard Chain company was perfected at New York. The company is capitalized at $3,000,000.

The village of Nokomis, Ills., was swept by fire. Loss, $50,000.

Michael J. Cassidy, warden of the eastern penitentiary of Pennsylvania, died at Philadelphia, aged 71. Warden Cassidy had an international reputation as a prison official.

William Redmond announces that he will resign his seat in the Dublin corporation council as a result of the passage of the resolution to present an address of welcome to the queen.

Fire destroyed five business houses at Carbondale, Ills. Loss, $50,000.

MR. SHELDON IS A SOCIALIST

So Far as It Applies to the Teachings of the Sermon on the Mount.

Topeka, Kan., March 15.—Rev. Dr. Sheldon has omitted from The Capital all the usual cards of the fraternal societies, and when he was asked why he had taken this action, remarked that he was not prepared to say.

He said also that he did not endorse the sentiment or principle of all the articles that he put in the paper, or consented to have used. He was asked if he approved the article treating of the growth of socialism in Massachusetts.

"Not all of it," he replied.

"Are you a Socialist?"

"You must let me use my own term. If you will say Christian Socialist, I am."

"What is a Christian Socialist?"

"It is one who applies the teachings of the sermon on the mount to his daily life."

Asked if he liked editorial work, he said that was of no public concern.

In The Capital this morning an editorial by Mr. Sheldon leads the first page. It is set in larger type than that employed in the body of the paper and is run with a border. It is headed: "The Union of Christendom," and urges a compact of the Christen forces of the world for the destruction of the saloon and the preservation of the Sabbath.

A notable first-page article by Dr. Woltistek of Cedar Rapids, Ia., attacks Bohemian societies, under the head lines: "They Teach Suicide, Societies Organized to Kill Religious Belief." "Work of the Bohemian Press and Fraternal Orders—Remarkable Growth of Suicides."

Mr. Sheldon has an introductory note, stating that the author of the article was once an infidel, but was converted to Christianity through the death of his friends.

An article denouncing Mormonism and polygamy, by Richard Wake of Salt Lake City, is given a prominent place on the first page.

A plea for equal suffrage, by Mrs. Anna L. Diggs, is a feature of the contributors' page.

A telegram from Kansas City, announcing the suicide of J. S. Peffer, son of ex-United States Senator Peffer, is run with an editorial note extending The Capital's sympathy to the bereaved family.

Sweeping Verdict For Contestants.

New York, March 15.—Mrs. Mary Johnson died in March, 1897, leaving an estate estimated at nearly $900,000. Mrs. Johnson bequeathed almost her entire fortune to the Roman Catholic church. Her relatives instituted proceedings to set the will aside. A supreme court jury yesterday found that Mrs. Johnson was not of sound mind when she executed the two wills and codicil, and also found that the will and codicil were procured by undue influence, fraud and circumvention on the part of Rev. James W. Power, Lawyer Peter Condon and Mary Kelly, a servant.

Fine Performances of the Holland.

Washington, March 15.—A large congressional party witnessed the performances of the Holland submarine torpedo boat. On her first dive the Holland remained submerged for 10 minutes, going in a straightaway course, apparently a mile. Coming up after this run she discharged a torpedo from her torpedo tube at an imaginary enemy's war vessel and then turning dived again immediately and came up some distance away. Following this she made a succession of short dives, being submerged in all four or five times.

A Youthful Divorce Suitor.

San Juan, P. R., March 15.—Rosalia Murch, aged 13, has consulted lawyers on the subject of obtaining a separation from Albert Murch, 24, a member of the signal corps, whose home is at Benton, Me. They were married Dec. 12, and Murch was later ordered to Fort Meyer, Va. He left his wife destitute. There are no divorce laws in Puerto Rico, and the young wife is waiting for the United States to enact such laws. Similar cases are plentiful.

Child Fatally Burned.

Webster, Mass., March 15.—Ernest Dion, 4 years old, set his clothes afire with matches, and was so badly burned that he will die.

Three Meals a Day.

How many years of her life does a woman spend over the hot cook stove getting those three meals a day? Back aching, head throbbing, nerves twitching, it's all the same, there are three meals a day to be prepared. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cannot lighten woman's labor, but it can and does increase her strength. It cures those diseases of the womanly organs which undermine woman's vitality.

"I cannot praise Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription too highly as a tonic for tired, worn-out women who are afflicted with female weakness," writes Mrs. Ira W. Holmes, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. "It has helped me very much and a skillful physician once said to me in answer to my question as to its efficacy, 'I know of cases where it has really worked wonders.'"

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets do not re-act upon the system. They are a good thing to keep in the house. One 'Pellet' is a laxative, two a cathartic dose. The medicine for every woman.

WOMAN WHO DIDN'T WORRY.

She was a member of a club
Whose motto was "Don't worry!"
And daily to her "loving hub"
She sweetly said, "Don't worry!"
"Your hair," she told her mate one day,
"Is falling out and getting gray—
How fast the seasons pass away—
But never mind; don't worry!"

"We haven't much put by," she said,
"For rainy days; don't worry!
The hopes we used to have are dead;
Our plans are wrecked; don't worry!
A few years more and you'll be told
To step aside because you're old,
And then some younger man will hold
The place you fill; don't worry!

"They tax us more from day to day
And year to year; don't worry!
They'll take our little home away
And drive us forth; don't worry!
Your overcoat will never last
Another year; its style is past;
My scalskin, too, is going fast,
But what of that? Don't worry!

When you are fifty-five and I
Am fifty—there, don't worry—
We'll have no hope but just to die
And be at rest; don't worry!
There's nothing for us on ahead,
No help to be inherited;
We'll have to beg our daily bread,
But never mind; don't worry!"

Day after day she took his hand
In hers and said, "Don't worry!"
She kept his woes before him and
Implored him not to worry!
From dawn till dark she harped away,
And, worried and worn out, one day
His spirit, fleeing, heard her say
Unto his corpse, "Don't worry!"

—S. E. Kiser in Chicago Times-Herald.

Answered.

Snobson (to inhabitant of out of way seaside resort)—What sort of people do you get down here in the summer?

Inhabitant—Oh, all sorts, zur. There be fine people an common people an some just half an half, like yourself, zur.—Punch.

A Sure Test.

"Are you sure she is as gentle and patient and amiable as she seems?" asked the friend.

"Not quite sure," answered the young man who is in love, "but I'm going to find out."

"How?"

"I'm going to get her to call somebody up over a long distance telephone and then watch her."—Washington Star.

A New Virtue.

"I would advise you to take this corset by all means, ma'am."

"Something new, isn't it?"

"Yes, ma'am; a recent invention. Sensible ladies prefer it to all others."

"And why so?"

"Because it's the only corset in the market, ma'am, that will defy the X ray machines."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Fitting Name.

"And what do you call that wheel whizzing around there?" inquired a visitor in the machinery department.

"South American republic, sir," answered the guide.

"That's odd. What do you call it that for?"

"Owing to the number of its revolutions, sir."—Detroit Free Press.

A New Vehicle.

"They must have a new kind of automobile in Berlin, George, and it has such a queer name."

"What is it, my dear?"

"'Huff.' The paper says Dr. Leyds left Berlin "in a huff.' It's awfully hard to keep track of all these new vehicles."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Couldn't Suit Both.

Mrs. Spinks—Yes, I wish to hire a servant girl. Do you like dogs?

Applicant—No, mum.

Mrs. Spinks—Then you won't do.

Applicant—Please, mum, when I told Mr. Spinks I hated dogs and ud like to kill them every one he said I'd just suit.—New York Weekly.

Her Love For the Poor.

"Do you work for the poor?" asked the philanthropist.

"Oh, yes, indeed; indefatigably," replied the society bud, with enthusiasm. "Why, I make it a point to go to every charity ball that is given."—Chicago Post.

A Proposition.

Employer—You want a job as fireman, do you? Do you know your business?

Applicant—Well, boss, if I can't fire your furnace, you can fire me.—Detroit Free Press.

Then She Asks, "What's Trumps?"

When a woman has on her best suit and is experiencing thrills in a contest at cards, she thinks to herself: "This is life. At last I am living."—Atchison Globe.

On the Top Shelf.

"Those twin daughters of Editor Swipe are becoming rather passe."

"Yes; first editions, out of print, as it were."—Philadelphia North American.

His Guess at It.

Mrs. Stubb (reading)—John, who are the Coldstream guards?

Mr. Smith—I guess they must be firemen.—Chicago News.

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M. and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M. 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturdays.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 [illegible] r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

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Boston, March 16.—"Divine Healer" Francis Truth was lodged in Charles street jail last night, a prisoner of the federal authorities, charged with fraudulent use of the mails by which, it is alleged, he has enjoyed an income of about $30,000 a month recently.

According to Mr. Truth's own statements he has been following in the footsteps of the Saviour, and feels that he is possessed of some God-given power which enables him to heal the diseased and the maimed. He also says he is doing no more or no less than the Christian Scientists are.

For some weeks he and his methods have been closely investigated by Chief Inspector Evans of the postoffice department and Chief Inspector Watts of the police department.

The arrest of Truth was made by a clever piece of detective work. Postoffice Inspector Evans, in the guise of a man on crutches, was assisted into the house by Deputy Waters, the latter appearing to be the nephew of the former. They announced that the visit was to secure treatment for "Uncle George" (Evans), and Truth responded and accepted a $2 fee, in return making numerous passes over "Uncle George's" supposed game leg. Then followed massage of the members and finally Truth told "Uncle George" to come again. Deputy Waters then offered to give treatment, to which offer Truth expressed indignation, whereupon the deputy quickly put bracelets on Truth's wrists and read the warrant.

While this was going on "Uncle George" had hustled to the door and admitted the inspectors. Each officer took his stand in front of the door leading into the main hall to see that no one escaped, and then the commotion began.

In three rooms just across the hall there were 40 girls at work. In the first room, fitted with a long table divided into sections like the operating table in a telegraph office, sat 24 girls, all at work sorting the letters received and answering and copying the name, address and disease of each writter upon a card which fitted into a cataloging drawer arranged alphabetically. There were hundreds of these letters upon the table. In the next room was a wrapping machine. In the front room sat Mrs. Truth's sister, opening letters and registering the name of the sender with the amount inclosed upon the cashbook. Below her in the room were 16 girls.

As soon as the girls recognized the police there was great excitement, hysterical crying and not a few screeches. But all were quieted, and after their names had been taken they were permitted to depart.

The inspectors stripped the three rooms where the girls were employed. Thousands of letters from patients were removed. They were written from little towns all over New England, in northern New York, and even as far west as Cleveland and Chicago. The greater part of them came from small places. The writers complained of nearly every known chronic disease.

It is claimed by Chief Watts that Truth's business has brought him in $30,000 a week recently. Truth has advertised in about 30 papers in New England and the middle Atlantic states, using such mediums as had a home circulation. Then he has been circulating his monthly, full of common-place advice with scriptural texts.

Aspires to Senatorial Toga.

Washington, March 16.—Representative Bailey of Texas has left for Texas to begin an extended canvass in support of his candidacy for the United States senate to succeed Senator Chilton, who will be a candidate for re-election. Aside from state issues, he will make the present national issues and other general questions features of his canvass.

Ten Thousand Witnessed Execution.

Norfolk, March 16.—Robert Fortune and John Taylor, negroes, were hanged at Nashville, N. C., yesterday, for the murder of Robert Hester, a white farmer. So great was the demand to see the double execution that the Nash county board of commissioners made the hanging public. It is estimated that 10,000 persons saw the execution.

Said Nothing Against Labor Unions.

Washington, March 16.—Brigadier General Merriam, who was in command of the troops at Wardner, Ida., during the miners' troubles in that state, denies reports that he had ever made any recommendations to the president on the subject of labor unions.
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NEW ENGLAND POLITICS.

State Ticket Nominated by Rhode Island Democrats and New Hampshire Prohibitionists.

Providence, March 16.—The state convention of Rhode Island Democrats opened yesterday at Music hall with considerable uncertainty prevailing as to the selection of national delegates. The general state ticket was cut and dried and went through without opposition, but the fight was on the selection of representatives to the Democratic national convention. The hottest fight was between Mayor Greene of Woonsocket and former Senator Comstock of Providence for delegate to the national convention. Green won after a long wrangle, during which much factional ill-feeling developed.

The platform declared against the annexation of any people to the United States against their will, and against trusts. It reaffirmed the principles of the Chicago platform, and favored the election of United States senators directly by the people.

It declared that a state constitutional convention should be held at the earliest day possible, and that the new constitution provide a just representation of the people in both branches of the legislature and change in the suffrage laws. Inequality of taxation is condemned.

The ticket for general officers nominated was as follows: Governor, Nathan W. Littlefield of Pawtucket; lieutenant governor, Joseph H. Bucher of Woonsocket; secretary of state, Clarke Potter of North Kingston; general treasurer, Fayette Bartlett of Burrillville; attorney general, Dennis J. Holland of Providence.

New Hampshire Prohibitionists.

Concord, N. H., March 16.—At the Prohibition state convention yesterday resolutions were adopted commending Mayor Martin for closing the saloons in Concord, and asking Governor Rollins to investigate the conduct of the police commissioners of the state, and to direct the attorney general to secure the enforcement of the prohibitory law. Josiah M. Fletcher of Nashua was nominated for governor.

State Convention on April 26.

Boston, March 16.—The Republican state committee has decided to hold the state convention to elect delegates to the national convention in Boston April 26, the caucuses to be held April 17 and 18. Congressman Gillett of Springfield will be the permanent chairman of the convention. Hosea M. Knowlton was selected as chairman of the committee on resolutions, and Eben S. Draper of Hopedale, David T. Dickinson of Cambridge and James R. Dunbar of Brookline, the other members. The representation in the convention will be 1892.

Doctor Charged With Malpractice.

Malden, Mass., March 16.—Dr. Henry E. Taylor was arrested yesterday on a charge of malpractice. An operation is alleged to have been performed last Friday on Mrs. Ethel L. Pike. When two doctors were called yesterday the patient was too far gone to respond to treatment and she died at 4 o'clock. The woman was 21 years of age, and leaves a husband and a child, 14 months old. It is said that Mr. Pike did not know of his wife's condition. Dr. Taylor is 76 years old. Bail was refused.

Not Popular in New England.

Boston, March 16.—The Globe today contains a comprehensive and carefully prepared article on the effect the new financial bill, in that part permitting the forming of national banks with $25,000 capital, will have in the New England states. Interviews with bankers and business men at all the trade centers in this section, The Globe says, indicate that in no instance is there reported an application for a new bank charter.

Officers' Places Declared Vacant.

Lowell, Mass., March 16.—The Weavers' union held a stormy meeting last night, which culminated in the president, financial secretary and several members quitting the hall, the places of the officers were declared vacant and a successor was elected to the secretaryship. The president claims that the trouble arose over his refusal to allow a person not a member to vote for delegates to the national convention.

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ACROSS THE ORANGE.

Gatacre Drives the Boers Out of Bethulie and Then Occupies the Town.

Feeling In London That the Worst Is Now Over.

Secretary Reitz Writes of Alleged Discrepancies In Lord Salisbury's Argument.

London, March 16.—General Gatacre has at last succeeded in crossing the Orange river. He occupied Bethulie after driving out the Boers.

After he and General Clements effected a junction they were apparently able to overcome the opposition of the Boer forces which have made such a desperate stand in northern Cape Colony for many weeks.

The war office last night received the following from Lord Roberts:

"Bloemfontein, Thursday, March 15, 7:55 p. m.—General Gatacre crossed the Orange River and occupied Bethulie this morning.

"General Pole-Carew, wth 2000 men of the Guards' brigade, two guns and a small body of mounted infantry, left here in three trains this morning to join hands with General Gatacre and General Clements. He had passed Bethany by 4:40 p. m., without meeting opposition, having been able to supply from his troops engine drivers, firemen, fitters, moulders, smiths, carpenters, etc., [illegible]."

Events are moving in the South African campaign in a speedy and satisfactory manner, from both the military and political points of view. It could hardly have been expected by the most sanguine Englishmen that they would take a turn so favorable.

By the time Lord Roberts reaches the Vaal river he will command some 80,000 men, while General Buller will have 40,000. From the military point of view the critics now think there is nothing to fear.

State Secretary Reitz's refutation of Lord Salisbury's argument in the reply to the Bloemfontein joint note was issued at Pretoria on Wednesday. Mr. Reitz says:

"The British government, after the Bloemfontein conference, endeavored to enforce by threats certain changes in the internal government of the Transvaal republic, contrary to the London convention. They also imported troops in great numbers and broke off negotiations with a threat to take their own means to remove the grievances of their subjects.

"After waiting a fortnight, while an army corps was prepared and the reserves were being called out by the British, President Steyn asked the reason of these proceedings. Sir Alfred Milner refused to reply.

"Meanwhile Mr. Chamberlain, in his speeches, showed the world that England had decided on war. Accordingly, the Transvaal government addressed to the British government a demand for the withdrawal of their troops, as otherwise it would accept the presence of the troops as a declaration of war. This was not necessarily intended as a message of war."

Concerning the armaments, Mr. Reitz says: "These were bought openly in England and in Europe, and the high commissioner boasted full knowledge of them at the Bloemfontein conference, and also full descriptions of these armaments were found among the officers' papers at Dundee.

"Both the armament and the ultimatum were protective measures, subsequent to the raid and to the discovery, through concealed cables, that British cabinet ministers were implicated in the attempt to filch away the independence of the republics. Now all doubt is removed by Lord Salisbury's telegram. The burghers must fight for their national existence, trusting that God will defend the right."

The Pretoria correspondent of The Daily Mail, telegraphing Wednesday, says: "Mr. Reitz's statement has been published throughout the republic, but will not be forwarded to Lord Salisbury. Conversations I have had with the highest state officers show that the republic was prepared to grant substantial reforms and concessions, until the receipt of Lord Salisbury's telegram. As one of the highest statesmen remarked: 'Better half an egg than none, but better none than a rotten egg.'"

Lord Methuen, speaking at Kimberley yesterday, said: "Although some of the enemy's men were guilty of dastardly tricks, we must remember that their army is not organized with the same discipline as our own. I never wish to meet a braver general than Cronje, and never served in a war where there was less vindictive feeling between the two armies than in this one."

The Maine's Dead Honored.

Key West, Fla., March 16.—The unveiling of the monument dedicated by the citizens of Key West to the heroes of the battleship Maine, who died in Havana, Feb. 15, 1898, and were buried here, took place yesterday. Over 10,000 persons were present and viewed the procession, which proceeded to the cemetery. After the unveiling ceremonies hundreds of school children covered the graves with wreaths and flowers.

Editor Under $11,000 Bail.

New York, March 16.—Charles T. Davis, editor of The Wall Street Review, indicted with five others in the Brooklyn Rapid Transit alleged conspiracy, was released on $11,000 bail yesterday. There are two indictments against him for spreading false rumors, and a third indictment for conspiracy. Davis has been in the tombs a week.

Another Brazilian Revolution.

London, March 16.—According to a dispatch to The Times from Buenos Ayres a revolution has broken out in Entre [illegible] and the insurgents have occupied three of the principal towns of the province, Rios.

Dispensed No Taffy For Kaiser.

Berlin, March 16.—An unpleasant impression has been caused here by the speech of Captain Maltcheff of the Russian embassy at the launching of the Russian warship Askold yesterday. His remarks contained no allusion to Emperor William, who was present, beyond a reference to the fact that his majesty is a Russian admiral. The Berlin morning papers give very meager accounts of the launching.

Plague's Ravages at Honolulu.

Washington, March 16.—Surgeon General Sternberg has received a report from Major B. D. Taylor, surgeon in charge of the military hospital at Honolulu, under date of March 1, showing that since his last report of Feb. 24 there have been two new cases of plague, both of which resulted fatally, making in all 64 cases, with 55 deaths, a percentage of mortality of 85.93.

Knickerbocker Ice Sells Out.

Augusta, Me., March 16.—The report that the American Ice company had bought out the Knickerbocker company is confirmed. The price paid was $10,000,000. The Knickerbocker company controlled the bulk of the retail output of natural ice in Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

A Police Board Proviso.

New York, March 16.—The police board held a meeting yesterday and as a result orders were issued to the police captains to suspend any further action against hotels and cafes where music is used where there is reason to believe the places are not violating the law in other respects.

Punches Didn't Hurt the Sailor.

Hartford, March 16.—Tom Sharkey knocked Texas Jim McCormick out after 38 seconds of fighting in the Coliseum last night. A left to the body and a right uppercut sent McCormick down and out. He landed two hard punches full in Sharkey's face, but the latter did not mind the blows.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	23	40	40	60	51
Monday,	23	34	63	60	49
Tuesday,	35	35	49	65	37
Wednesday,	45	39	37	53	35
Thursday,	44	34	36	40	37
Friday,	51	44	42	50	26
Saturday,	—	53	28	56	31

New Advertisements Today.

Hearing—State House.

Good Afternoon.

Mississippi has a Patrick Henry in the House, but his name is his only resemblance to Virginia's give-me-liberty or give-me-death Patrick.

President McKinley is allowing the other fellow to do most of the talking these days, but he never fails to act in the right way and at the right time.

The prediction of Thursday, that New England was to have a heavy snow that night, almost frightened our people, but this morning they were more disgusted than if snow bound.

As usual, those Democrats who thought the Porto Rico question could be utilized to make trouble in the Republican party are up against the jagged rocks of disappointment.

About time for somebody to arise and remark that Quincy and vicinity are getting too much rain. The springs are full and it matters little now whether the Water department reservoir at Braintree is full or not.

Is this Cochato club weather? It is the opening night for the grand new clubhouse at Braintree, and would seem that Old Prob manufactured an appropriate day, however inappropriate it may seem to those who care more for the pleasure of the day than past history. According to Indian tradition, Cochato means "a dashing brook," or "a wild dashing stream." We should think it had overflowed its banks. However fair weather is predicted for tonight, and the fair will venture out.

It should not take Mayor Hall long to decide who shall be the successor of Commissioner Knowlton, in case that official resigns. Mr. Knowlton's acceptance of the Porto Rico offer was conditional, and he has not yet resigned, but it looks as if Quincy must lose this valuable official, who has been the right man in the right place. Previous to the appointment of Commissioner of Public Works by Mayor Hall this year, opinion was divided between Mr. Knowlton and Mr. W. Walter Ewell, both ex-Commissioners, and the friends of one were the friends of the other, so that many did not know their own preference. Therefore, should Mr. Knowlton resign, Mr. Ewell would seem the logical candidate.

Mr. Ewell is not only an ex-Commissioner but an ex-Superintendent of the Water department, and during 1899 built roads for the State Highway Commission. His work as commissioner and superintendent was in every way satisfactory and economical, but the political changes at City Hall lead to the appointment of Democrats. When Mr. Ewell was commissioner his appropriation for general repairs of streets was but $14,000, against $22,000 and a lift of $5,000 from the Sewer Commissioners last year; further he did not have so many large appropriations for special work to help him out as last year, but in no year were there greater improvements in our streets, generally, than under Commissioner Ewell. Mr. Ewell is a Quincy born man, the owner of considerable real estate here, and interested in the city, and it would seem unnecessary to look further for a Commissioner.

At the same time a great many hope that Commissioner Knowlton may yet be induced to remain, and a pressure is being brought to convince him that it is his duty and will be for his benefit.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Gov. Roosevelt says that he is satisfied with having done his duty as he sees it, and disclaims any ambition to be president, now or later; but if the country reaches a point where his services are deemed indispensable, it will make a demand on him which he cannot ignore.—Minneapolis Tribune.

☞ If England insists upon wiping out the two brave republics, then she will stand before the world in the attitude of making a war for conquest. She cannot pretend that the people of those republics will be any better off under a foreign British government than under their own administration. If it were possible for our government to meditate upon the basis of the recognition of the independence of the republics thenit would be a glorious thing for us to do. But it is highly improbable that England will consent to anything of the sort and it is more likely that it will be a fight to the finish, as the Boers say it will be if England insists upon destroying their nationality.—Fitchburg Sentinel.

☞ Now that Hon. Frank Jones, who for so many years has been the buttress and the bulwark of the Democratic party in New Hampshire, has left it and gone over to the Republicans, one more must be added to the great wonders of the world. It means, of course the inevitable decay of the Democratic party in New Hampshire; but it is to be hoped that the Republican managers up there will not so far lose their heads as to think that the Hon. Frank must perforce be given the head of the political table and the first pick of the whitemeat. There has been too much of this sort of foolishness over converts of prominence and cash, not alone in New Hampshire but in many other states. Don't crowd back old and tried and true Republicans just to make room for newcomers, is a position both safe and decent. The opposite of it is not.—Milford Journal.

☞ Gerald Stanley Lee and Robert Buchanan have been discussing the question whether the contents of the newspapers can be considered literature. We think the true answer depends somewhat on the definition of the word "literature," but that the discussion is of no practical use except as a means of sharpening the wits of the debaters. A city directory is assuredly not literature, but it serves a useful purpose. And while a newspaper may nearer approach literature than the directory approaches it, if the newspaper work is done honestly and with a desire to accomplish the best that can be accomplished within its limitation, it makes little difference whether it is literature or not. Newspapers are perforce, the creations of a day. The newspaper of today has taken the place of the newspaper of yesterday, and this in turn must give way for the newspaper of tomorow. The newspaper has also a definite purpose—to give the news and to explain it with comment. In the restricted sense of the word this is not literature. But in its place it is useful, and that is the sufficient test of its right to existence. —New Bedford Standard.

Candle Pin Bowling.

At Merrymount Club Wollaston, great interest is being taken in the Candle pin tournament now going on. Eight teams of five men each are taking part. Teams D. and E. rolled last night, E team winning two out of three.

The club has seventy five members with a limit of one hundred.

The score :

TEAM D.			
Freeman,	79	65	76
Stanley,	77	79	75
Glover,	67	63	68
Lyman,	76	81	78
Jameson,	52	73	56
	351	361	353
TEAM E.			
Fairbanks,	84	94	81
Pinkham,	64	83	53
Parker,	67	79	83
Casey,	63	76	75
Penniman,	65	65	65
	343	397	363

Real Estate Notes.

The old Murdock factory at Quincy Neck has been sold to a gentleman from Maine who contemplates starting a last factory.

It is understood that the Eastern Ship Building Co. have bought land at New London, Conn., and are to start a business employing 2,000 men. A shrewd guesser says that Quincy might have had this industry if some persons had been willing to sell their land with water front.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 14, 1900.

THE Committee on Water Supply will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of Edgar R. Champlin, Mayor of the City of Cambridge, for legislation relative to the compensation of agents of the State Board of Health, employed and protecting the purity of sources of water supply, at room No. 429, State House, on MONDAY, March 19th, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

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TO MEET TONIGHT.

A Settlement of Granite Trouble Hoped For.

A Proposition Expected from the Manufacturers.

Minimum or Average Still a Great Sticker.

A meeting of the two committees representing the Granite Manufacturers' Association and the Cutters Union will be held tonight. Everybody hopes that some agreement will be arrived at, so that work will be resumed in Quincy next week.

One of the matters that will be discussed, will doubtless be the resolution adopted at the meeting of the New England Conference Committee on Wednesday, copies of which have probably been received by the Quincy manufacturers before this.

The Quincy manufacturers, as a whole, have no orders on hand, for the simple reason that they have all along refused work that could not be completed by March 1, as they had no way of knowing what the price would be after that date. It was long ago decided that the business could not stand the increase demanded by the cutters.

Quincy cutters are very much opposed to agreeing to an average price, and the chances are that they will not agree to any settlement where the price agreed at is an average price. It doesn't make any difference if Barre has settled an average, the Quincy cutters want a minimum price.

Republican Convention.

The Republican State convention for the selection of candidate for delegates to the National convention will be held in Music hall, Boston, April 26, and caucuses must be held throughout the State either April 17 or 18.

While the convention will be smaller than last year, each of the wards of Quincy will have the same number of delegates as last year a total of 21. Norfolk county will have 115 a loss of 15. Boston will lose 52. The apportionment is the same as last fall.

The Hon. Frederick H. Gillett of Springfield was chosen by the state committee Thursday to preside over the convention, and Atty-Gen. Hosea M. Knowlton of New Bedford was selected as the chairman of the committee on resolutions. Associated with Mr. Knowlton upon this important committee as members-at-large wil be the Hon. Eben S. Draper of Hopedale, ex-Mayor David I. Robinson of Gloucester ex-Judge James R. Dunbar of Brookline and David T. Dickinson of Cambridge.

M. Y. R. A. Races.

The annual meeting of the Massachusetts Yacht Racing Association was held Thursday night, the present officers being reelected. All of the amendments except the one about "water of reasonable depth" for races were adopted.

The amendment which permits special entries to any club's open race practically permits the Quincy club boats to sail in association races, but does not allow them to have their percentages count for the association championship.

The assignment of dates for open races was made as follow:

May 30, Winthrop Yacht Club.
June 18, Hull-Massachusetts Yacht Club.
July 2, Mosquito Fleet Yacht Club.
July 3, Columbia Yacht Club.
July 4, City of Boston celebration.
July 13, Nahant Yacht Club.
August 6 and 7, Manchester Yacht Club.
August 14, American Yacht Club.
Aug. 16, 17 and 18, Annisquam.
August 20, East Gloucester Yacht Club.
August 23, Plymouth Yacht Club.
August 24, Kingston Yacht Club.
August 27, Cape Cod Yacht Club.
August 30, Winthrop Yacht Club.
September 1, Nahant Dory Club.
September 3, Lynn Yacht Club.

At A Premium.

City Treasurer Gray has sold the $40-000 school bonds, bearing 4 per cent interest, to George A Fernald & Co., for $101.566. The bids were remarkably close as will be seen by these figures:

W. J. Hayes & Sons,	101.055
Denison, Prior & Co.,	101.07
Blake Bros. & Co.,	101.275
E. H. Rollins & Sons,	101.277
Vermilye & Co.,	101.39
Brown, Wilbar & Co.,	101.366
C. S. Cummings & Co.,	101.39
Jose, Parker & Co.,	101.469
Adams & Co.,	101.522
Estabrook & Co.,	101.53
R. S. Day & Co.,	101.537
Blodgett, Merritt & Co.,	101.56
Geo. A. Fernald & Co.,	101.566

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This Entire Stock must be sold out within the next 30 days. Goods will be sold at one-half the cost. Stock consists of General line of Dry and Fancy Goods, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, Smallwares, Notions, etc. The basement is full of Kitchen Furnishings. Dinner and Tea Sets, China and Glassware, Tin, Agate and Woodenware. The assignee has carried on this business for a year at a great loss. Everything must be closed out. Store Fixtures, etc., etc. Do your trading in the forenoon and avoid the crowds. There are over Fifty Thousand different articles in the store. Time and space will not permit us to enumerate.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

No school today.

Probably the inland towns are getting that heavy snow.

Mr. John Kelliher of Old Colony street is very ill.

Elbert Hubbard, of Roycrofter fame, is expected in Quincy today.

The public schools will have a vacation from March 30 to April 16.

George Briggs of Appleton street is in New York on a business trip.

Ex-Commissioner of Public Works John T. Cavanagh has arrived home from his visit to Cuba.

The no-school signal sounded at 7.30 this morning. Many of the school boys turned out to the fire however.

A letter from William A. McCabe, a soldier boy in the Philippines under date of Jan. 19, will appear in Saturday's Ledger.

Rogers Bros. succeeded in cutting about 200 tons of ice this week. It was their last chance, and they improved the opportunity.

The Committee on Streets will have representatives of the Quincy & Boston street railway and Andrew A. Meyers before them tonight.

"The Flying Roll or the Newspaper" will be Rev. Edward Norton's Subject at Quincy Point, Sunday morning; suggested by the Sheldon edition of the Topeka Daily Capital.

The alarm from Box 26 at 7.50 this morning was for a fire in the chimney at Jas. T. Penniman's heel manufactory on Savil street. The fire was extinguished by hand chemicals with no loss.

Report has it that the Quincy Commercial Granite Co. has been organized under the laws of New Jersey, and that John Smithin is the present president of the company. This company is what has been known as the quarry syndicate.

Most every man who is brought into court for drunkenness has the same tale of woe to tell, "I have the promise of a job to go to work tomorrow, and if given a little time can pay my fine." Sometimes they get time and sometimes the court let them do time.

Mr. and Mrs. Channing Evans of East Milton are visiting at their uncle's home on South street during this week. Mr. Evans is slowly recovering from injuries received in an accident caused by an explosion.

A train of twenty-five cars of ice for the Meadow Brook Ice Co. arrived Thursday afternoon at Quincy Adams. The cars were put on a siding near Swingle & Falconers. A run had been built from the track to their houses and the ice was unloaded with surprising activity. The company do not intend that their customers shall want for good ice next summer if they were unable to cut any on their pond.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. E. J. MURPHY,
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G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

An Atlantic young woman, who teaches school in Quincy, relates a remark of a child of the first grade, occasioned by a discussion on cat-o'-nine-tails. "Well," said the teacher, smiling upon the infant faces before her, "who can tell me what the meaning of the cat-o'-nine-tails is?" A little boy, snugly seated in a corner, raised his hand, and when called on, rose to his feet proudly, and said with assurance: "A cat-o'nine-tail, is the thing that wags on the back of a cat."

WEYMOUTH.

The Parish Guild of Trinity church held a large meeting Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. E. F. Parlee, on Norfolk Hill, East Braintree. Important business was transacted, and preparations were begun for Easter.

Next Sunday evening at 7.30, Rev. Henry M. Saville, the rector of St. Marks church, Dorchester, will preach in Trinity church, Weymouth. Rev. William Hyde will preach in the morning, but in the evening he will exchange with Rev. Mr. Saville and preach at St. Mark's, Dorchester.

Flanders & Phelps have filed a petition in bankruptcy.

Real Estate Sales.

Robert McIntyre to William C. Beale, $1.
William C. Beale to Sophia B. McIntyre, $1.
Winfield S. Spindle to Noyes N. Learnard, $1.
Noyes N. Learnard to Janet Spindle, $1.
Hannah M. Kingston to Frank A. Tilton, $1.
Granite Railway Co., to Susie M. Harper, $2,000.
Richard Barry to Johanna Barry, $1,000.
Calvin W. Smith to Lysander W. Nash, $1.
Winthrop H. Chick to Elizabeth M. Faulhaber, $1.
Charles W. Perkins, et al ux, to Arthur H. Hale, $1.
Henry H. Savage et al trs., to Hattie H. Walker, $1.
John Ramsdell to Mary E. Norfolk, $1.
Alfred Shaw to Josiah P. Quincy, $1.
Arthur C. Gardner to John H. Hoban, $1.

TODAY'S COURT.

James Sullivan was fined $7 for drunkenness, at Braintree, and he was given until March 26 to raise his fine.

James F. Donovan was fined $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

The continued case of Vincent Myett for assault on Isabelle Myett at Quincy was called. Case placed on probation until April 16.

Clement Patriarcce was arraigned for the illegal sale of liquor at Quincy. Case continued until Monday for a hearing.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the Civil session of the District court next Tuesday.

191—Blanchard vs. Belcher.
271—Wallace vs. Kinnier & tr.
307—Hunt pet. vs, Buttimer respdt.
308—Hanson vs. Buttimer.
392—Owen vs. Buttimer.
310—Srosher vs. Buttimer.
7—Mt. Wollaston Bank vs. Cavanagh.
63—Humphrey et al vs. Flanders et al.
64—Quincy Electric Light & Power Co. vs. Brasee.

MARRIED.

KENNEDY—TRIPP—In Dartmouth, March 4, by Rev. H. F. Reynolds, Mr. Charles F. Kennedy of Quincy to Miss Mercy May Tripp of Dartmouth.

MATHIESON—McKAIG—In Quincy, March 14, by Rev. George H. Watt, Mr. John Mathieson to Miss Mary McKaig, both of Quincy.

DIED.

SMITH—In Norfolk Downs, March 14, Harland Roy, son of Mr. Horace and Mrs. Hattie Smith, aged 4 years, 10 months and 8 days.

BLANCHARD—In Norfolk Downs, March 14, Benjamin Louis, son of Mr. Benjamin B. and Mrs. Elizabeth Blanchard, aged 3 years, 7 months and 29 days.

SAMPSON—In Wollaston, March 13, Danna Oscar, son of Mr. Nahum and Mrs. Elnora Sampson, aged 26 days.

CLAPP—In Neponset, March 15, Capt. George Clapp, aged 90 years.

HATCH—In North Marshfield, March 13, Mrs. Angelina, wife of Mr. Marcellus Hatch, aged 57 years.

BRIGGS—In Neponset, Mar. 14, Mrs. Adeline, wife of Mr. Luther Briggs, aged 79 years and 6 months.

DENNETT—In Belmont, March 14, Mr. W. Walter Dennett, formerly of Braintree, aged 53 years, 10 months and 14 days.

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This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents

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Quincy, Jan. 31. tf

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Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

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Quincy, March 12. tf

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And be convinced that this is the place to get Bargains.

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Spring will soon be here. Get your clothes ready now.
Don't you like the color of them, or are they faded? Have them dyed.
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March 14. tf

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Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,

A READER

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

ABIGAIL N. CHAMBERLIN,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John Chamberlin of Quincy, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of March, A. D., 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

March 9-3t 9-16-19

MILTON.

John Bryden, Jr., and Thomas Hislop have gone into the fish business.

Mrs. Frank Kemp is sick with the prevailing ailment, grip.

Eugene Gray has moved from Bryant avenue to Williard street.

Joseph Davidson has purchased the Staples house on Sheldon street.

O. A. Flanders has moved his office building to Grafton avenue, and rumor says he is to turn it into a bowling alley.

Friends of Maurice Duffy, one of the defeated candidates for Selectmen petitioned for a recount of the votes of the recent March meeting. The recount was held Wednesday, but the only change was that Simpson and Cabot each gained one vote.

The mid-winter picnic at the Congegational church, Wednesday evening, drew a large audience. A general good time was enjoyed.

Ladies' night at the Unquity club next Wednesday evening.

The Oakland club of Mattapan played a match game of whist with the Thursday Evening club at East Milton this week Thursday.

The Belcher branch of the Milton Woman's club met with Mrs. Edwin Wheeler Tuesday evening, and enjoyed Scotch readings and music.

The Republican caucus to nominate delegates to the Fourth District Representative convention to nominate a candidate to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George R. R. Rivers, will be held next Tuesday evening, and the Democratic caucus will be held next Wednesday evening. Hiram Tuell and J. Walter Bradlee are mentioned by the Republicans, and Mr. Hemingway by the Democrats, as possible candidates.

A meeting in the interest of the Anti-Imperalist club was held last Saturday.

Capt. Orin Bates of Hose 2, is confined to his home with the grip.

The alarms of fire from Boxes 42 and 27, Monday, were for chimney fires, and the alarm Wednesday from Box 62 was for a fire on the roof of Malcolm Forbes' house. But little damage was done.

Basket Ball.

Two games of basket ball were played at Hancock hall, Wednesday night, the local teams coming out second best in both. The first game was between the Quincys and the Weymouth High school, and was won by the latter, by a score of 15 to 4. The second game was between the Quincy Adams and Braintree teams, and was won by Braintree by a score of 7 to 4.

Arrangements are being made for a series of basket ball games for the championship of Quincy, to be played at an early date. A permanent silver cup has been provided as a championship trophy, which will be placed on exhibition at Linscott's jewelry store in a few days. This should act as a stimulus to the local clubs, and some good games should result.

—Winchester has a bitter factional school fight, the town having voted to cut down the school appropriation to $3,000; that the kindergarten, sloyd, cooking and sewing classes be abolished, and no children under 5 years be taught at the town's expense.

—It never requires any effort to make a toper "draw in his horns."

TRY GRAIN-O! TRY GRAIN-O!

Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adults. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. 1-4 the price of coffee. 15c. and 25 cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

Savings Bank Building, Quincy.

A NEW WRINKLE IN WARFARE.

British Army Will Experiment With Bullet Proof Shields For Sharpshooters.

BY ANDREW DOWNS.

The British war office is to make a novel experiment. Part of the army in South Africa is to be equipped with bullet proof shields. It is expected that with this protection a successful frontal attack can be made on intrenched infantry.

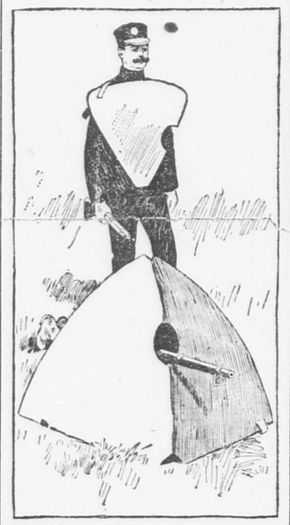
The idea is not a new one, but it has never been tried in modern battles. The warriors of old, you know, carried shields, but those old heroes were not called upon to face bullets. They encountered nothing worse than showers of arrows, and it was chiefly in hand to hand encounters with sword armed enemies that the shields were useful.

The idea of a bullet proof shield is originally an American one. An American priest named Zeigler was the first to devise such an instrument. He invented a shield guaranteed to resist the fire of any modern rifle. He presented his invention to the United States government and it satisfactorily met and passed all the tests. It was regarded as impractical, however, because of its immense weight. It was said that rapid movements in the field were impossible to soldiers weighed down by the shields.

The material used in their manufacture was a composition, the formula for which was, of course, a secret. It was believed, however, that marble dust entered very largely into its manufacture.

The new English shield is said to be similarly constructed except that it has solved the problem of weight. In aiming at lightness, impenetrability was sacrificed at first, but gradually the two requisites were secured to the greatest advantage.

The penetrative power of a modern bullet was illustrated at some experiments carried out at Edinburgh not long ago. On that occasion a plate of



TWO WAYS OF USING THE BULLET SHIELD.

metal, such as was used in the construction of Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht, the Shamrock, was cleanly pierced by a Lee-Metford bullet at a range of 100 yards. The metal was three-sixteenths of an inch thick, a foot square and four and a half pounds in weight.

These facts will help to an appreciation of the difficulty that inventors have had to contend with—to discover a metal at once light, but impervious at, say, 300 or 400 yards.

The new mantlet for the protection of soldiers in the field is called the "sharpshooter." The "sharpshooter" is said to be impervious to Mauser or Lee-Metford bullets at 400 yards and to light machine gun fire at 700 yards.

It weighs 13 pounds and cannot be overturned by the impact of any number of bullets. It is divided into two parts, hinged together, each weighing six and a half pounds, which can be made interchangeable. It is intended for the use of marksmen only, not more than from 5 to 10 per cent of the infantry.

If the shield proves practical, another theory of modern warfare must be revised. It has been considered proper tactics to withhold frontal attacks on intrenched troops until the enemy's batteries had been silenced and his strength shaken by artillery fire. This made the prelude to every properly conducted assault a fierce artillery duel.

These tactics the British ignored in their earlier attacks on the Boer positions. They paid a terrible price for their experience as a result. All they learned, too, was that the principle laid down by the tacticians was true.

In the later battles, which have resulted in British successes, frontal attacks have not been made until the enemy has been routed by heavy artillery fire or they have been abandoned entirely in favor of flanking movements.

But the bullet proof shield puts a new face on the conditions. If sharpshooters can be sent within good rifle range and can carry an artificial cover with them, the intrenched enemy loses his advantage. This would result in a new kind of battle, probably a duel between sharpshooters. So the experiment of equipping Tommy Atkins with a shield will be watched with much interest.

THEY LIKE THE COLD.

Animals That Hail Snowy Winter Time With Great Joy.

When the grip of frost tightens on the land and turns the soppy garden beds and clayey plow lands to iron, tender hearts are sorry for the song birds whose delicate beaks cannot pierce the frozen soil. And many imagine that all wild creatures feel the bitter cold and suffer alike.

But this is a mistake. For many of the furred, and some even of the feathered, tribes the frost and snow have no terrors. The hawks grow fat in snow time. The kestral finds the snow a capital background against which to view the small fry he feeds on, while the sparrow hawk soars over the clumps of underbrush, watching for the sparrows as they slip in and out of shelter. All the weasel tribe rejoice.

To none more than to the domestic pussy does the cold bring joy. It is her game season. Wild birds of many sorts, in the summer shy inhabitants of the woodlands, swarm into suburban gardens and prove easier prey than the sparrow.

Dogs revel in the clear, bright days of frost. Even short coated fox terriers never seem to feel the cold, but scamper madly over the stiff grass, and St. Bernards lose their summer sleepiness and roll delightedly in the powdery snow.

The short, dark winter days of Canada's great northwest hold no terrors for at least one creature. This is the wolverene, an ugly, bearlike beast, hated and feared by all the trappers. Unseen himself, he follows the hunters and watches them as they set their traps, which they do in a long line extending sometimes as much as 30 miles through the dense evergreen forest. These he visits before the gray winter dawn has broken and takes away the bait, himself far too cunning to risk capture. Or, if the trap already holds a captive mink or ermine, this, too, he tears away and devours at a safe distance. Many are the stories told of this, the greediest, most powerful and suspicious creature of its size known.

In the far north of the same vast solitudes the musk ox lives and flourishes all the year around. Fifty below zero does not matter to this quaint animal with his immensely thick, furry coat. His sharp hoofs are suited to perfection for scraping away the deep snow and laying bare the thick lichen and moss below it. Nothing but warmth worries the little musk ox. Mere freezing point is to him a Turkish bath.

Another victim to warmth is the llama, yet it lives in latitudes which maps mark as tropical. It seeks a nice, cold place high on the windy tablelands of the Andes, and there proves itself of great value to the natives. Water and food do not seem to worry the llama, which carries its burden easily where even mules pant with distress in the thin atmosphere of the giant mountains. The camel of the mountains, as the llama is called, small as he is, will carry a load of 100 pounds.

Dozens of different creatures happily doze the winter away—bats and bears, dormice and many others. One of the least known, and yet most interesting of these, is the hamster. This little brute is the most savage and unsociable creature known. Each in a separate hole far underground, the hamster alternately sleeps on a couch of dry grass or wakes to stuff himself almost to bursting with the great store of corn and beans he has laid up in his winter larder. Winter is for him the season to rest and grow fat.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

One Against the Mean Man.

A capital joke is related of a man who positively made a fine art of meanness. When traveling, as he very often did, he would keep railway porters busily attending to his luggage, and then purposely defer the much deserved perquisite till the starting of the train made its payment practically impossible.

One morning, however, when about to journey to Birmingham, he executed this maneuver once too often on the same man.

"Dear; dear, I am so sorry!" he said, as the train gave a lurch forward. "I quite forgot to get change."

"And I'm rale sorry, too, sir," was the porter's dry retort. "I quite forgot about that brown portmantay of yours—it's lyin on the platform."—London Answers.

Unappreciated.

"Another thing," said the street railway advocate in a tone of protest, "a slight thing, perhaps, but it all goes to show how we are discriminated against and how little our philanthropy is appreciated."

"Your philanthropy!" echoed the critical citizen, as he gasped and clutched a railing.

"Yes, sir. You hire dog catchers and secure high salaried people to control their movements and see that stray canines are properly slain. It costs a lot of money. Now, our cars have hit and slaughtered countless stray dogs, for which service we have never collected a single penny. And yet we have never had so much as a vote of thanks from a citizens' association."—Washington Star.

No One Nigh.

Mother — I'm surprised at you! Couldn't you tell he was going to kiss you?

Daughter—Yes, ma, but there was no one for me to tell except him, and he knew it already.—Philadelphia Press.

Sufficient Reason.

Fannie—If you are so positive that Harry loves you, why, for goodness sake, don't you accept him and get married?

Jane—He won't ask me.—Detroit Free Press.

WOOD PANELING.

Its Beauties and Benefits — Pine Stained Green, Oak, Etc.

Paneling, whether it be of wood, plaster, stone or marble, is a handsome and sensible form of wall decoration which is growing in popular favor. The term paneling, however, is almost synonymous with wood paneling, owing probably to the fact that it is the most generally used, the other materials being costly and not so suitable for ordinary rooms.

Paneling with wood can be adapted with perfect success to the walls of small modern rooms, and the outlay need not be very much larger than that required for the purchase of the best wall paper, while the advantages are many.

Wood, in the first place, has the merit of keeping out the cold, and, from the decorative point of view, it has (if real, such as mahogany, walnut or oak) beauty of color and veining, coupled with a lasting effect.

The very simplest paneling is of pine, primed for painting or staining, and with this very good results may be obtained. For dining room walls, for instance, if stained green and polished, or stained oak and left unpolished, it is a sensible and becoming background.

This, again, looks equally well painted, especially white, and can be used in drawing room or hall, while a very effective way, at a still less cost, is to fix moldings upon the plaster above the skirting and treat both as wood.

The appearance is every bit as good if the work is skillfully done.

There are also veneers of real wood which may be used for the purpose, and these are made so thin as to allow of their being hung almost as readily as wall paper.

The solid wood paneling is, however, much more important in effect and is not so extravagant in price as is generally imagined. Oak fumigated and polished is, of course, costly, but one has the alternative of pine, which can be primed and stained.

As a setting for handsome curtains, portieres and wall draperies nothing can surpass the soft, rich tones of wood, and walls treated after this fashion become a lasting joy.

The First of the Spring Hats.

Show windows are bright with the earliest fancies of the milliners and the group depicted gives a very good idea of the styles. The most of these new hats turn up from the face.

No. 1 is a large hat of dark green straw, turning up sharply to one side,

GOOD STYLES IN NEW HATS.

garnished with small light green shaded leaves, while crumpled eau de nil taffeta bows appear beneath the brim and on one side of the crown.

No. 2. An old rose straw toque. Bows of straw appear in two shades of vieux rose, while a pale rose satin knot passes through a small buckle and forms the center to a bow of feathers.

No. 3. A hat of beige haircloth, the crown formed of a puffing of the beige lace, similar colored lace lines the brim. Plumes in a darker color.

No. 4. A pastel green straw chapeau trimmed with pastel blue mousseline plinee bows. The straw forms plaited bows on the one side.

Queen Victoria's Temporary Housekeeping.

The courier who looks after the comfort of Queen Victoria when she leaves her own home has given an account of what her majesty requires for her temporary abode. "The queen," he says, "must have a house of from 80 to 100 rooms. It must stand high—several hundred feet above the sea. It must not be in a town, and there must be extensive private grounds attached to it and good roads for driving in the neighborhood.

"There are certain things that always accompany the queen whenever she goes abroad. These include the queen's bed, her own favorite easy chair and footstool, a special table, all the plate, linen, glass and china that she requires, her carriage horses, donkey chair and donkey, harness and other accouterments, a wheel chair, sundry pictures and a small collection of framed photographs."

Bread Cake.

One pint of risen dough, a half cupful of butter, a coffee cup of sugar, three eggs, well beaten, a pound of stoned raisins carefully floured, a little nutmeg and sifted flour enough to make a proper cake consistency. Place in pans, let rise 15 minutes and bake in a slow oven.

A Neat Way to Serve Oranges.

Peel off the skin of the orange, leaving only a band round the middle about an inch wide. Divide the orange into sections, but let these remain connected by the band. The sections can be removed and eaten one by one without any discomfort.

Sweetest thing that can be seen
Is a baby, fresh and clean.
Dainty clothes and tender skin
Need pure soap to wash them in.
Nurse and mother must be sure
Baby's bath is sweet and pure.
Free from grease or alkalies;
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HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

Wesley Sargent is very ill with the grip.

The snow plows were out early this morning.

Miss Julia Moynihan is slowly convalescing from recent illness.

The alarm of fire this morning was the first alarm since March 4.

Mr. Meade, driver of Hose 4, is confined at his home with illness. Mr. Oliver takes his place.

Rev. Walter E. C. Smith, rector of St. Mary's church, Dorchester, will lecture at Christ church this evening.

How thankful the members of the Ladies' Aid Society at the Point are that this storm was postponed until Friday.

A signed communication in reply to "W. A. S." and "A. S. M." in the Daily Ledger, will appear in the Saturday issue.

H. H. Hill, prescription clerk at Hearn's drug store, was taken ill Thursday noon and had to be carried home. Grip is said to be the cause.

Umbrellas were of but little use in the high wind this morning. Quite a few were turned inside out, and in some cases the covering was entirely torn from the stick.

Mrs. Grey and daughter from Hingham and Miss Irma Skilton of Weymouth were present at the fair at the Washington Street Congregational Church Wednesday evening.

Miss Gertrude Sampson fell while passing from the church and severely sprained her ankle Tuesday evening. She was to have had charge of the grab bag at the fair. Miss Sampson is sorely missed because she showed so much kindness and patience with the children.

Children's Night.

In spite of the storm Thursday evening a larger number attended the fair at Quincy Point than on either previous evenings. The tables at 6.30 were laden with a bountiful supply and every one was satisfied. This night was children's night and the entertainment was furnished mostly by the children. Great praise is due to the ones that conducted this entertainment as it was the best given during the fair. Words of appreciation were heard on all sides for the children who so creditably performed their respective parts. Quincy Point is certainly blessed in having children who are aways so willing and ready to work in any cause. Beside the children in the entertainment the committee were able to secure for a piano soloist Miss Helen Qualey of Braintree, and Mrs. Albert Candlin of Wollaston as reader.

The children gave a cantata; and twelve young masters and misses told why they never married.

In the cantata Miss Ruth Dole impersonated her brother Ilsley Dole, and took the part very creditably.

Mr. Anderson remarked that the Quincy Point people were equal to any emergency. How much praise was contained in those few word!

—The post-office at Hull, opposite the Oregon House was destroyed Wednesday night. Mrs. Worster, the wife of the postmaster, and children, had to jump from a second story window, and Mrs. Worster fractured a leg. The loss was $6,000 or more.

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" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
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LOST.

LOST—Will the gentleman who picked up a fur gauntlet in the car on leaving the 5.28 train at Atlantic on MONDAY, the 12th inst., please to communicate with H. W. BARKER, 22 Greenleaf street, and state where the glove may now be found. March 14-4t

LOST—A small pocket medicine case, near Brewer's corner, this morning. Name was on a slip in the inside. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to DR. F. S. DAVIS, 5 Elm street, Quincy. Mar. 13-tf

WANTED.

WANTED—10 Girls for Factory, also General Housework girls. Ladies in want of good competent nurse can be accommodated. MISSES FLYNN, 12 Hancock street. March 15-6t

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Quincy, April 25. tf

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Half House, 4 rooms, 19 Kidder street.
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Three tenements, 51 Howard street, Quincy Neck.
Double House, 4 rooms in each half, 15 Brackett street.
Half House, 6 rooms, Pond street. Land with same if desired.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
Stable with city water, 28 Coddington street. $5 per month.
Stable and sheds near Quincy Centre on Coddington street. $4.00 per month.
Small stable, No. 2 Quincy street. $3 per month.
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a. m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a. m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a. m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a. m.
New Moon	30	3:30 p. m.			

A Plea For Mercy.

Weary—Nice doggie, good doggie. You wouldn't refuse a gentleman a night's shelter, would you?—New York Journal.

A Suspicion of Smallpox.

Middletown, Conn., March 16.—Roland Bailey, Yale, 1900, is ill at the home of his father here and the attending physician fears that the case may be smallpox. At present, however, he says the patient's condition is such that he is unable to determine the exact nature of the disease. Bailey is a classmate of Gaius W. Perkins, who was taken ill with varioloid at Yale nearly two weeks ago.

Visited Girls' Dormitory.

Manchester, N. H., March 16.—Hiram S. Nott [illegible] to those who [illegible] the pleasure of the day than past [illegible] historyt, a man of advanced years, who has been employed at the state industrial school, was arrested last night. He was discharged a few days ago because of statements made by some of the inmates of the girls' dormitory, which, it appears, he was in the habit of frequenting while on duty.

Rescued From Filipinos.

Washington, March 16.—A cable message from General Otis says that he shipped yesterday for Barcelona, Spain, 533 Spaniards, including 84 officers and 427 enlisted men of the Spanish army, who had been rescued from the Filipino insurgents; also the wives of eight officers and 14 children of the families of officers.

Banker Sent to Penitentiary.

Chicago, March 16.—Judge Waterman has refused to grant a new trial to Banker Edward S. Dreyer, formerly treasurer of the West Park board, who was recently convicted of the embezzlement of $316,000 of the board's funds, and sentenced him to the penitentiary for an indeterminate period.

Borrowed Revolver to Shoot Himself.

Worcester, Mass., March 16.—John L. Thiboden, about 22 years old, committed suicide by shooting yesterday in a pawn shop. He had asked to see a revolver, and immediately shot himself.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Temperatures are everywhere low east of the Rocky mountains, except on the South Atlantic coast. Snow will continue general today in the New England states. On Saturday the weather will be mostly fair except on the New England coast, where snow will likely continue. It will continue cold. On the New England coast the winds will be high northwesterly, shifting to northeasterly.

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—It is intimated that possibly no gypsy moth appropriation will be made this year.

DIVISION OF OPINION.

Possible Necessity of Separation on Bills Relating to Puerto Rico.

Penrose Makes an Attempt to Push the Quay Case.

A Remark Directed at Gallinger Brings Forth a Sensational Declaration.

Washington, March 16.—When the senate adjourned yesterday Senator Allison, chairman of the Republican caucus, had not exercised the authority given him to appoint a special caucus committee in connection with the proposed tariff legislation with reference to Puerto Rico.

When appointed, the committee will include representatives of the various shades of opinion on the question arising out of the Puerto Rican legislation, and its work will be devoted to the attempt to harmonize the various opinions. In taking up the appropriation bill yesterday, the Republican senators began the first proceeding on their program. They will next address themselves to the question of securing a form of government for the island and to the consideration of the tariff problem. They still look upon the latter question as the most complicated and difficult one for their disposal, and the proposed committee will be expected to devote itself to it with special assiduity.

The committee will probably give its first attention to the house bill, which deals entirely with the question of tariff. Whether this bill is to be separated from the senate bill, which includes governmental features as well as tariff provisions, remains to be determined. Some Republican senators express the opinion that the house bill will catch some outside votes, such for instance as those of Senator Teller and Senator McEnery, which might not be cast for a bill which carried the machinery of administration with it. On the other hand there are some Republican senators who have so far manifested a disposition to oppose to the end any proposition for a duty on the commerce between the two countries.

The present disposition seems to be to discuss and act upon the two measures conjointly, but there has been more or less discussion of the possible necessity of separation. If this should become necessary the tariff feature of the bill would be eliminated.

Senator Foraker, who will be chairman of what may be called the Puerto Rican steering committee, says there is no purpose to abate the pressure for consideration of the governmental bill, and that he will keep it to the front while the special committee is at work.

"I assert most emphatically that when the senator says I told him I should not speak on this subject he does not state the truth." This was the sensational retort made in the senate yesterday by Mr. Gallinger (Rep., N. H.) to a statement just made by Mr. Penrose (Rep., Pa.).

Senators were astounded and the auditors in the galleries quivered with excitement. There had scarcely been—to slightest intimation that—it would take such [illegible] the debate the word this is a turn. For nearly three hours the senate had under discussion the bill appropriating $2,095,000 for the benefit of the people of Puerto Rico. Mr. Fairbanks (Ind.) had just concluded some remarks on the measure and suggested that the senate proceed to the consideration of executive business.

Pending a motion to that effect, Mr. Penrose, who has charge of the case of Former Senator Quay, suggested that a time be fixed for a vote on the case. In the courrse of his remarks he intimated that certain senators were throwing obstacles in the way of a vote and indicated that Mr. Gallinger was one of those senators.

Mr. Gallinger quietly replied that he desired to be heard on the question, but had not had an opportunity to speak. Mr. Penrose retorted that the New Hampshire senator had assured him that he did not expect to speak on the Quay case.

Instantly Mr. Gallinger was on his feet and, with evident feeling and with great vehemence, replied as above quoted.

"I don't know whether I do not speak the truth," hotly replied Mr. Penrose, "or whether the senator from New Hampshire failed to tell me the truth."

Mr. Gallinger retorted that the whole proceeding of Mr. Penrose was unmanly and beneath his notice.

The proposition to fix a time for a vote was postponed, but it was some time before the excitement subsided.

The debate on the appropriation bill developed a decided difference of opinion, as Mr. Jones (Ark.) offered a senate substitute for the measure, a bill to return the duties to those who had paid them and providing for absolute free trade between the United States and Puerto Rico. The bill had not been disposed of when the Quay case was called up.

Mr. Wellington (Rep., Md.) presented an elaborate argument against the seating of Mr. Quay, and the remainder of the session was consumed in a running discussion of the constitutional questions involved.

Parker's Defiant Statement.

Lexington, Ky., March 16.—Captain Parker of the London militia company, a Taylor supporter, stated here last night that 2400 guns, two cannon and two Gatling guns are stored in London, and that he will hold them at all hazards against any attempt to take them, until the courts decide the gubernatorial contest.

Youthful Desperado Sent to Prison.

Boston, March 16.—Thomas Finneran, 17 years old, who entered a South End bake shop in broad daylight and commanded the waitress to give up the contents of the till at the point of a revolver, was yesterday sentenced to from five to eight years in prison.

REBELLION AND ANARCHY EXPECTED.

Relentless Hatred of Empress Dowager May Upset "Open Door" Policy in China.

Washington, March 16.—A cablegram from the American association at Shanghai has been received at the state department. It has not been acted upon, but is under serious consideration. The cablegram says that the attitude of the empress dowager toward the reformers will upset the "open door" policy. They also said rebellion and anarchy are expected, to the detriment of foreign interests, and advocate prompt concerted action on the part of the powers.

At first reading it is not clear just what connection exists between the attitude of the Chinese empress dowager toward the reform element in China and the "open door" policy in which the United States, with the remainder of the civilized world, is interested. It is recalled, however, that the empress dowager is persecuting with relentless hatred the reform party, going so far as to resort to the barbarous practice of offering a large sum of money for the assassination of leading reformers.

This reform element in China is believed to include nearly all of the Chinese who are disposed to elevate China into a civilized nation, following in the footsteps of Japan. They realize that this can only be done with the help of foreigners, and are therefore disposed to elevate China through the introduction of foreign capital and foreign methods.

It is assumed that the basis of this representation from the American association is an apprehension that the conservative party surrounding the empress dowager, in satisfying their animosity against the reformers, will excite the dormant anti-foreign feeling among the masses of Chinese to a degree that will make the "open door" impossible of attainment.

It is a curious fact that our minister to China, Mr. Conger, has so far made no representations to the state department touching this success. He has reported that serious attacks have been made upon the American mission in Sgantung by the "Boxers," a powerful and numerous anti-foreign league of Chinese.

Upon the minister's representations, the state department has decided that an American warship shall be dispatched from the fleet at Manila to the nearest convenient port to the seat of discord. It is distinctly understood that this little naval demonstration will have no connection with the struggle now going on between the empress dowager's party and the reformers, for this may be regarded as a matter of purely internal politics. It is probable, therefore, that this decision on our part indicates the character of the response that will be made by the department of state to the cablegram from the American association.

Bond Yields to the Governor.

St. John's, March 16.—Mr. Bond has agreed to accept the conditions imposed by Governor McCallum and has formally assumed office. The new government is made up as follows: Premier and colonial secretary, Robert Bond; minister of justice, William Horwood; minister of finance, John Cowan; leader of the upper house, George Knowling. Two ministers without portfolios and three departmental officers without cabinet seats were also appointed.

Sold to New York Syndicate.

Worcester, Mass., March 16.—The stock of the Howlton [illegible] Attyo- [illegible] selected Worcester and Suburban railway has been sold to a New York syndicate, which controls similar interests in Springfield and near Boston, the exchange being made through President Winslow. The stock was quoted at $85 until the fact that rival companies were trying to get the road became known, and the figures went to $110 and $115. The company is capitalized at $550,000.

Admits That He Killed Graham.

Boston, March 16.—In the superior criminal court yesterday Carmelo Brigandi pleaded guilty to an indictment charging him with manslaughter in causing the death of Edward Graham on Jan. 5. It was alleged that Graham made an assault upon Brigandi's sister, and that the shooting was the result of an altercation between the men over that occurrence. Brigandi will be sentenced later.

Took Great Risks.

Boston, March 16.—A slight fire on the second floor of a lodging house last night filled the house with smoke and so frightened John H. Lee and Miss Annie Whalen that they jumped from third-story windows to the sidewalk below. The woman's skull was fractured and her condition is extremely critical. The man fractured several bones, but is not believed to be fatally hurt.

Looked as Though Lenny Quit.

Philadelphia, March 16.—A large crowd saw Terry McGovern, champion featherweight of the world, defeat Eddie Lenny of Philadelphia last night in the second round of what was to have been a six-round contest. Lenny was completely outclassed, and in the final round was knocked down three times. Lenny's finish had the appearance of his having quit.

Marked Tributes of Respect.

Elmira, N. Y., March 16.—The remains of the late Rev. Thomas K. Beecher are lying in state in Park church, of which he was pastor for 46 years. Thousands of men, women and children have viewed the remains. The flags on all city buildings are at half mast and the buildings are draped with emblems of mourning.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The assignees of the wholesale grocery firm of John A. Andrews & Co., Boston, report that the total liabilities are $364,522.81, and the assets, $414,179.89.

Mrs. Ellen W. Thornton died at Nashua, N. H., aged 69 years. She was the widow of the late Captain Thornton, U. S. N., who was the executive officer on the Kearsarge in her famous fight with the Alabama.

With a view to preservation of trees and shrubery in Puerto Rico Governor General Davis has issued an order prohibiting the felling or cutting of any trees, shrubbery or any living wood within the public domain on the island.

The transport McPherson, which recently broke her crank shaft at sea, has been fully repaired.

MODIFIED COLONIAL.

Neat Little Home Containing Nine Rooms—Costs $2,000 to Build.

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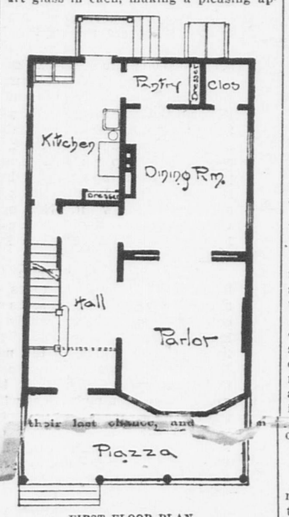
Most men look forward to the time when they may own a home of their own and experience that sense of possession which adds so much to the joy of home life. Many fail to attain their desires from various causes, chief of which, perhaps, being lack of initiative, because once a man earning a fair salary begins seriously to consider this matter and sets about finding a way he is pretty sure finally to land in his own house. He does not need to have large means, for very comfortable and handsome houses can be built within the means of a steady working mechanic. This house is such a one, being neat in appearance and of moderate cost.

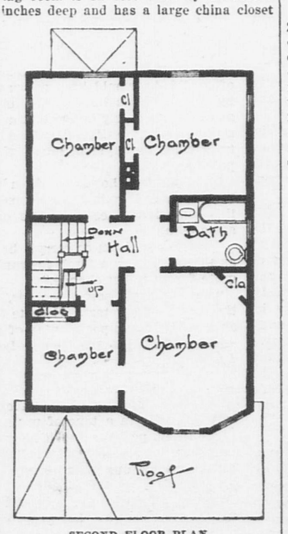
FRONT ELEVATION.

This design shows a cheap but tasty little home. It is 22 feet wide by 32 feet deep and has nine rooms and a bath. The design is very plain, but is ornamented by three dormer windows with art glass in each, making a pleasing appearance. This design may be termed a modified colonial, the cornice and the columns on the piazza being colonial features. The large hall is ornamented by platform stairs built of oak, with a fancy grille piece across the hall, as shown on the plan by a dotted line.



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

The hall is 17 feet long by 8 feet 6 inches wide and is separated from the parlor by portieres. The parlor is a large, light room, having a bay window across the front. This room is 12 feet wide by 14 feet deep and is separated from the dining room by sliding doors. The dining room is 12 feet wide by 13 feet 6 inches deep and has a large china closet and a large butler's pantry, with a dresser built in between the dining room and kitchen. The kitchen is fitted up with all the modern improvements. The dining room and the parlor have fine wood mantels and with tile hearths.



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

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Contractor Could Not Recover.

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PHILIPPINE WAR DENOUNCED

In Today's Issue of Mr. Sheldon's Paper—A Cartoon on the Subject.

Topeka, Kan., March 16.—The feature of Rev. Charles H. Sheldon's paper this morning is a cartoon opposing the war in the Philippines. It is the work of Myron A. Watterman, an artist of considerable local fame, and a brother-in-law of Mr. Sheldon. It represents Uncle Sam dressed in the uniform of an officer of the United States army, with a smoking rifle in his hand, standing in front of an entrenchment, in which are a number of dead Filipinos, numerous skulls being seen in the distance. Facing Uncle Sam, and pointing to the results of his markmanship in the entrenchments, stands the Goddess of Liberty. She is represented as asking: "Is that what you call your Christian civilization?" It will be accompanied by a brief editorial note, denouncing war in general.

Mr. Sheldon quit the editorial rooms for an hour and a half last night to conduct the regular mid-week prayer meeting at his church.

Mr. Sheldon, in denouncing these people who dodge the tax assessors, made the statement that an Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe baggageman in Topeka pays three times as much taxes as one of the highest officials of the road. Asked why he did not publish the names of those through whom he made the comparisons, he replied: "Because the names are legion. This city is full of that class of people, and I did not think it right to single out a half dozen sinners and give their names."

Asked if he held that more good could be accomplished by creating public sentiment against places of evil and evil things, and destroy the business and not name the guilty parties, Mr. Sheldon said: "That is my idea. I believe in training the children right. I take the position that it is cheaper to prevent crime than to punish it. I believe if we save the children the future is safe. I do not say that I would not print the names of the evil doers if I were running a paper permanently, but I do not deem it best as I am running one for a week [illegible] only."

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 16.—The house of representatives yesterday devoted much time to the discussion of the resolve to pay Albert Tuson $2100 in remuneration for a forfeit on a bail bond in a case in which the prisoner had been subsequently produced. The opposition claimed that the passage of the resolve would set a bad precedent, and that the claimant had no standing in law or justice. The resolve was finally rejected, 75 to 37.

The committee's report granting leave to withdraw on the bill to prohibit savings banks from investing in stock of national banks, was sustained.

A Surgical Phenomenon.

Hartford, March 16.—A sewing needle 2½ inches was taken from the appendix of a young woman patient at St. Francis' hospital Thursday. The patient was operated upon for appendicitis. It is not uncommon to find needles in parts of the anatomy, but that one should work its way into the appendix is a phenomenon. The young woman swallowed the needle several years ago, but only recently felt results. She will probably recover from the operation.

A Permanent Strategic Board.

Washington, March 16.—The secretary of the navy has determined to appoint a general board to meet once a month and consider general plans of campaign to be used in case of war. The board will correspond somewhat to the strategic board which was in existence during the Spanish-American war, and it is intended to meet the demands of the modern theories of preparedness for war. Admiral Dewey is to be at the head of the board.

Specialists Were All "at Sea."

Amesbury, Mass., March 16.—A brass bangle, such as was once quite generally used for wrist ornamentation, has been taken from the esophagus of the 9-year-old son of Rev. James Norcross. The bangle had been lodged in the throat probably seven years, and during that time specialists had treated him for various affections, especially asthma. As the boy complained recently of a hard substance in the throat an operation was resorted to and the obstruction removed.

Mora Among the Missing.

New York, March 16.—The case of Fedrico Mora, who is now reported to be leading an insurrectionary force on the borders of Costa Rica and Nicaragua, was called for trial yesterday in the United States circuit court here. There is an indictment for counterfeiting against him on file, and as he failed to answer the bail bond of $1500 was forfeited.

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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

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Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A. M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M., 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

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Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

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Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.59 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

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SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

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r 7 42 abc		8 02	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 7 56 ad		8 15	10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r
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r 8 08 abcdef		8 32	8 28 fedcba		8 53 r
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r 9 34 abcdefghi		10 02	10 28 fedcba		10 53 r
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SUNDAYS.

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SOME OF THE NE[illegible]
WE HAVE JU[illegible]

WRAPPERS in the n[illegible] that are very pretty and la[illegible]
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Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 9.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M. and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 2.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.50, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 20 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 11.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every hour and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. The first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 8 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour hroughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Holiday time same as week days on other lines, except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or Quincy Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Broad avenue or Quincy Square. From other points at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

FROM BOSTON.			TO BOSTON.		
Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy	Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.
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7 45	ad	8 02	8 28	cba	8 49
8 02	abc	8 19	9 28	cba	9 49
8 15	ad	8 32	10 28	cba	10 49
8 32	abc	8 49	11 28	cba	11 49
8 45	ad	9 02	12 28	cba	12 49
9 02	abc	9 19	1 28	cba	1 49
9 32	abc	9 49	2 28	cba	2 49
10 32	abc	10 49	3 28	cba	3 49
11 32	abc	11 49	4 28	cba	4 49
12 32	abc	12 49	4 58	cba	5 19
1 32	abcd	1 49	5 15	da	5 36
2 32	abc	2 49	5 28	cba	5 49
3 32	abc	3 49	5 45	da	6 06
4 32	abc	4 49	5 58	cba	6 19
5 32	abc	5 49	6 15	da	6 36
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5 32	abc	5 49	6 58	cba	7 19
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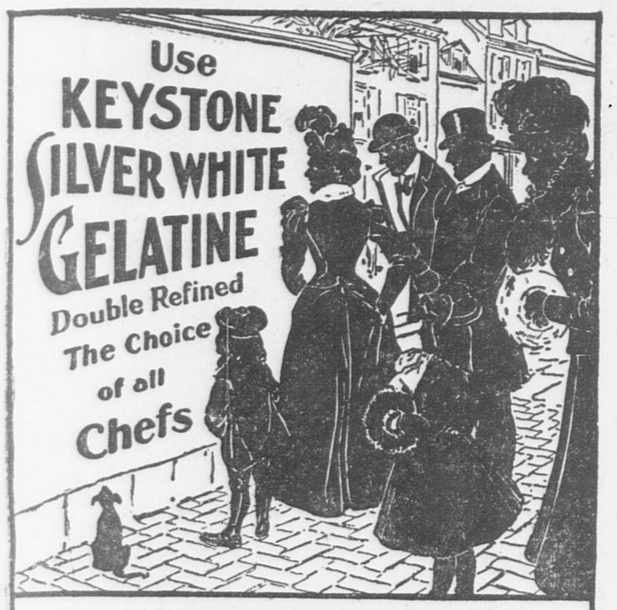

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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 14, 1900.

THE Committee on Water Supply will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition of Edgar R. Champlin, Mayor of the City of Cambridge, for legislation relative to the compensation of agents of the State Board of Health, employed and protecting the purity of sources of water supply, at room No. 439, State House, on MONDAY, March 19th, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

C. H. HANSON, Chairman.
S. H. BOROFSKY,
Mar. 16-2t Clerk of the Committee.

The Social Realm.

An early robin sang and swayed
On leafless branches, all undismayed,
Though fast the snowflakes fell,
He sang, "I know full well
These flying snowflakes fall to bring
White violets forth to greet the spring."
—Grace F. Pennypacker,

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The magnificent Armory of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts was officially opened Tuesday evening. After undergoing extensive repairs and decorations, which places Faneuil Hall foremost of any armory in the United States. A reception and ninner were held with the greatest of pomp and grandeur. Several special invitations were issued to military gentlemen who have seen service with Massachusetts regiments.

The gentlemen honered from this city were Captain Charles F Spear, representing Co. K. 5th Massachusett, U. S. Volunteers, sand Sergeant Harry J. Matthews of the 2nd Division, 2nd Army Hospital Corps. U. S. Army.

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Mrs E. C. Bumpus and Mrs. Josiah Quincy are among the patronesses for Sig. Augusto Rotoli's festival mass in Boston the last of the month.

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Mrs. W. E. Morrison Braintree, gave a whist Thursday to a large number of her friends, which proved a decided innovation, the guests filled nine tables where as one progressed they found some new rule to be followed—some were decidedly unusual and created much amusement. Mrs. Morrison served a most delightful lunch and awarded three prizes. The first fell to Mrs. George Williams, the second to Mrs. Alden Thorndike, and a third to Mrs. Hayden. Mrs. Morrison was assisted by her sister Mrs. Goodwin of Lexington.

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The winners at the City Band Literary and Musical Society whist party last evening were:—Mrs. R. McLennan, Mrs. S. Davidson, Mrs. Wm. Mitchel, A. Phillips, Alex Hall, and Alexander D. McGregor.

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Mr. D. Vinton Pierce has bought the Mayview farm at West Wilton, N. H., for a permanent home and will move there directly.

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Mrs. George Williams of Braintree, entertained the Weymouth & Braintree Whist Club on Wednesday afternoon Quite a number of guests were present. In the course of a dainty lunch the prizes were awarded; Mrs. Willard Dow securing the regular club prize and Mrs. W. E. Morrison one provided for the guests.

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The annual banquet of the Tawasentha club will be held next Tuesday evening at the United States hotel, Boston.

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All of the seats for the Pi Eta show, which will be given at Music hall on the evening of April 18, under the patronage of the Quincy Yacht club, will be placed on sale at George W. Jones' store, Adams building, on Tuesday evening, March 20, at 7 o'clock. Every seat in the house has been placed at one dollar each.

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Leather, the Source of Supply of the raw Material, Tanning and Tannages, Manufacured for Market will be the subjects of paper to be read and discussed at the regular meeting of the Unity club at the Wollaston Unitarian vestry next Friday evening.

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The Literary club of Braintree, will meet Monday evening, March 19, with Miss Norris. Professor Harnus of Harvard will address the club.

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The Compass Whist club were invited to attend a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Safford of Clive street, on Wednesday evening. The club has discontinued meetings for the season, and the dinner will remain a pleasant memory to all, as it rounded the past good times into one final remembrance of the season.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sherburne are entertaining friends and relatives at their home on South street, during this week.

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Herbert Hayden is recovering from an attack of the grip. His little son, who has been sick many weeks is thought to be gaining his strength slowly.

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Miss Christina Mitchell is spending her ten weeks' vacation from her school duties in New Hampshire, at her home on Quincy avenue.

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The members of the Massasoit Whist club will be entertained by Edward Cuff at his parents' home on Franklin street, Braintree, this evening.

The marriage of Miss Frances E. Cummings and Mr. Henry Warren Ryder takes place today at Rockland, Maine.

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There will be vesper services at the First church on Sunday at four o'clock.

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Miss Ellen Thompson is giving a course of subscription readings at the homes of several well known progressive women. Her subject for next Tuesday afternoon is "Tours in Historic and Romantic Leinster."

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Mrs. Horace Drinkwater of Braintree, gives a lunch party today for a number of friends.

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Several well known young ladies, mostly members of the Junior Friday club, are to give a dance this evening at Colonial hall. The men are anticipating a very jolly time and appreciate a complimentary dance even if it is not leap year.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Pfaffmann are receiving congratulations on the arrival at their home, on Friday March 9th, of a fine baby boy; a little brother to Jack.

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Mr. John J. Loud, president of the Weymouth Historical society, is becoming famous as a composer of patriotic songs. "New Hampshire Home-Song," one of his latest was enthusiastically received as sung by Mrs. Martha Dana Shepard at a recent meeting of the Daughters of New Hampshire in Boston.

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Mr. Eben C. Stanwood of Brookline formerly of this city is building a $15.000 cottage at Kennebunkport, Me., where he has spent many summers with his family. The new house is said to be very beautiful and complete in all its details.

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The Ivaloo club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Leonard on Central avenue, Braintree.

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Miss Lily Blunt and Rev. Charles H. Porter, Jr., of Hingham are receiving the congratulation of a host of friends on the recent announcement of their engagement. Miss Blunt is the daughter of the late Harvey Blunt a well known caterer of Boston and Mr. Porter is a native of Quincy and son of ex-Mayor Charles H. Porter.

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The Junior Friday club meets on Tuesday afternoon with Miss Sara Whicher of Adams street. The programme for the afternoon will be in charge of Mrs. Harry Elliott Russell. An unusually pleasant afternoon is anticipated as the Friday club has been invited to be present.

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Miss Mabelle B. Macleod of Wollaston is visiting her brother, Whitney Barden, of Lyndeborough, N. H.

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The decorations of the vestry at the fair at the Washington Street Congregational church could not be praised too highly. They were indeed beautiful. Never have they been prettier. The tables were arranged with perfect taste and very appropriately decorated. The design of the candy table was unique. The china table was very pretty having beside crepe paper for its decorations sprays of morning glories made of crepe and tissue paper and large bunches of chrysanthemums made of tissue paper in pink and white. The surprise table sold out all of their stock the second evening and the last evening sold lemonade at their booth.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Parker Hobart returned to Braintree Thursday from a wedding trip to Washington D. C.

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Mr. G. P. Roberts and Mr. Lewis Jones returned yesterday from their visit to New York.

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The Dorcas society held a very enjoyable box party and social at the home of Mr. George F. Spooner, Revere road, last evening. Prizes for observation were awarded Miss Mattie E. Holton and Mr. George E. Sprague. The sale of boxes netted quite a sum and many were the surprises upon the opening of the boxes. Music and games were enjoyed until a late hour.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Addie Miller a favorite teacher at the Coddington school and Rev. W. W. Dornan pastor of the First United Presbyterian church.

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Mrs. Charles H. Burgess of Russell park entertained several lady friends from Weymouth at whist on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Florence R. Emery gave a song recital at the Woodward school on Thursday morning which was much enjoyed by teachers and pupils.

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Mrs. Albert R. Moulton of Wollaston rendered "Opus 27, Moonlight Sonata" on the piano to the delight of her listeners at the Beethoven day of the Woman's afternon club of Abington on Thursday.

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Miss Muriel Smith of Holbrook, who has been visiting friends at Wollaston, has returned home.

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Quincy was well represented last evening at the opening of the Cochato club at Braintree. Among those noticed were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wadsworth, Representative and Mrs. E. W. Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doble, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Doble, Miss Howe and Miss Katherine Howe.

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Mr. and Mrs. Irving P. Loud of Weymouth gave a reception on Tuesday evening at their home in observance of the fifth anniversary of their marriage. About fifty of their immediate relatives and friends were present.

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Miss Floretta Vining goes to New York on Monday to attend the Sorosis breakfast at the Waldorf-Astoria.

WAS CONDITIONAL.

Commissioner Knowlton May Not Resign This Year.

There seems to have been some misunderstanding in regard to the offer received by Commissioner Knowlton relative to a government position at Porto Rico. The impression has been that Mr. Knowlton has accepted the position and had resigned his office in Quincy. The fact is that Mr. Knowlton's acceptance was conditional and he has not resigned his office as Commissioner of Public Works and it is extremely doubtful if he does.

The facts of the matter are these: Wednesday evening Mr. Knowlton received a cable tendering him the position at a certain salary, his answer to be cabled before noon the next day. Commissioner Knowlton had been to Porto Rico and looked over the ground and was fully aware of the responsibilities of the position and his reply to the government's proposition while in the nature of an acceptance was a conditional one. The condition asked by Mr. Knowlton were of such a nature that it is extremely doubtful if the government accepts them. If the government does not accept the conditions Mr. Knowlton will remain in Quincy and a strong pressure is being brought to bear upon him to do so.

Mr. Knowlton has been a resident of Quincy for nearly five years, four of which he has held the office of Commissioner of Public Works and as such has proved himself an exceptionally experienced official, one who the city can ill afford to lose as there are several important improvements under way of which he is fully cognizant.

As stated above strong pressure is being brought upon Mr. Knowlton by members of the city government and others to have him reconsider his proposition even if it is accepted and the chances are that he will remain in Quincy this year.

St. Patrick.

Irishmen will have special reasons for glory today, and may wear the Shamrock in Africa as in America and as at home to celebrate. There is not an Irishman but what is proud just now of the facts that Lord Wolsley the Commander-in-Chief of the British army, Lord Roberts supreme commander in South Africa, Lord Kitchener of Khartown, his chief of staff, also now in Africa, and General Sir George White the heroic defender of Ladysmith, are all Irishmen. Where Irish fight, Irish win and Irish rule.

Taxes Well Collected.

Collector Baker is a hustler after the taxes. In 1898 he started in to clean up the taxes of 1896, and upon resuming the office he took up the work. Today he reports all the taxes assessed on real estate in 1896 to have been collected. There is a balance of but $2,722.40 uncollected on personal estate and $1,900.00 on polls out of a levy of $322,309.26.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Nathan Wolf, a Quincy junk dealer, for receiving stolen property, came up and was heard. The stolen property purchased by Wolf were carriage tires, which had been stolen from Benjamin Johnson. The boys who sold the tires testified to stealing them from Johnson's wharf, and selling them to Wolf. He was found not guilty and was discharged.

William D. Sherman was arraigned for violation of the fish and game law. He was found not guilty and discharged.

A PROPOSITION.

Manufacturers Submit One to the Cutters.

Cutters Take It Under Consideration.

Willing to Pay $2.65 Per Day —and Advance Piece Work.

The Manufacturers and Cutters' conference committees held another conference last evening at the rooms of Granite Manufacturers Association in Durgin & Merrill block. It was the hope of the general public that this meeting would result in a settlement of the present labor trouble in Quincy, and that in a few days we would see the men returning to work, and business once more resumed.

As far as a settlement is concerned, the meeting was a disappointment, and today the strike is apparently no nearer a settlement than it was the day it was inaugurated.

The two committees met at 8 o'clock, and after some preliminary talk, the Manufacturers' Committee submitted the following proposition for settlement.

That eight hours shall constitute a day's work for six days a week.

That the standard wage shall be $2.65 per day.

That the minimum wage shall be $2.40 per day.

That there shall be an increase of ten per cent. on the price list of 1899.

That the new terms shall remain in force until March 1, 1905.

The Cutters' Committee retired and consulted about the proposition, and reported that they would further consider it.

The Cutters submitted, or renewed their proposition, to settle for a minimum wage of 35 cents per hour.

This the Manufacturers' Committee refused to accept, and the meeting adjourned.

This meeting also adjourned without date and appearances indicate that the strike will be prolonged for an indefinite period.

TEN PER CENT. ADVANCE.

It is reported that the resolution passed by the Conference Committee of the New England Association, at its meeting Wednesday, was as follows:

"Resolved, that this committee will ratify any agreement based on a rate of 10 per cent. increase on the rates paid the granite cutters in 1899, either piece or hour; the agreement to remain in force five years, and to contain an article constituting an arbitration committee, to whom all disputes and demands shall be submitted, and by whose decision each party shall agree to abide without any strike, lock-out or suspension of business under any conditions whatever; and we ask the Barre association to adjust their agreement to these terms."

Was in Quincy Disaster.

Rev. Francis Marion Dimmick, one of the gentlemen seriously injured in the Old Colony railroad disaster at Quincy, died in California, Feb. 14. The California Independent of March 1, printed an excellent halftone and gave a sketch of the deceased, who was a noted Presbyterian pastor. At the time of the disaster the hospitable residence of Mrs. Cushing Lane on Goffe street was opened to him and other relatives, and their condition was critical for weeks. When Mr. Dimmick returned west, Dr. N. S. Hunting accompanied him.

Thayer Academy Meet.

At a meeting of the Thayer Academy Athletic Association last Wednesday, it was voted to hold the annual indoor meet in the White gymnasium on the afternoon of Friday March 23, at 2 o'clock.

Besides the usual competitive events, there will be a basket-ball game and several special drills including pyramid drills under the direction of Physical Director Townsend.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

—A clergyman makes no pretense to a monopoly of his profession when he claims to be a soul-agent of Providence.

AN ASTONISHMENT.

There's a mighty curious feller who is livin out our way;
He never seems as anxious as the rest to have his say.
He listens to an argument as quiet as kin be
An never makes an effort to break in an referee.
An once upon a time—us folks is talkin 'bout it yet—
We asked him his opinion so's to help decide a bet.
It was on a general topic that excited high and low.
This feller thought a minute; then he said he didn't know.

We'd heard a lot of people who had struggled to explain
Each query. It 'u'd give you palpitation of the brain
To hear the way they figured. An their words were of such length
That tryin to remember them was jes' a waste of strength.
But the wisest of them never, with their great displays of wit,
Within my recollection made the memorable hit
That he scored when, after thinkin very carefully an slow,
He faced the situation an confessed he didn't know.

—Washington Star.

THE MERCY OF THE BOER

A SOUTH AFRICAN PASTORAL.

Night had just fallen upon the veldt. The short dusk had suddenly deepened into a heavy, thick obscurity, impenetrable for a space until there rose the rim of a full moon over the edge of the plain which showed hard and clear cut against the great disk. The ant hills, that alone broke the monotonous flatness, flung interminable inky shadows as the cold, white glare, electric in its fierce intensity, shone out level across the plains. The sense of loneliness, of utter isolation, was overwhelming. The heavens, sown with fire, seemed so remote, and the bare earth, stretching away into the dim, starry distance, so empty and limitless. It might have been the roof of some dead world.

By the edge of the marsh a transport wagon had outspanned for the night, and within the circle of firelight, where moon and flame struggled for the mastery, loomed the wavering outlines of the trek oxen tethered to the dissel-boom and now and again the figure of a man.

The only sounds were the crackling chirps of the bullfrogs in the vlei and the voices of two men who sat leaning back against the kaross of meerkat skins flung over one of the wagon wheels.

"No!" repeated the elder man, the transport rider and owner of the wagon, raising his voice. "With us they shall not come—either she or the brat."

"But look, Jakob," persisted the other, "it is now three weeks, four weeks, that we are on the trek, and she has followed all the time and carried the child too. How the poor girl lives I do not know. Take only the child, Jakob."

"How are we to eat? How is the vrouw to eat?" demanded the Boer querulously. "Are there not enough mouths to fill already? And God knows how much farther the span can go without water in this accursed country; they have enough to pull as it is. And why should I feed the wife and child of every black schelm that is fool enough to want them? Verdomte swartzkop!" And he spat angrily into the fire.

"But the child," persisted Piet. "That is small and eats but little, not a quarter as much as a dog. Besides, Klaus may run away if the girl falls sick, and he alone knows the road and the drifts across the river."

There was a moment's pause. "Well, the brat, then, in God's name," snapped the other. "The girl can walk, as she has walked these three weeks," he added and rolled himself in his rug to avoid further surrender.

Piet rose stiffly to his feet; the night breeze was growing chill. He knocked the ashes out of his pipe, kicked some fuel into the embers of the fire, and went around to the other side of the wagon, where the three Basuto boys were lying.

"Klaus!" he called. "Here a moment!"

A grunt from one of the blankets answered him.

"Baas Jakob says the baby may ride with the vrouw in the wagon, but the girl must still walk."

There was a sudden movement at his feet and a dark figure rolled out of the blanket.

"No, boy; no! Not that!" His hand was being covered with kisses. Piet drew it sharply away and, taking a strip of biltong from his pocket, thrust it into the Basuto's grasp. "Here; this may help for the girl. It was all I could get," he said roughly. And, turning on his heel, he went back to where his brother lay sleeping. Baas Piet was as averse to being generous as the transport rider, though for other reasons.

For a while Klaus lay still.

Presently, carrying the piece of hard sun dried meat and his own supper of boiled mealies, he crept, shivering, from his blanket and went slowly out on to the silent veldt in the direction from which the wagon had come, as he had gone every night to listen for the signal that told him Betta was there among the ant hills. Then he would cheer her up and sit beside her while she ate some of his poor rations, though they were not enough for her and the child.

Betta was a good girl. He knew that when he gave her father two oxen and some wethers and took her away with him from the old kraal by the wagon drift across the Krei three years ago. She had been with him ever since, and now, when the trek began, Baas Jakob would not let her ride in the wagon or even come near it.

Klaus grasped the kerrie dangling from his belt at the recollection of the cut across the mouth that the drunken transport rider had given him with his sjambok when he had asked his permission. Besides, there was the baby, and he could not have left both of them behind, so far from the kraal and her own people. But Baas Jakob was a hard man; he did not understand such things.

Ever since they had left Burghersdorp, many weeks ago, she had walked after them, the baby slung at her back, and there were yet three weeks more and the desert strip to cross before they reached the great belt and the river. But the baby was to ride in the wagon now with the vrouw, and the girl would not be so tired.

Ah! Baas Piet was a good man, better than Baas Jakob. He would help, and later on he might even be rich enough to buy a few head of cattle and some ponies, and they would all go back to the old place on the Krei, and—He started to his feet as the pipe of a honeybird came faintly out of the distance. Betta was there at last.

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The wagon was creaking along under the burning noonday sun. The oxen stumbled lazily with lolling tongues, crawling at a snail's pace without fear of the flick of the lash, for every one was asleep except the little voerloper trudging in front of the two leaders, crooning an endless native song to himself. The wind, more burning than the sun, came in ceaseless gusts across the arid veldt, destitute of grass or tree, and, catching up great clouds of red dust, whirled them in eddying, choking masses about the wagon and then swept them away until they vanished in the shimmering heat haze. Now and then a tortoise dragged his black and yellow shell out of the way of the span and lumbered heavily off the track to a safe distance, there to retire within himself until the unwonted apparition had disappeared beyond his limited horizon, or a snake would shoot out a shining head from the shelter of some deserted ant heap as the rumble of wheels roused him from his nap, and far up in the clear, blue air floated a great vulture, without a tremor of his wide pinions, just as he had floated for many days past, watching and waiting.

Suddenly there was a stir under the tilt. The curtain was flung aside and Baas Piet stepped out on to the fore part of the wagon, yawning sleepily.

"Boy," he shouted, "onsaddle the mare. I shall ride on to the water hole beyond the drift. It cannot be far off now."

Klaus appeared from underneath the wagon, where his blanket was slung hammock fashion in the daytime.

"No, Baas Piet; the spruit should not be more than one hour's ride now, and the hole is only two, three mile farther."

Presently he brought the mare around from the back of the wagon, where she had been tied up, tightened the girths and rolled up the riem of the neck halter. Baas Piet swung himself off the edge of the wagon into the sadle.

"Tell the baas when he wakes up," he said, and with a shake of the reins cantered off through the dust.

"It cannot be far off now," repeated Klaus to himself, as he watched him until he became invisible in the midst of the vast brown expanse of sun scorched hillside.

It was now five days since they had left the last vlei, and he had given nearly all his share of the hot muddy water that the vrouw served out to the girl for the last few days, but that was very, very little, and she was sick too.

For a moment he stopped and looked backward. There, just topping the last rise, miles and miles away, his keen sight could pick out against the sky line the little black speck that had been behind them for so many weeks now, faltering on with parched lips through the heat and loneliness of the plains, always dropping farther and farther behind as evening drew in.

He heard the snores of the transport rider and his vrouw as they slept comfortably under the tilt. If they could only feel what Betta felt—yet it was easier for her now that she had not the baby to carry, and the water was close in front, and after that only two or three days' trek before the desert ended. And, comforted by the thought, Klaus walked on after the wagon and returned to his blanket.

The baby was certainly the most contented of all, lying in an empty sugar box under the shade of the tilt, engaged in coiling the soft end of the 18 foot lash round and round its chubby arms. It grew fatter and merrier every day. The vrouw rather liked it, black as it was, for she had no children of her own.

All at once came a warning shout from the voerloper. They were right on the edge of the drift, and the leaders began to pick their way slowly down the steep bank over the loose rocks and sand. Klaus was busy putting the heavy iron shoe drag under one of the hind wheels, while Baas Jakob, in a bad temper at having his sleep disturbed, sat upon the front of the wagon, swearing at him and the other boys for being lazy.

Now sliding sideways over a smooth shelving rock, now plunging down over a ledge with a jar that wrenched every bolt and wheel spoke, the heavy wagon crashed down the bank, only to come to a dead stop at the bottom, imbedded in sand up to the axles. The span were knotted in a tangled mob of clashing horns and twisted yoke reins, snuffling and pawing up the sand with impatient hoofs. Instinct told them that water was there, but it was far, far below, for the last rains had fallen many months back.

"Verdomte ruineks!" raged the angry baas, beside himself. "Twist their tails! Get that iron spike there, Hendrik. That will make the devils move!"

But it was of no use. The span only became more hopelessly entangled. In vain Klaus dashed in among them, sjambok in hand, kicking here and slashing there, while Hendrik and the voerloper called upon the beasts by name and urged them forward. Water they knew was there, and water they would have.

"The whip! Why don't you take the whip, you schelms? Where is it?" roared the infuriated Boer, rising and glaring about the wagon.

As he went forward he stumbled over the baby and its box, upsetting it and sending the child rolling across the floor of the wagon, where it lay in a ball on a heap of skins, crowing with delight. People so seldom played games with it.

The Boer thrust the empty box back against the side with his foot and snatched up the bamboo whip handle. Poising it carefully above his head in both hands, he gave a little preliminary flourish, but the end was caught in something—the brat again, curse it!

It opened wide eyes of pleasure at him, holding up its dimpled wrists, wound round with the end of the lash.

With a savage oath he kicked it off the end of the wagon into the midst of the struggling cattle and brought the great whip down upon them with all his force. Again and again it uncoiled and whizzed down with a crack like a rifle shot, cutting into the steaming flanks of the plunging mob until they bellowed again. Scarred and bleeding, deafened by the report of the whip and the hoarse yells of the men, the maddened beasts straightened out, and with Klaus and the voerloper tugging at the leaders' heads, strained, panting up the farther bank of the drift, the wagon creaking through the rocky river bed behind them and then trailed wearily forward into the dusk.

And when all was still the lizards came out of the crevices, only to scuttle back with a whisk of their tails. There was water in the drift now—red water, dripping softly down between the stones and sinking into the thirsty sand. Overhead sailed a vulture in ever narrowing circles. And then the night fell.

It was late that evening before Klaus crawled stealthily away from the wagon, taking a full beaker of fresh water from the pool and his supper. The baas was very angry with him because the wagon had stuck in the drift, though how could he help it if the oxen would not be driven, and he had forbidden him to leave the wagon to see Betta. But no baas could keep him from doing that, no matter how many hidings he got for it.

He walked back as far as the edge of the drift and sat there waiting. He could not see far tonight, for there was no moon, only the half light of the stars, and the bottom of the drift yawned black at his feet. A prowling jackal snarled close by, and at his approach a great vulture, gorged with the remains of some wornout trek ox that had fallen there to die, though he did not remember noticing it, had flapped heavily off into the night.

Klaus waited for many hours, but the girl did not come. Of course, having the baby to carry again would make her take longer, for Baas Jakob had told him how he had seen it roll off the wagon that morning trying to reach a big tortoise on the road and crawl after it unhurt, and how he had watched it there until Betta had picked it up when she came along. Still, she would catch them up next evening, and he left the water beaker and the food tied up in a piece of rag under a heap of stones in the middle of the road, so that the aasvogels could not get at them, and Betta might find them there in the morning.

But Betta did not catch the wagon up next evening or the next.

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Four days afterward they had passed the edge of the desert and outspanned among the shady tamarisks and the willows by the banks of the Great river.

"Never mind, Klaus," said Baas Piet kindly, patting him on the shoulder. "Hunger is a bad death, but it is God's will. Besides," he added, with a smile, "there are yet many good girls in Basutoland. But you will stay with Baas Jakob and me yet a bit?"

"I stay with you—and Baas Jakob," answered Klaus simply. "He treats me as well as any other baas."—Pall Mall Magazine.

What the British Soldier Is Fighting For.

There was a residuum of horrid reality in the reply of the warrior at the front whose parents had asked him for help to keep them out of the workhouse. He told them, as we related, to wait till he returned, when they could all "go to the workhouse together." Writing from Modder river, a corporal in the Black Watch complains that out of 7 shillings a week he must pay 1 shilling for a small pot of jam and the same sum for 18 very small biscuits. Milk costs 1 shilling a tin, and then there is tobacco. No wonder the workhouse looms ominously!—London Chronicle.

A Marvel of Discomfort.

The monitor, which used to be the terror of the navy in the matter of discomfort to its crew, will have to yield that unquestionable distinction to the torpedo boat destroyer, in which the demands upon the officers and men are enormous. Comfort, as it is understood in a big ship, is unknown. Even in what is known as moderate weather cooking is almost an impossibility. The whole structure vibrates and trembles under the strokes of the engines and the kick of the propellers.—Army and Navy Journal.

Degrees of Respect.

"I see that the Atchison Globe says that a good breadmaker 'is more respected than a good whist player.'"

"But not more respected than a good poker player. Think of the dough he handles!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

WIFE OF A BANDIT'S SON.

Pretty Kansas City Girl Who Has Become Mrs. Jesse James, Jr.

There is now a Mrs. Jesse James, Jr. The son of the famous bandit, who has himself been tried for train robbery and who was acquitted, has married one of the many young women who became interested in him during his trial in Kansas City last winter. Her maiden name was Stella McGowan. She is a pleasant faced young woman, with a slim figure and a great admiration for "her Jesse."

The marriage occurred not long ago. They spent their honeymoon on the James farm in Clay county in the old bullet scarred house that was both home and fortress for Frank and Jesse

MRS. JESSE JAMES, JR.

James, Sr., in the days when they were outlaws. They are now living with Jesse's mother, who has been very neat death's door.

Jesse James, Jr., has grown up in Kansas City. The little home, which was all that was left to the widow when the bandit was killed, was heavily mortgaged, and there was nothing to support the family. Young Jesse managed to get his schooling in the odd moments when he was not earning money for his mother and sister. When he became larger, he got a place in Armour's packing house. There he worked faithfully, sending his sister through school and thus enabling her to pass a teacher's examination, that she might be qualified to teach.

Little by little he managed to clear that home from the debt until its title is now undisputed. Feeling that he wanted to be in business for himself, Jesse left the packing house and set up a cigar store in the corridor of the courthouse, where he is still in business.

A CLIMATIC FREAK.

South Africa's Dust Devils Which Make Campaigning Hard.

While campaigning in South Africa, Tommy Atkins has come to know many peculiarities of that climate, which is so much unlike that of the British isles. It is unlike any climate anywhere on this continent too. The nearest approach to it is found on the high plateaus of Colorado and Nebraska.

One of the most singular and perhaps the most annoying of these peculiarities is known as the "dust devil." It is to be met with in all parts of Natal and in some sections of the Orange Free State and the Transvaal. All over South Africa dust seems to be the great curse. The yellow top soil of the veldt is loose and fine. It may be thoroughly wet by a hard rain shower in the forenoon, but after the South African sun has been shining fiercely for a couple of hours it is again as dry as tinder.

Then it is ready, when the first breeze invites, to pick itself up and go scurrying along in the form of a dust

SOUTH AFRICAN DUST DEVIL AT WORK.
[From a photograph.]

cloud. When this cloud is a local affair and can be traced dancing here and there over the veldt, it is called a "dust devil," and a very appropriate name it is. It is not at all nice to meet a "dust devil." No matter how tightly you shut your mouth and eyes you cannot keep out the fine, yellow particles. You are half choked and wholly blinded. You feel your ears filling up, and there is the sensation of sand sifting down your back.

These clouds rise in dense masses from the horizon, often high enough to blot out the sun. They are driven by high winds, and if you are a soldier you must look to your tent pegs. Fortunately the "dust devils" make only short stops. After they pass there usually comes a refreshing shower, which again makes you feel that life is worth living.

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Suffering Humanity Will Not Be Healed by Truth For Some Time.

Mail Continues to Collect at the Boston Postoffice.

"Divine Healer" Arraigned on the Charge of Fraud and Held In $5000.

Boston, March 17.—Although Francis Truth, the divine healer, arrested for improper use of the mails, is at liberty, under $5000 bonds, his institute at Bowdoin square was closed yesterday so far as the transaction of any business was concerned. To all the same reply was given, "Mr. Truth is not in today.. I do not know where you can find him."

The door was opened but a fraction of an inch when a ring at the door bell was responded to. Mr. Adams, one of the employes, appeared to be in charge. He denied all knowledge of his employer's whereabouts.

The Bemis family, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Bemis, the father and mother of Truth, were supposed to reside at 16 Fenelon street, Dorchester. They have not been there since October.

The home on Fenelon street is a three-apartment dwelling. The Bemises occupied at one time the lower flat. One family distinctly remembers the advent and exodus of the Bemis family. To a reporter a member of the family said:

"They came here in October from Keene, N. H. Mr. and Mrs. Truth often called, usually riding in a barouche. The mother was a tall, dignified woman and apparently refined. The father was a pleasant, easy-going sort of a man.

"The two families did not seem to agree. It was generally understood that Mrs. Bemis opposed bitterly the business conducted by her son. She had no faith in the divine healing, and seemed to think that it would all end in trouble.

Bartlett & Anderson, Truth's attorneys, positively refused yesterday to talk about the case.

All the mail that has arrived at the Boston postoffice since Thursday has been held. An accumulation of many thousand letters is now on hand, the number increasing by many hundreds daily.

Chief Watts has turned over to Inspector Evans all the letters, papers and printed matter seized at the time of Truth's arrest. This includes the shoe box crammed full of uncashed checks, express and money orders representing several thousand dollars, found on the healer's desk when the inspectors called.

Truth was arraigned before Judge Lowell in the United States district court yesterday afternoon on a charge of using the mails in pursuance of a scheme to defraud.

He pleaded not guilty and was held in $5000 bail until next Friday for examination. Elbridge R. Anderson of the firm of Bartlett & Anderson appeared as counsel for the defendant.

The defendant furnished bail late in the afternoon. His surety is Eugene Ayer, a wholesale grocer.

Historical Event Commemorated.

Boston, March 17.—The memorial tablet which has been placed on the Lawrence school by the Sons of the Revolution was dedicated with appropriate ceremonies. The tablet commemorates the fact that on the spot, 124 years ago, was erected by Washington's orders a fortification which proved such a menace to the troops and fleet of General Howe, then occupying Boston, that on March 17, 1776, the British forces evacuated the town.

Alleged Forger In Custody.

Queenstown, March 17. — Nathan Musher, a passenger from New York by the steamship Lucania, was arrested here yesterday as the result of information from the United States that a warrant for his arrest had been issued at New York upon a charge of forgery. Musher will be arraigned here and will then be transferred to London for extradition.

Has Become a Criminal.

Baltimore, March 17.—Lewis Say, who was at one time a famous professional baseball player, was sent to the house of correction yesterday for 10 months upon the charge of larceny. He was indicted for robbery, but his plea of guilty to the charge of larceny was accepted by the prosecution. Say has been locked up a number of times within the last few years.

Another Dividend For Depositors.

Laconia, N. H., March 17.—The Lake Village Savings bank, which went into liquidation in May, 1899, began yesterday to pay depositors a second dividend of 10 percent, which will mean the distribution of about $22,500. The amount due depositors at the time the bank stopped doing business was about $225,000.

Practical Use For the Topeka.

Boston, March 17.—Orders have been received from Washington by Naval Constructor Baxter of the Charlestown navy yard to reconstruct the gunboat Topeka and to put her in condition for use as a training ship. She was built 20 years ago for the Peruvian government, and is now obsolete as a fighter.

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NOT FULLY SATISFIED.

Time Limitations Have Made Mr. Sheldon's Journalistic Experiment Unsatisfactory.

Topeka, Kan., March 17.—Editor Sheldon has called the members of his staff together and asked each of them to write him a brief analysis of the journalistic experiment from a personal standpoint, and they promised to do so.

HERBERT S. HOUSTON.
[Manager of the Sheldon edition.]

He confessed that his journalistic experiment had not been satisfactory to him, but said that this was chiefly due to the time limitations. His aim had been, he declared, to crowd the best religious and moral articles he could get into the week's publications, and in doing this he had been forced to leave out much other matter, including news, which he would like to have published.

He had hoped, he declared, to print one issue of the paper in which there should be no story of crime, but had been forced to realize the impossibility of success.

In interviews with several members of The Capital staff on the question as to whether or not Mr. Sheldon in his dealings with them sought to impress them with his religion, they all agreed, that, had they not known him to be a preacher, they would not have gathered that information from their journalistic experience under him. He had not once referred to Christianity, they said, or to any intention of attempting to produce a paper on the lines that Christ might be expected to lay down.

This morning's issue of the Topeka Capital will be the last morning edition to be published under the control of Rev. Mr. Sheldon. The usual Sunday issue will not appear, but as a substitute for it The Capital will publish a special Saturday evening edition.

This will give Mr. Sheldon nearly continuous occupation for the last 36 hours of his work as editor. He said that, while his physical condition was good, he was feeling the fatigue and nervous strain of his week's work, especially of the work at night.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 17.—The senate yesterday passed the following matters to be engrossed: Bill to incorporate the Commonwealth Savings bank; bill providing for the addition of a portion of town of Wakefield to the north metropolitan water system; bill relative to the furnishing of soldiers' relief by cities and towns; bill to extend time at which the act to revise the laws relative to the distribution of the estate of deceased persons shall take effect; resolves providing for a survey of Cuttyhunk harbor, making an additional appropriation for the Westfield normal school, and the county tax resolves of the counties of Bristol, Essex, Franklin, Hampden, Plymouth and Middlesex; bill to authorize city of Boston to establish and maintain an industrial school; bill to authorize Grafton Water company to increase its capital stock.

Rioters Get Light Sentence.

Bordeaux, March 17.—As an outcome of the recent riotous demonstration against the British consulate here, when the windows of the consulate and of the consul's residence were shattered by stones, the three ringleaders of the mob were yesterday sentenced to short terms of imprisonment and fines and to pay the costs of the prosecution.

Result of Gasolene Explosion.

Columbus, O., March 17.—A gasolene explosion last night at the residence of James Weaver resulted in one death, five fatally injured and one seriously injured. Joseph White used gasolene in starting a fire, when the can of liquid exploded, wrecking the room and wrapping the victims in flames. They were all frightfully burned.

A Temporary Scare.

Newton, Mass., March 17.—The high water in the Charles river caused some trouble yesterday to mills along the banks, but all further danger of damage has been removed by a cessation of the storm and the prospects of cooler weather. The river reached a higher point than for years.

Not Up to Expectations.

San Juan, P. R., March 17.—A municipal deficit of $80,000 in the fiscal year has been caused by an unexpected slump in the city revenues from liquors and cigarets. The budget compiled in 1899 estimated that $96,000 would be collected, but the amount to date is only $26,000.

Struck a Coral Reef.

New York, March 17.—A cablegram announces the stranding on a coral reef outside Bermuda of the British steamer Arthur Head. The cablegram adds that the steamer lies in an exposed position, is in bad shape, and that tugs are rescuing the crew.

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NEW CHAPTER OPENED.

Roberts Encouraging Free Staters to Withdraw From Hopeless Struggle.

Continental Powers Have Refused to Intervene.

Cecil Rhodes Evidently Has a Very Poor Opinion of Buller's Generalship.

London, March 17.—General Roberts has allowed three divisions to halt at Bloemfontein, but he is not idle himself. He has created the impression that the Free State government has surrendered its capital and that a military government has been substituted for it. He has kept the various municipal and state offices in operation under the general supervision of the military government, and by proclamation and practice is encouraging the people of the Free State to follow the example of their own authorities, and withdraw from a hopeless struggle.

The old order of government has lost its political center with the surrender of the capital, and a new order of administration has been created under the British flag, and General Roberts' main work during the next fortnight is likely to be one of pacification and restoration of order. He has a paymaster who will buy supplies for his army of 50,000 men, and he also has disciplinarians who will enforce respect for private property. With gold to pay out and rigorous discipline, Roberts is likely to prove a successful politician in Bloemfontein.

Lord Roberts' comments upon the earlier operations of the war in the London Gazette and his absolute silence respecting Lord Methuen are regarded as very significant. The Times observes that this silence is, perhaps, more significant than words, especially when connected with the fact that Lord Methuen no longer takes any prominent part in the campaign.

Mafeking is now the only point for anxiety, and, as it is known that a force has left Kimberley, its relief may be announced before many days pass. The efficiency of the relieving column is heightened by the fact that it is partly composed of regulars.

In the lobbies of parliament last evening, it was rumored that Lord Roberts is about to issue a proclamation announcing that the former system of government in the Orange Free State is abolished, and promising Free Staters who immediately surrender due consideration.

It is understood that all the continental powers, with one exception, uncompromisingly refused to intervene. The exception was Russia, whose reply was couched in less firm language, although, like the others, she declined to interfere. It is said that the pope was also appealed to, but that he declined to do anything beyond writing a letter to the queen, appealing to her to stop the further effusion of blood. Dr. Leyds' efforts with King Leopold were quite futile.

The possibility of the destruction of Johannesburg is still discussed here, but it is believed that the French and German shareholders would offer a strong protest.

The latest advices respecting the surrender of Bloemfontein show that the approach of the British caused a stampede. Thirteen trains, each composed of 40 cars, and all crammed with Boers, hurried northward, just before the line was cut.

Mr. Steyn would have been compelled to surrender, but he pretended that he was going to visit one of the outposts, and at midnight took a carriage which was waiting for him outside the town and thus escaped. The Boers got the bulk of their wagons and military stores away.

The Daily Mail publishes an interview this morning with Cecil Rhodes, secured by Julian Ralph, in the course of which, complaining of the "bungling of the home authorities," he said:

"General Buller's extraordinary orders to Lord Methuen were to relieve Kimberley, to take all the people away and to fall back to the Orange river. You people in England have such wonderful ideas about Buller's generalship, but such a retreat would have been monstrous."

Mr. Rhodes declared that there had only been 30,000 Boers in the field altogether, and that the foreign mercenaries were only about 15,000. The number of Boers, he said, had been exaggerated in order to explain the British reverses.

The Lisbon correspondent of The Standard says: A military force of 70 officers and 712 men will sail for Lorenzo Marques Tuesday next. This will include a battery of artillery and a squadron of cavalry.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The Atlantic coast storm has disappeared north of the mouth of the St. Lawrence river and fair weather prevails in all parts of the United States. The temperature is below the seasonal average from the Rocky mountain region to the Atlantic coast. The indications are that the temperature will begin to moderate appreciably Sunday. Fair weather is indicated for New England. Along the Atlantic coast westerly winds will diminish in force today and become variable by Sunday.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	23	40	40	60	51
Monday,	23	34	63	60	49
Tuesday,	35	35	49	65	37
Wednesday,	45	39	37	53	35
Thursday,	44	34	36	40	37
Friday,	51	44	42	50	26
Saturday,	38	53	28	56	31

New Advertisements Today.

Citation Notices (2).
Star Tea and Coffee Store—Tea and Coffee.
A. A. Linscott—Eyes tested free.
L. W. Knapp, M. D.—Cures weak men free.
Auction Sale of Large Building.

Good Afternoon.

Under the influence of Republican legislation the credit of the U. S. stands today head and shoulders above that of any nation on earth.

Boston cannot pay current expenses on a $9 tax limit, and it is about time that it raised annually enough to do this, and also decrease rather than increase its debt.

Nearly every prominent English general in South Africa is an Irishman, a fact which seems to have been overlooked by our anti-English agitators.

Senator Elkins says he doesn't want the Vice Presidency, but does want to remain in the Senate. That ought to settle the matter so far as he is concerned.

The schoolhouse bonds sold this week bear interest at the rate of 3½ per cent., so the fact that they sold at a premium at this time is the more to the credit of Quincy financially.

Uncle Sam is preparing to buy another island, but the "antis" do not seem to have heard about it. Senator Depew has introduced a bill providing for the purchase, for military use, of Constitution Island, in the Hudson River, opposite West Point.

The Metropolitan park commission has taken Nantasket under its charge and the beach will be a much more respectable place to visit. Many of the cheap buildings will be removed, but there will be left the Hotel Nantasket, the bath houses and the merry-go-round. The hotels and cafe privileges will be leased for the season to the highest bidder.

Councilman Packard seems to have a great many strings to his bow. He no sooner gets the people interested in a movement for free transfers, than he switches us off onto the subject of new enterprises. Both are important questions.

Free transfers within city limits are the order of the day, and the Q. & B., which is one of the leading street railway system of Massachusetts, should not be behind in this particular. The company says unofficially that it charges but one fare between Water street and the High school, but the public does not so understand it and more than a few have paid eight cents and some double fare while many walk or stay at home rather than pay more than five cents. It would seem as if the company was the loser.

At this time when there is a suspension of work in the granite industry the local interests of the city realize the need of more diversity of business. It may bring us more children to educate, more property to protect from fire and the need of more police, etc., but cities enjoy more of the comforts of life than small country towns. As Quincy grows we will have better streets, more street lights, public baths, parks, etc., etc. A welcome should be extended to all industrious people and we are of the opinion that five men worth $2,000 each would benefit the city more than one man worth $10,000.

—Very grave and misterious men, when they do open their mouths and speak, generally betray their sekret and let us see at once what kussid phools they are.—Josh Billings.

—Green is to be the fashionable color for spring, as usual.

HOUGHS NECK TRACK

Spicy Hearing on Petition for Relocation.

The Committee on streets of this City Council gave a hearing Friday night on the petition of the Quincy & Boston street railway, for a change of location in its tracks to Houghs Neck.

Several gentlemen were present but the talking was largely by Mr. Meyers and President Graham.

Mr. Meyers said he was not opposed to the granting of the petition if certain restrictions were imposed. He would like to have Mr. Graham make a statement of what he intended to do. He had laid out many thousands of dollars at Houghs Neck, and his property was valueless for want of means of transportation. We want the same courtesy shown us as other sections of Quincy in fares, and abolish the special car system. Cars should be run the whole year, and it was in the power of the Council to enforce it. He wanted a new road, cars every fifteen minutes in summer and cars in winter. The school children now have to ride in cold barges, and they should be accommodated. He would like conditions imposed and made in writing. If Mr. Graham was not willing to do these things, Mr. Meyers said he was ready and would offer inducements this railroad will not. I will carry children for half fare, light the whole street one year free of cost, and afterwards at cost and will give a satisfactory bond to have the road completed June 1. He had published a certificate of corporation, and had got the money to build the road.

Mr. Graham said his road was built in 1890 as a land speculation. Then the fare was ten cents. It run two years and did not pay, and bankrupted the man who built it. We bought it in 1893. We first reduced the fare to eight cents, and then to five. There has not been a year we have run it that we have not lost money. We have commenced to run in the spring when we took in but $1 or $2 a day. It only yays for about eighty days. We run until it costs us three or four times what we take in. Mr. Meyers does not patronize the road. No one made a complaint last year on account of poor service, not even Mr. Meyers. We have had people commend us for the good service. No fault was found except by Mr. Meyers, who has a law suit against us which has not yet been tried. He has brought us to the Railroad Commissioners on account of poor service and they have thrown his complaint out until the suit was settled. The whole trouble dates from the time we refused to pay for his band concerts. We only ran off the track three times last year, and have never had but one $60 accident. We have tried to give the best service possible, and no one has complained. We are now ready to expend $20,000 or $25,000 on this line, which we must pay out of our earnings and it will take every cent we take in for three years to do it. This was meant for a summer road, and we were obliged to operate it for the first five years, five months a year. We will run the whole year if there is anyone to ride. Just as soon as they show us anyone wants to ride we will be just as quick to give service. Mr. Meyers' statement that he will build a road is a bluff. His articles of corporation published are wrong. He only has seven subscribers, and the law says he must have fifteen. This is not the place to ask for a five-cent fare. There is a proper tribunal for that. We will run through cars to Neponset as he wants if it will accommodate people, but all the riding is to City Square or the railroad. He did not think he should make an agreement for Mr. Meyers, as he was the only one asking it. We are willing to do what is right, as soon as business demands it.

In answer to Councilman Nichols, Mr. Graham said, we shall probably run fifteen-minute time on Sundays, and half-hour time on other days. It might be necessary to run fifteen-minute cars at certain times or two cars on a trip. If the road would pay $5 a day we would be willing to run in winter.

Then followed a little tilt between Mr. Meyers and Mr. Graham, during which the former wanted to cross-question Mr. Graham, who declined to be thus questioned.

In answer to Councilman Bryant, Mr. Graham said for the first five years we were obliged to operate the road five months a year. After that we came under the general law, which is not less than six months a year.

Mr. Meyers—I know of fifty-two families who would reside at Houghs Neck all winter if there was car accommodation.

Councilman Poland—Would it be possible to guarantee the railroad all under $5 a day they do not take in?

Mr. Meyers — I will personally guarantee it.

In answer to Councilman Bryant, Mr. Graham said it would cost $9.60 a day to run six trips a day. If we can take $5 we would be willing to loose the balance.

Councilman Bryant—You would be willing to make a contract with the

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BRILLIANT GATHERING.

Formal Opening of The Cochato Club-house Last Evening.

Grand Reception, Excellent Music, Dancing and Refreshments.

The costly, pretty home of The Cochato Club was opened last night to the members, about two hundred and fifty in number and their friends. Early in the evening the people began to arrive and soon there was hardly room to move around, there being about five hundred present. The whole building was opened; in the basement bowling and refresments were enjoyed; on the main floor were informal gatherings, pool and billiard games being played in the billiard hall, and upon the second floor to excellent music, dancing was in order.

Between the hours of eight or nine, the officers of the club received their friends. The receiving party were Mr. and Mrs. Geerge O. Wales, Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Avery, and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hilliard.

The beautiful pictures are permanently loaned by Miss Ella Sheppard, Miss Eva Macomber, Mrs. Russell Lane, E. Aubrey Hunt, Miss Pierce, Mrs. Emily Thurston, Granville, Bowditch, Arthur W. Dow, Miss Fannie Tewksberry, Miss Harriet D. Condon and others.

Throughout the building the furnishings showed perfect taste for a club house.

The ushers were as follows:

Horace R. Drinkwater, Braintree.
Davis B. Clapp, East Weymouth.
Harry L. Patten, Braintree.
Lowell T. Hayden, Braintree.
George E. Sampson, Braintree.
Harold Curtis, North Weymouth.
John F. Hollis, Hingham.
Edward E. Haskell, Braintree.
Fred Howe, Wollaston.

T. D. Cook & Co., caterers, served in the basement, wholesome refreshments, the best that money could procure.

For a club right hand man, the services has been secured of L. Leonard Slater, from the Highland club of Lowell. He was present dressed in a uniform and he filled his position perfectly.

J. H. Macandrew had charge of the men's checking room Willie H. Shaw kept behind the counter in the office selling bowling tickets, cigars, etc.

Bowling commenced at 8.30 with Mr. W. A. McKean sending a large ball down an alley knocking down every pin. Charles O. Miller followed, in the next alley and E. Stanwood Hollis in the third. The three boys at the end of the alleys were kept hustling until the close of the clubhouse at about twelve o'clock.

THE GOWNS.

By the kindness of the Herald we are able to give a partial list of the more noticeable gowns:

Mrs. George O. Wales, black point d'esprit over black taffeta, diamond ornaments and violets.

Mrs. Henry M. Faxon of Quincy, pale gray crepe with turquoise taffeta.

Mrs. A. S. Morrison, black and white figured silk with jet.

Miss Alice Morrison, pink figured silk, with black velvet and pink ribbons.

Mrs. E. M. Macomber, black satin, black and white silk trimmings.

Mrs. George T. Burnham, red and black triped taffeta.

Miss Shaw, gray taffeta silk.

Miss Sara Shaw, pearl cashmere, cerise panne trimmings.

Mrs. C. G. Thompson, black grenadine, with embroidered chiffon and diamonds.

Mrs. A. C. Drinkwater, violet cloth, with antique lace and chiffon.

Mrs. C. P. Anderson, black net, embroidered with jet sequins, diamond ornaments.

Mrs. T. R. Newell, black net over black satin.

Mrs. Dexter Wadsworth, of Quincy, black net over turquoise taffeta.

Miss Edith Ripley, white organdie, with lace insertion over pink.

Mrs. H. L. Dearing, gray nun's veiling, bodice trimmed with sable and point lace.

Miss Olive Thompson, pink organdie ever pink silk

Miss Helen Waite, figured organdie over pink.

Mrs. William Stone, black crepon and jet.

Mrs. Oaks Bridgham, pale blue bengaline, ruches of white chiffon.

Mrs. J. W. West, white peau de soie and black chiffon.

Miss Gallagher, black grenadine, with cerise velvet.

Miss Agnes Gallagher, white moire, with pale blue velvet.

Mrs. C. F. White, black lace, with colored paillettes over blue silk.

Miss Holbrook, black and white organdie over yellow silk.

Miss Antoinette Holbrook, white organdie over yellow silk.

Miss Helen Bates, red and white muslin over white silk.

Mrs. Kingsbury, white mousseline de soie over blue silk.

Mrs. Frederick Wilson, yellow changeable silk, vest of shirred silk muslin.

Mrs. E. M. Underhill, gray nun's veiling, point lace and diamonds.

Mrs. Eugene Dyer, black crepon and point lace.

Mrs. G. E. Williams, white silk muslin over lavender silk.

Mrs. C. D. Harlow, white bengaline, with pearl trimmings and violets.

Miss Hewes, white dotted swiss muslin, violets.

Miss Katharine Howes, white organdie over pink.

Mrs. Frank H. Mason, black velvet corsage with vest of gray embroidered chiffon over white silk.

Mrs. Helen Hunt, black chiffon over black taffeta, violets.

Mrs. J. C. Danforth, black grenadine over green silk, bodice decorated with pink chiffon ruches, diamond ornaments.

Mrs. John Dwight, black gros grain silk, yoke and sleeves of black silk net over gray.

Miss Helen Drinkwater, pink flowered organdie over white.

Mrs. Albert Avery, black chantily lace over red taffeta.

Miss Small, black satin brocade, with pearl ornaments.

Miss Pierce, gray peau de soie, with point lace and turquoise chiffon.

Mrs. H. A. Jones, black brocaded silk.

Mrs. D. J. Pierce, lavender tucked taffeta.

Miss Ella Sheppard, yellow embroidered muslin, with black velvet and lace.

Mrs. Frank Dearing, black embroidered net over pale blue silk.

Mrs. E. W. Stone, lavender silk, with purple velvet trimmings and volets.

Mrs. Horace Drinkwater, white organdie, with yellow satin ribbon trimmings.

Mrs. G. W. Burr, violet-figured bengaline, renaissance lace and diamonds.

Mrs. N. F. T. Hayden, black silk, trimmed with jetted lace.

Miss Fanny Hayden, white organdie over yellow silk.

Mrs. M. L. Jennings, black spangled net over white satin, blue panne velvet.

Mrs. H. Sands Burgess, black satin brocade with duchesse lace.

Miss Edith Howe, white organdie.

Mrs. A. P. Soule, cerise silk, with black velvet trimmings.

Mrs. Minchin, pink and green taffeta.

Mrs. G. W. Tinkham, black embroidered chiffon, turquoise and violet trimmings.

Miss Maude Tinkham, blue organdie over blue silk.

Mrs. Granville Bowditch, black grenadine over blue silk.

Mrs. W. A. McKean, black satin brocade, yoke of embroidered white satin.

Mrs. Walter McKean, pink and white silk.

Miss Mary French, blue silk, pale yellow satin trimmings and violets.

Mrs. W. E. Dow, turquoise bengaline and white taffeta.

Miss Alice Dow, white embroidered muslin over white silk.

Mrs. E. R. Wellington, fawn cloth, brown panne velvet and white tucked taffeta.

Mrs. J. F. Sheppard, gray satin brocade, corsage trimmed with point lace.

Mrs. Perryfield, black point d'esprit, with blue panne velvet.

Mrs. E. A. Haskell, black grenadine with turquoise chiffon.

Mrs. F. D. Thayer, blue and white foulard, with violets.

Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, lavender and white bastiste, entre deux of black chantilly lace.

Mrs. H. T. Drake of Quincy, Persian taffeta, black velvet and diamonds.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

New York got the heavy snow storm expected in New England.

A regular meeting of the City Council will be held Monday night.

Rev. Ambrose F. Roche preached an interesting Lenten sermon to his former parish, at the St. Paul's church, Hingham, on Wednesday evening.

The meeting of the N. E. O. P. last evening indicated that the lodge is flourishing. Ice cream and cake were served.

There is a great amount of sickness in Quincy just at present, due largely to colds, and the local physicians are kept busy.

A. A. Linscott has his eyes on Ledger readers today, and he makes it his business to preserve the eyes of the people of Quincy.

Massasoit lodge of Odd Fellows of Brockton will make a return visit to Mt. Wollaston lodge of Quincy on Tuesday evening, March 27.

Commissioner Knowlton this morning received notice from Mayor Hall that he considered him to be under contract to the city for a year and therefore he could not release him.

The Quincy Band Literary society discussed the subject of liberty at their rooms on school street, Thursday evening. William Dickie, president of the society, read a paper on "Liberty."

It is quite evident that the junk dealers' licenses, as issued by the city are not worth the paper they are printed upon, as the statutes provide that the law governing them shall be printed upon them.

The address of Mr. Bool at Bethany church tomorrow evening will be of especial interest to teachers and scholars in Sunday Schools. Mr. Bool illustrates his talk with articles specially mentioned in the Bible.

The O'Rouke Bros. of Brookline, New Hampshire, shipped to Quincy last week a handsome block of granite weighing sixteen tons. It took twelve horses and several men three days to draw it from the quarry to the cars.

George Kenney, draughtsman at the Fore River Engine Works, Weymouth, who has been ill for several weeks with rheumatism was brought to the Quincy City hospital on Thursday, where it is hoped he will soon improve.

The hearing to have been held Friday before the Legislative Committee on Counties, relative to apportioning the cost of maintaining the Quincy and Hingham bridges between Norfolk and Plymouth counties, was postponed for lack of quorum of the committee.

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By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer.
Office, Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

LARGE BUILDING

— AT —

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TO be torn down and all portion thereof to be removed in ten days from sale. Said building is known as the

PIERCE BLOCK

property of the Quincy & Boston Street Railway, situated No. 4 Washington street, Quincy, will be sold on the premises MONDAY, April 2, 1900, at 2 P. M. The buyer will be held strictly to the condition of the sale,—building to be torn down and all portions thereof removed from said land in ten days from date of sale everything left upon the land at the expiration of above date will be claimed by said Company. Terms Cash on day of sale.

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Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

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Atlantic and Wollaston both have first class side walks on their main thoroughfares leading from the stations and when these were put in, the condition of the former sidewalks did not begin to compare with the present condition of the stretch of mud, which I will term sidewalk for the pleasure of the men of hidden identity, on Billings road. It is only in freezing weather that the apologetic sidewalks or the street can be used, and with every warm day the pedestrians are obliged to walk the sleepers on the Q. & B. electric line.

I should like to offer the following facts for the edification of the gentlemen behind the woodpile, and to demonstrate to the citizens of Quincy why we feel justified in requesting at least one sacred spot upon which we may walk, without being in danger of having our rubbers extracted.

This section was opened eight years ago, and up to this time there has been appropriated only five hundred dollars for grading Faxon road, and three thousand dollars expended on Billings road in ward six last summer. The remainder of the appropriation of fifty-five hundred was for putting in a culvert and grading on that part of Billings road in Ward 5.

Now the city assessors report that Wards 5 and 6 are increasing faster in valuation than any other ward in the city, and as a matter of fact, Norfolk Downs and Wollaston Park are contributing most largely to this increase.

Against this appropriation of thirty-five hundred dollars, which Norfolk Downs has had in the course of eight years, are the many thousands of dollars that have been paid in taxes. The exact figures I do not have at the present moment but will gladly furnish them upon request of "W. A. S." providing he will sign his name to such a request.

When "W. A. S." laments the fact that the city is asked to spend eight thousand dollars on permanent sidewalks, he evidently overlooks the fact that the abutters pay one-half of this amount back to the city; and, furthermore, if the abutters did not pay it immediately, that the city will receive five per cent. on this amount until it is paid.

Furthermore, we are very thankful that our abutters are public spirited enough to sign a petition for permanent sidewalks, one-half of the cost of which will fall on them. The petition would probably have never been presented to the Council with all these signatures, however, if all abutters took as narrow a view of the city affairs as your most learned three initialed correspondents.

Now, if "W. A. S." and "A. S. M." can only perceive the idea that the improvements in each section of Quincy are for the good of the whole, and that the law of right says that we owe it to do all we can for common good, I think they will find their mind in a condition to obtain a broader view of the city affairs.

L. F. R. Langelier.

Norfolk Downs, March 16, 1900.

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Makes light, flaky, delicious hot biscuits, rolls, muffins and crusts. Makes hot bread wholesome. These are qualities peculiar to it alone.

I have found the Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.
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ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

HOUGHS NECK TRACK

Continued from page 4.

city to carry the school children for a certain price?

Mr. Graham—Yes.

Councilman Bryant — These people claim they want winter service. Would you be willing to try an experiment for one winter to run trips in the morning two at noon and two at night and if you do not take $5 a day to discontinue the service afterwards?

Mr. Graham—That is a fair proposition. I think we would be willing to try that experiment, that is from Nov. 1 to April 1, but I should have to consult my directors the understanding to be if we do not take in $5 a day to discontinue the winter trips the next year.

There was no one else who desired to speak on the matter and the hearing closed.

Base Ball.

Braintree, March 13, 1900.

To the Thayer Academy Alumnae:

I greatly desire finishing the coming base-ball season on Saturday, June 16th, with a game between a picked team composed of graduates of Thayer Academy and this year's team.

Such games are a time-honored custom in most schools and I think would result as such at Thayer if once tried.

Trusting to hear from some member of the alumnae at an early date, I am,

Very truly,

M. L. Emerson.

Manager 1900 team.

American plants may not be needed in Cuba, but we notice that the American Roots are receiving much attention over there, and that the popularity of an American Wood continues to increase.

Whist, Pool and Bowling.

The return games between the members of the Braintree club and Commonwealth club of Weymouth, were contested at the rooms of the Common wealth club last Wednesday evening. A large crowd accompanied the members of the Braintree club, and the Commonwealth boys played roll of hosts in a highly acceptable manner. The Braintrees captured all the events with the exception of whist. Messrs. Guy and Hunt of the Commonwealths defeated Messrs. Connell and Thayer of the Braintrees by 25 points. Messrs. Bond and Neal of the Commonwealths defeated Holbrook and Gammons of the Braintrees by four points, Messrs. Stevens and Hayward of the Braintrees winning from Worster and Drown by six points. This gave the Commonwealths a lead of 23 points for the game and six points for the series. The Braintrees lead in everything else. Harlow W. Waite at billiards defeated "Andy" Burrell 75 to 28, and J. Frank Hobart trimmed R. T. Rollins to the tune of 75 to 29. At pool Charles Gage walked away from his opponent F. P. Hayward by a score of 50 to 25, McCauley of the Commonwealths defeating George Fuller in a close game 50 to 45, the Braintrees winning out on totals by 20 points.

BRAINTREES.

	1	2	3	Total
Harry L. Chase,	70	77	82	229
Arthur B. French,	72	74	76	222
George A. Call,	71	92	71	234
Ralph Geary,	84	75	71	230
—— Sampson,	64	60	74	198
	361	378	374	1113

COMMONWEALTHS.

	1	2	3	Total
John P. Hunt,	70	65	84	219
H. Drown,	59	73	71	203
Charles W. Baker,	74	68	105	247
Percy B. Cook,	62	62	77	211
Carleton Drown,	69	76	71	216
	334	354	408	1096

DIED.

ROSS—In Quincy, March 16, Miss Catherine Ross of Quincy street, aged 77 years, 9 months and 4 days.

NIGHTINGALE—In Barnstable, March 16, Mr. Nathaniel Nightingale of Quincy, aged 91 years.
Burial at Mt. Wollaston, Quincy, Monday, Mar. 19.

HILL—At the National Sailors' Home, March 16, Mr. George Hill, aged 64 years. Chicago papers please copy,

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE
Who are injured by the use or coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

EDUCATIONAL.

The Parker Anniversary, Friday and Saturday, April 20 and 21.

The school report of North Adams for the last year shows a decrease of 175 in total enrollment, but an increase of 4 in average number belonging. The average daily attendance is just the same as in the previous year. If Quincy could have time to catch her breath by coming to a standstill for a year, she might be able to prevent an increase in her school expenses. As it is, there has been an annual growth of 193.6 from January 1, 1899, to January 1, 1900.

Chicago, December 11, 1899.

Mr. H. W. Lull, Superintendent, Quincy, Mass.

Dear Sir:—I am in receipt of your letter of December 8, and am proud to acknowledge it, and the honor its receipt confers on me. I shall gladly accept your invitation to attend the 25th anniversary of the beginning of the Quincy work of my friend Col. Parker. Would not miss it on any account.

Yours truly,

Orville T. Bright,

Superintendent of Schools, Cook County, Illinois.

"Fighting for four years, as best I could, for the preservation of the democratic ideal, a teacher of little children for nearly forty years, I believe four things, as I believe in God—that democracy is the one hope of the world; that democracy without efficient common schools is impossible; that every school in the land should be made a home and a heaven for children; fourth, that when the ideal of the public school is realized, "the blood shed by the blessed martyrs for freedom will not have been shed in vain."

Francis W. Parker, 1894.

The whole number of different pupils enrolled in the Quincy public schools since last September is 4,925. Of these 485 were members of the High school. As there are twelve grades, and four of these are in the High, in the "ideally perfect system where every pupil enters the lowest and graduates from the highest grade" the largest enrollment in the High school should be four-twelfths of the total, 4,925. By this rule 1,642 should be in the High, or in some institutions of learning above the grammar grades. In these higher institutions are about 200 pupils. These added to the High make a total of 685. The per cent. for the High alone is 30; but for the High and the others it is 42. This method is the only fair one for a basis of comparison and now it is being adopted everywhere. Secretary Hill says:—"It is safe to say that more than twenty-five per cent. of the children of the Commonwealth succeed in entering the high school; and this percentage is increasing much faster than the population."

—"Any one who has attained to the capacity of exact observation and exact description, and knows what it is to draw a correct inference from well-determined premises, will naturally acquire a respect for these powers, when exhibited by others in fields unknown to him. Moreover, any one who has learned how hard it is to determine a fact, to state it accurately, and to draw from it the justly limited inference, will be sure that he himself cannot do these things except in a very limited field. He will know that his own personal activity must be limited to a few subjects if his capacity is to be really excellent in any. He will be sure that the too common belief that a Yankee can turn his hand to anything is a mischievous delusion. Having, as a result of his education, some vision of the great range of knowledge and capacity needed in the business of the world, he will respect the trained capacities which he sees developed in great diversity in other people; in short, he will come to respect and confide in the expert in every field of human activity. Confidence in experts, and willingness to employ them and abide by their decisions, are among the best signs of intelligence in an educated individual or an educated community; and in any democracy which is to thrive, this respect and confidence must be felt strongly by the majority of the population. In the conduct of private and corporations business in the United States, the employment of experts is well recognized as the only rational and successful method No one would think of building a bridge or a dam, or setting up a power station or a cotton mill, without relying absolutely upon the advice of intelligent experts. The democracy must learn, in governmental affairs, whether municipal, State, or National, to experts and abide by their decision—President Eliot.

—An electric horse whip, gives the animal a shock instead of a cut. A small battery is embedded in the celluoid handle, and this is controlled by a push button.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

LOST.

LOST—Will the gentleman who picked up a fur gauntlet in the car on leaving the 5.28 train at Atlantic on MONDAY, the 12th inst., please to communicate with H. W. BARKER, 22 Greenleaf street, and state where the glove may now be found. March 14-4t

WANTED.

WANTED—10 Girls for Factory, also General Housework girls. Ladies in want of good competent nurse can be accommodated. MISSES FLYNN, 12 Hancock street. March 15-6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also half-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises.
Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

TO LET—Furnished Room with furnace heat and bath room. Apply at 27 Chestnut street, cor. Cottage ave.

Wagons For Sale.

ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO.
March 6. 1m

TO LET.

SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.
CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

B. F. CURTIS,

49 Elm Street, Quincy.

TO LET.

Half House of 5 rooms on Baxter Place. City water. $8.50 per month.
Half House of 6 rooms on Elm Place, near Universalist church. South side, in good repair. $12.50 per month.

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Farm, 50 acres, house and outbuildings, head Summer street.
Large store, 162 Hancock street, city water dry cellar and workshop.
House, 7 rooms, 12 Washington street.
Half House, 8 rooms, 16 Cottage street, with stable.
Half House, 4 rooms, 19 Kidder street.
Half House, 5 rooms, city water, 13 Field street.
Three tenements, 51 Howard street, Quincy Neck.
Double House, 4 rooms in each half, 15 Brackett street.
Half House, 6 rooms, Pond street. Land with same if desired.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
Stable with city water, 28 Coddington street. $5 per month.
Stable and sheds near Quincy Centre on Coddington street. $4.00 per month.
Small stable, No. 2 Quincy street. $3 per month.
100 Windows and Blinds for sale.
Wharf, with office, blacksmith shops, etc. Quincy Neck.
Basement, head of Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage or pasturing purposes.
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Fifty loads of loam for sale.
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For particulars, enquire of, or address

HENRY H. FAXON, Quincy, Mass.
Quincy, March 13, 1900. 1m

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

EMILY S. LEE,

late of Bradford, Vermont, having estate in said County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Carrie E. Lee of Quincy without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day in least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
March 17 3t 17-23-30

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JONATHAN COBB, Register.
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April 29—1y mayl Ltf

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Spring will soon be here. Get your clothes ready now.

Don't you like the color of them, or are they faded? Have them dyed.

Are they soiled? Have them cleansed.

Are they out of shape? Have them pressed.

Don't they fit you right? Have them altered.

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It will pay you to bring your clothes to us and have them done right at the very lowest prices.

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L. WARSHAW, - Proprietor.

March 14. tf

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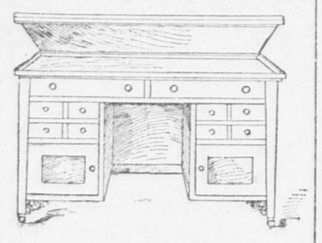
ABOUT THE KITCHEN.

MAKING THE BEST OF IT AS FOUND IN THE AVERAGE HOUSE.

A Kitchen Cabinet That Conduces to Neatness, Order and Ease—Arrangement of Shelves and Cupboards—How to Improve the Floor.

With the spring one's ideas turn to the renovation and improvement of domestic belongings, and perhaps the spot where changes are often really desirable is that stronghold of the home—the kitchen. It is by no means an ideal kitchen that the average housekeeper has at her command. Such luxury is reserved for the favored few who have sufficient means to build their kitchens with reference to every convenience, as well as to every known sanitary law.

Most housekeepers, however, must take their kitchens as they find them, often poorly lighted and ventilated and with the most meager accommodation for the working utensils to be stored



A KITCHEN TABLE.

there. It is to these, to the housekeepers who wish to make the best of what they have and by degrees collect conveniences for lightening work, that the following hints are addressed by The Household:

The kitchen table here shown has two tops, the upper one hinged. This, when raised, reveals a kneading board that is thus always kept scrupulously clean. The drawers and closets hold groceries and kitchen dishes, so that everything needed in cooking may be at hand without taking needless steps.

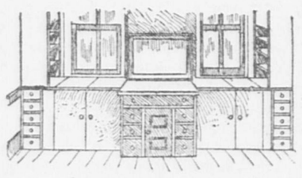
One cannot realize until using such a cabinet as this how much of the labor of cooking comes from the necessity of going first in one direction and then in another for materials or utensils. The pantry is often inconveniently located or too small to work comfortably in. In such cases this table, located in the kitchen, will be found of the greatest convenience.

One can hardly have too many shelves and cupboards in a kitchen. There are always so many things to be stowed away. When there are two windows on one side of the room, a convenient arrangement of shelves and cupboards may be made in like manner, as shown by the sketch.

The top of the center cupboard forms a huge kneading board and has a cover with fitted sides and ends to let down over this kneading board top, being hinged at the rear. Under this top is a broad drawer, in which are kept the rolling pin, biscuit cutter, measuring cups and various other articles used in cooking.

Upon either side are closets arranged, one for a flour barrel and the other for sugar and buckets of pastry, graham and rye flour. The shelves will be found useful for all groceries and may be screened from view by means of curtains suspended from rods. Such an arrangement will be a boon to the woman who has a small pantry.

If your floor is an old one and shows unsightly cracks, instead of covering it with an oilcloth try filling the cracks with a mixture made with one pound of flour, three quarts of water and a teaspoonful of alum. Make a paste by cooking them well together and after removing from the fire stir into it a lot



SHELVES AND CUPBOARDS.

of paper torn in small pieces and let it soak, stirring as much as you can until the paper is a pulp and the mass so thick that it is difficult to stir longer.

Apply this to the cracks, first making sure that the floor has been freshly swept and washed. Force the mixture into the cracks, smoothing it off even with the surface. Leave it to dry thoroughly, and you will find that it is more lasting and a great deal cheaper than putty. It can be painted over the same as wood.

Often in old fashioned houses, especially in farmhouses, there are a few steps leading from the kitchen to a back room or shed. These may be converted into a convenient nook for the storing of bottles, wrapping paper, twine, etc.

Often the soapstone tubs are set in the kitchen, when there is no laundry in the house. These are unsightly looking unless covered over with a board made to fit them exactly. Above these tubs have pine shelves, with a curtain of washable material.

For Bassinet or Cradle.

A roll pillow is the latest shape pillow for the bassinet, or cradle, according to Ladies' Home Journal. It is a roll 18 inches long and about 12 inches in circumference. It may be filled with feathers or hair. The cover is of pink or blue sateen and the case of nainsook, finished at each end with an edging and insertion of valenciennes lace. The case extends far enough beyond the ends of the pillow to permit of its being drawn up with running strings, so that the projecting parts will form frills around which ribbon may be tied if desired.

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW.

Bradstreet's Finds Business, on the Whole, to Be of Quite Satisfactory Character.

New York, March 17.—Bradstreet's says: Trade advices are, as a whole, cheerful, and the strength of values is apparently unabated, though some "soft spots" still present themselves. A prominent feature this week has been the increase in strength of values of farm products, nearly all the cereals, pork products and cotton advancing, while materials for manufacture and the products thereof have generally remained steady or unchanged. Corn and wheat reached the highest point touched on the crop of 1899.

Wool is fairly steady, but manufacturers are out of the market.

Hides have been dull, and leather rather quiet. Manufacturers of shoes are busy, and weather conditions have rather favored the retailer by enabling him to dispose of some carried-over stock.

Though quiet, the iron and steel situation has developed a rather more confident tone. Less is heard about shaded quotations, though, on the other hand, the volume of new business has not been very large.

Business failures for the week number 190, as compared with 205 in this week a year ago, and 233 in 1898.

Remonstrance Would Be Justified.

London, March 17.—The Shanghai correspondent of The Times says: Concurrently with the representations of the American association to Washington against the anti-foreign policy of the Empress Dowager, the China association has suggested to the British minister (Sir Claude MacDonald) that a remonstrance against the action of the Chinese government would be consistent with British policy. The present attitude of the diplomatic body in Pekin appears to indicate acquiescence in the reactionary policy of the empress dowager.

Granite Manufacturers Yielding.

Boston, March 17.—Five more firms conceded to the demands of the striking granite cutters on Friday, and in each case the eight-hour workday, at a minimum of $3, was granted. The firms have decided, it is reported, not to stand by the Granite Manufacturers' association in holding out against the workmen. Three of the firms are located in Milford, Mass., and two others in Groton, Conn., and Roxbury, Conn. Conferences at Quincy and Concord, N. H., were unavailing.

The Latest In Union Labels.

Chicago, March 17.—The Times-Herald says: A committee has been appointed by the wood workers to unionize the coffin factories. They will insist that each casket bear the union label, which is a metal plate with the words, "Union Made, Amalgamated Wood Workers' International Union of America." The wood workers will attempt to organize the grave diggers into a union and have them refuse to inter a body unless it is encased in a union-made casket.

Supposed Thieves In Custody.

Boston, March 17.—Some mystery attaches to the arrest of Marguerite R. Cummings, young, pretty and richly dressed. She is charged with complicity in several thefts for which George Williams is now in jail. The girl claims that she is the wife of Williams. The police allege that her story is false. Williams and the young woman are believed by the police to have been systematically robbing lodging houses in Boston during the past two months.

The Yale Varioloid Scare.

New Haven, March 17.—What appears to be another case of varioloid was discovered yesterday. The victim is Rufus Parks, Jr. He lives in "The Colony," the fraternity house of a society. The 17 men in the house were notified that an espionage, virtually a quarantine, would be exercised over them, and they must not go abroad nor attend recitations. They have also been vaccinated.

Ruhlin Ready For All Comers.

New York, March 17.—Gus Ruhlin yesterday issued a challenge to all the crack big fellows, including Champion Jeffries, and posted $2500 with The World as evidence of good faith. Jeffries, Fitzsimmons and McCoy disposed of Ruhlin's challenge by saying they would not fight him. Sharkey said he would cover Ruhlin's money, and would sign whenever Ruhlin was ready.

Big Cigar Factory Closed.

New York, March 17.—The American Tobacco company discharged its entire list of over 500 employes yesterday from the cigar factory here and will move its plant to its factories in Richmond, Baltimore, Cincinnati and Lancaster, Pa. Manager Gordon said: "Labor is too expensive here and we can get it cheaper in the other places."

Sequel to an Elopement.

Fall River, Mass., March 17.—Mrs. Jessie Scully, who, when Miss Jessie Barnard, eloped with her rich grandmother's coachman, Philip Scully, and married him, was granted a decree by Judge Fuller in the probate court yesterday, granting her the right to live apart from her husband and the custody of her three children.

Convicted on Brother's Evidence.

Lewistown, Mont., March 17.—William W. Calder was hanged here yesterday for the murder of F. McRae and his sheep herder. Calder and his brother, James, murdered the men and cremated their bodies, taking McRae's sheep, numbering 3000, to Big Timber, where they sold them. James turned state's evidence.

Nothing Sensational Developed.

Boston, March 17.—The investigation of the Boston park department by the aldermanic committee began yesterday with none of the expected sensational developments. The evidence at the first session was chiefly on the ordinary work done in the park system.

Oswego Has Crusade Fever.

Oswego, N. Y., March 17.—A crusade against vice, headed by Rev. Father Barry, has been instituted in Oswego. All concert halls have been ordered closed by the police, by the order of Mayor Hall and the police commissioners.

A PATIENT OFFICER.

Rear Admiral Remey, Who Succeeds Watson at Manila.

Rear Admiral George C. Remey, who succeeds Rear Admiral Watson in command of the Asiatic station, is an officer of great ability and excellent record. His flagship will be in Manila harbor, and his squadron will be the largest and most important of any in the entire navy.

This appointment comes as a reward of merit to Admiral Remey, who is not only a good naval officer, but a most patient and good natured gentleman. He ranks Watson by two numbers and was originally selected as Dewey's successor a year ago, but there was a disposition to solace Watson for his disappointment in not attacking the coast of Spain with his flying squadron after the destruction of Cervera's fleet, and

REAR ADMIRAL GEORGE C. REMEY.

Remey graciously stood aside and took the chances of getting the European station revived. When it was decided last fall to send an admiral to the south Atlantic, Remey had another opportunity, which he magnanimously surrendered to Schley.

In the war with Spain no man in the service, except the naval bureau chiefs, did greater work for the government than Remey, who commanded the naval base at Key West and kept the squadrons supplied on the blockading line. It was an obscure position, so far as popular knowledge of its prime importance went, but it was as essential to the successful conduct of the war as the more brilliant achievements of Schley and Dewey.

Admiral Remey is an Iowa man. He was appointed to the academy at Annapolis in 1855 and was graduated in 1859. At the beginning of the civil war he was commissioned a lieutenant of the gunboat Marblehead in the south Atlantic blockading squadron. He was present at the siege of Yorktown and on several occasions engaged the batteries at long range. At the battle of West Point, Va., he was compelled to act as an idle spectator in consequence of his ship being disabled. The actions in which he took part during the war were many. He was captured in 1863. After the end of the war he was made a lieutenant commander and later served in numerous posts of the navy on land and on sea. In October, 1885, he was made a captain and in the same year was placed in command of the Charleston squadron of evolution. His most recent post of duty has been that of commandant at the Portsmouth navy yard.

SHE OWNS A BALL TEAM.

The Only Woman Baseball Magnate In the Country.

Mrs. Mary H. Vanderbeck of Detroit has a unique distinction. She is the only woman in the country who owns a baseball team. Mrs. Vanderbeck did not seek the distinction. It was thrust upon her. It came through getting a divorce from her husband. The courts assigned her this part of her husband's possessions. She is willing to sell if she can get her price. If not, she intends to direct the team and take what profits come to her.

Mrs. Vanderbeck is a good looking woman of about 40. She has never figured as a sportswoman, but she enjoys baseball and has been an attendant at games for several years. She is a New York state woman, having been brought up at Binghamton, where she

MRS. MARY H. VANDERBECK.

was married about ten years ago to George A. Vanderbeck, who had accumulated considerable wealth in California and had come east looking for investments.

Six years ago the Vanderbecks settled in Detroit, where the husband established a Western league baseball club. They went to housekeeping, and Mrs. Vanderbeck lived a very quiet life, although her home was sumptuously furnished. She had few acquaintances and did no entertaining.

SHORTAGE OF OVER $30,000.

Young Bundy's Social and Political Prominence May Save Him From Prosecution.

Elmira, N. Y., March 17.—Frank E. Bundy, who for six years has occupied the office of chamberlain of this city and for three years previously was clerk in the chamberlain's office, has confessed a shortage of over $30,000 in his accounts.

Bundy was the Democratic candidate for mayor and was defeated at the charter election on March 6. At the first meeting of the Republican council following the election a committee was appointed to examine the chamberlain's books. It is said that Bundy tried to pull every string to be retained in office under the administration of his successful rival, but failed. On satisfying himself that his books would be investigated he went to the attorney for his bondsmen and confessed to being short in his accounts over $30,000. James B. Rathbone, one of the bondsmen, has taken charge of the chamberlain's office on behalf of the other bondsmen, including the Fidelity and Deposit company of Baltimore, which was on the bond for $100,000 for the past year.

Bundy was a young man of social prominence and was universally liked. He is now prostrated at his home from a nervous shock and is under the care of his physician. It is understood that Bundy will not be prosecuted, arrangements to that effect having been perfected.

To Keep Posted on War Matters.

Washington, March 17.—Secretary Long yesterday issued the order constituting a general board "to insure efficient preparation of the fleet in case of war and for the naval defense of the coast." The order designated the admiral of the navy, the chief of the bureau of navigation, the chief intelligence officer and his principal assistant, the president of the naval war college and his principal assistant, the three other officers not yet named, as the board, which is to meet once a month in this city.

Germany Has No Objections.

Berlin, March 17.—Referring to the attacks on American missionaries in China and to the orders issued by the United States government to Admiral Watson to send a warship to Taku to look after the interest of missionaries, a high official of the German foreign office says: "Germany does not claim authority over the entire Shantung peninsula, and the United States government has a perfect right to send a ship there for the protection of American citizens."

Broad Defeated by Sullivan.

New York, March 17.—At the Broadway Athletic club last night Dave Sullivan defeated Kid Broad in a 25-round bout at 124 pounds. Four months ago these two featherweights met, and on that occasion, while Sullivan got an awful drubbing, he managed to last the limit of 25 rounds, but Broad got the decision. Broad was the favorite last night, 100 to 70 being freely laid on his chances of winning.

Taylor to Seek President's Aid.

Frankfort, Ky., March 17.—Governor Taylor spent the entire day at the executive mansion yesterday in conference with Republican leaders. It is understood that a memorial to President McKinley asking him to intervene and take a hand in the political contest was the subject of this conference, but decision was not reached as to the exact terms of the message that will be sent to the president.

Schooner Blown Ashore.

Fall River, Mass., March 17.—Schooner John F. Kranz, Fernandina, Fla., for this port, was blown upon the rocks off South Somerset during the gale yesterday. It may be necessary to unload the Kranz before she can be floated again. The captain and crew of the Kranz are on board the vessel, there having been no necessity for abandoning her.

Sang on His Journey to Gallows.

Kaufman, Tex., March 17.—King Martin, a negro, was hanged here yesterday for criminal assault on a white woman. He stood upright in a wagon driven from the jail to the scaffold, more than a mile distant, and sang hymns all the way.

Employers Must Settle For Injuries.

Providence, March 17.—A verdict for $6000 was given in the common pleas court in the case of Sarah McGarr against the National and Providence worsted mills. The suit was for injuries caused by the breaking of a belt.

Miners' Wages Voluntarily Raised.

Greensburg, Pa., March 17.—The miners employed at the various works of Coulter & Huff will be given an advance of 10 percent on April 1. There will be about 5000 men affected. The advance comes unsolicited.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Bowen R. Church, cornet soloist of Reeves' American band of Providence, has been elected leader, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of D. W. Reeves.

The mercury dropped 24 degrees in eastern Tennessee and north Georgia, and everything is frozen in that section. Fruit growers will lose heavily.

By the fall of a "hang" at the Monongahela Furnace company at McKeesport, Pa., one man was cremated, two fatally burned and two others badly injured.

Rev. Richard L. Swaine of South Hadley Falls, Mass., who was extended a call to the pastorate of the First Congregational church at Laconia, N. H., has decided to accept.

The officials of the treasury are overrun with work as a result of the passage of the new financial bill, which involved the funding of the old long term bonds into new gold bonds bearing 2 percent interest.

Mount Pleasant, N. Y., was visited by a fire which destroyed a store and three houses. Three persons were injured, one fatally.

Michael Iatros, the foremost Greek of Lowell, Mass., has been appointed consul at that place by the King of Greece. Mr. Iatros is a highly cultured citizen, and has appeared upon several occasions before various educational clubs of Lowell.

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Mr. Allen (Neb.) offered an amendment to the bill declaring that the constitution extends over Puerto Rico by its own force, but it was lost by the decisive vote of 36 to 17. Mr. Jones (Ark.) withdrew a free trade amendment offered by him and that proposition, therefore, did not reach a vote. Other efforts to amend the bill were fruitless.

The senate steering committee on Puerto Rican legislation held a brief session yesterday, but transacted no business beyond agreeing to meet again Monday. Nothing occurred to indicate the possible course of action to be pursued.

Yesterday was private bill day in the house, under the new rule. About two hours were spent in the discussion of the bill to pay Representative Swanson $1769 for extra expenses incurred by him in his contest in the last congress, but the bill was ultimately abandoned. Six bills of minor importance were passed.

Former Minister Was Sensitive.

Washington, March 17.—The state department has been notified that the Persian government is about to send a minister to Washington. For years this post has been vacant, the incumbent leaving in dudgeon, owing to the ridicule heaped upon him by the American paragraphers, on account of his peculiar name—Hadji Hassan Gooli Khan, with a half dozen additional syllables.

No Case Against Sheehan.

Boston, March 17.—A case in which Joseph A. Sheehan was alleged to have caused the death of Carl L. Thorp, by a blow on Feb. 27, was ended in the municipal court yesterday by the discharge of the defendant. Judge Dewey decided that the government had presented no evidence to support any charge against Sheehan, or even to determine the exact cause of Thorp's death.

Considered an Object Lesson.

Fort Worth, Tex., March 17.—W. J. Bryan stopped here yesterday en route to Nebraska. Commenting on the Puerto Rican tariff bill, Mr. Bryan said: "It is frequently true that an object lesson is needed and it is fortunate for the country that one has been given prior to the election. No one can doubt that the administration's so-called expansion policy really means imperialism."

Supreme Court Decisions.

Concord, N. H., March 17.—The supreme bench yesterday handed down several decisions, in which, among others, are the opinions that the state oleomargarine law and the state medical registration law are constitutional. It is also held that a mayor has no right to interpose a veto in a contested election case.

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Mr. Allen (Neb.) offered an amendment to the bill declaring that the constitution extends over Puerto Rico by its own force, but it was lost by the decisive vote of 36 to 17. Mr. Jones (Ark.) withdrew a free trade amendment offered by him and that proposition, therefore, did not reach a vote. Other efforts to amend the bill were fruitless.

The senate steering committee on Puerto Rican legislation held a brief session yesterday, but transacted no business beyond agreeing to meet again Monday. Nothing occurred to indicate the possible course of action to be pursued.

Yesterday was private bill day in the house, under the new rule. About two hours were spent in the discussion of the bill to pay Representative Swanson $1769 for extra expenses incurred by him in his contest in the last congress, but the bill was ultimately abandoned. Six bills of minor importance were passed.

Former Minister Was Sensitive.

Washington, March 17.—The state department has been notified that the Persian government is about to send a minister to Washington. For years this post has been vacant, the incumbent leaving in dudgeon, owing to the ridicule heaped upon him by the American paragraphers, on account of his peculiar name—Hadji Hassan Gooli Khan, with a half dozen additional syllables.

No Case Against Sheehan.

Boston, March 17.—A case in which Joseph A. Sheehan was alleged to have caused the death of Carl L. Thorp, by a blow on Feb. 27, was ended in the municipal court yesterday by the discharge of the defendant. Judge Dewey decided that the government had presented no evidence to support any charge against Sheehan, or even to determine the exact cause of Thorp's death.

Considered an Object Lesson.

Fort Worth, Tex., March 17.—W. J. Bryan stopped here yesterday en route to Nebraska. Commenting on the Puerto Rican tariff bill, Mr. Bryan said: "It is frequently true that an object lesson is needed and it is fortunate for the country that one has been given prior to the election. No one can doubt that the administration's so-called expansion policy really means imperialism."

Supreme Court Decisions.

Concord, N. H., March 17.—The supreme bench yesterday handed down several decisions, in which, among others, are the opinions that the state oleomargarine law and the state medical registration law are constitutional. It is also held that a mayor has no right to interpose a veto in a contested election case.

Down an Elevator Well.

Boston, March 17.—Henry Copeland, aged 25, an express messenger, fell three stories through an open elevator well in a building on Summer street, and was almost instantly killed.

HELIOTROPE QUICKSTEP.

OSCAR VERMILYEA.

Heliotrope Quickstep.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For Week Beginning March 18—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Ye must be born again.—John iii, 1-15. (Meeting led by the pastor.)

The topical reference includes the conversation between Christ and Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews, at the time of the first Passover in Christ's public ministry. Nicodemus comes to Jesus by night to inquire the way of life. Christ's reply must have been a surprise to him. It was that life within must be changed. "Ye must be born again." Nicodemus probably had the idea that religion consisted largely in reformation and was not unnaturally taken aback and confused when Jesus told him that it consisted in regeneration.

1. The necessity of the new birth. Christ taught Nicodemus that the spirit may be born again and, further, must be if we are to be saved. The necessity of the new birth is clearly evident. Man in his natural, unregenerate state is an alien from God. He is not subject to the laws of God, neither indeed can be. Therefore it necessarily follows that if he is brought into the proper relation with God he must be changed—not without, but within. His heart must be changed. His disposition toward God must be changed. A new principle of living must be placed within him. This change Christ calls the new birth. "Ye must be born again."

2. The agent of the new birth. He is the Holy Ghost. The change is so radical that no power of man can effect it. Man may reform to some extent his outward life, but he cannot change his own heart. This God only can do, and He does it through His Holy Spirit. "Except a man be born of water and of the spirit he cannot enter into the kingdom of God."

3. The mystery of the new birth. Nicodemus could not understand how a man could be born again. The idea that the spirit could be born again was new to him, and he could not grasp it. And, although this idea of the new birth is so familiar to us, yet we cannot solve the problem of the new birth. It is still a profound mystery. That the Holy Ghost does change the hearts of men we do know, but how we do not know. By results only can the fact be known.

4. The proof of the new birth is a new life. When born again, old things pass away and all things become new. A new heart means a new life. The outward life is but a reflection of the inward principle of life. Change the principle, therefore, and the reflection must change. It just as necessarily follows that an unchanged reflection is positive proof that there has been no new birth.

Endeavorers, what do your lives show as to the new birth? Do you profess to have been born again? If so, do your lives prove it? Are they different from the lives of the unregenerate? Do you think that others would have any doubt from your lives as to whether you are born again? These are questions worth considering. Before we can be saved we must be born again, and we ought not to be satisfied unless we have positive proof that we have been born again.

THE PRAYER MEETING.

This meeting should be led by the pastor, as suggested by the committee on prayer meeting topics.

Bible Readings.—Gen. vi, 3; Ps. li, 10; Jer. xxiv, 1-7; xxxi, 31-34; xxxii, 36-40; Ezek. xi, 17-21; xviii, 30-32; xxxvi, 22-30; John vi, 63; Acts ii, 14-21; Gal. v, 19-26; Eph. v, 8, 9; Jas. i, 17, 18; I Pet. i, 22, 23.

The Smaller Gifts.

A thousand times to come short of the mark of the high calling and yet to have courage is a noble result. The unbroken will must be dear to God. If we are not frustrated a thousand times, we have no strength. The buckler is brightened by scouring; the sword is sharpened by grinding. To attain courage is a noble achievement; to sink down into limpness and invertebrate acceptance of the thing called fate, to be a moral jellyfish instead of a highly organized human being, with a bold power of resistance and defiance, is to be abhorrent to God. So the little sheaves are all bound into one sheaf of man's performance, which as a whole is sublime. The great man, humanity, needs all its little parts. God needs them all. The defective, the erring, still are parts, still in some way subserve, and the destiny of the individual is lifted up and ennobled by the thought of the whole and God working in and moving and inspiring the whole. So let the gatherer of the little sheaf rejoice and be glad and through mistakes and tears, discouragements and sins, slips and falls, still see the vision of God's acceptance of the smallest gift given in the spirit of love and consecration of His service, which is also the service of the brother.—Christian Register.

Fear.

The uncertain creates alarm and often leads to the use of unwise methods for relief. Such fears confuse the mind, unnerve the arm, weaken the will and darken the understanding.

Our fears magnify our enemies and mimify our friends, producing forbodings that foretell disaster, for these, indulged in, defeat our wisest and best laid plans.

In our distress our tears blind us to all that would prove helpful in these moments of unrest, our sorrows are multiplied, our griefs augmented, and disappointment is our doom.—Philadelphia Methodist.

To Fulfill Promises.

The same voice that spoke the universe into being spake also the promises. The power that was more than sufficient to fulfill the creative commands will be more than sufficient to fulfill the promises of blessing.—Lutheran Observer.

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON.			FROM BOSTON.		
Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
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r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, f, Harrison Square.
b, Norfolk Downs. g, Savin Hill.
c, Atlantic. h, Crescent Avenue.
d, Neponset. i, South Boston.
e, Pope's Hill, r, Quincy Adams.

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C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. E. Hall, Washington St.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—Loring's Pharmacy.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a.m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a.m.
			New Moon	30	3:30 p.m.

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

Whitwell street was badly washed and gullied out by the heavy rain yesterday.

Two of the horses at the Central fire station, used upon the hook and ladder truck, died of pneumonia last night.

Ex-Commissioner John T. Cavanagh, who returned from Cuba this week, will be given a reception tonight by his friends.

The heavy rains of Friday flooded Independence avenue again, and the water near the residence of Chief Engineer Williams was several inches deep.

Mr. Meyers, who has been fighting the street railway for some time, admitted at the hearing before the Street Committee last night, that he had not been to the Railroad company last year with a complaint of any kind.

The old Pierce building on Washington street, owned by the Street Railway Company is to be sold at auction next month. It will be torn down and a new building will be erected upon that site. It is also possible that the office building may be sold and moved away and a new brick building erected.

The Star Tea and Coffee Store is selling a large lot of tea and coffee and their patrons find that they are giving good bargains at this popular store. They have a large quantity of excellent coffee that they are selling at the old prices. Those who want nice tea or coffee should give them a call.

Castle Square Theatre.

The interesting announcement is made by the Castle Square Theatre management that the dramatic version of Anthony Hope's "Rupert of Hentzau" will have its first production by the Castle Square Theatre stock company the coming week. The completion of the famous author's story of "The Prisoner of Zenda," thus given in its dramatic form, will afford a most enjoyable attraction for the patrons of this popular play house and the excellent success which has attended the "Zenda" performances justifies pleasant anticipations regarding its sequel. The cast arranged for "Rupert of Hentzau" is as follows:—King Rudolf V. Rudolf Rassendyll, John Craig; Colonel Sapt, J. L. Seely; Count Rupert of Hentzau, Charles Mackay; Fritz Van Tarlenheim, Stanley Kent; Lieut. Von Bernenstein, Edward Wade; Count of Luza-Rischenheim, Harry Hadfield; James, Tony Cummings; Chancellor, Lindsay Morison; Guard, John F. Beck; Queen Flavia, Lillian Lawrence; Helga Von Tarlenheim, Leonora Gnito; Mother Holf, Leonora Bradley; Rosa Holf, Marian A. Chapman. Following "Rupert of Hentzau" the Castle Square players will appear in "The Private Secretary". The usual distribution of boxes of chocolate bon bons will be made at the Monday matinee.

A Card.

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See Plant System schedules for train service to Port Tampa. For state-room reservations apply to B. W. Wrenn, P. T. M., Savannah, Ga.

THE COCHATO CLUB.

(Continued from page 4.)

Mrs. Arthur Doble, pink and white striped taffeta.

Mrs. E. E. Abercrombie, yellow satin striped moire, with pearl trimmings

Miss Bent, gray silk, with white lace and turquois ornaments.

Mrs. H. W. Davenport, black crepe de chine corsage trimmed with steel and jet-embroidered lace.

Mrs. Asa P. French, pink satin, with pink chiffon ruches.

Mrs. F. P. Virgin, black mouseline de soie, corsage trimmed with pale blue panne velvet and violets.

Miss Emma Clapp, white organdie over white silk.

Mrs. Edwin Clapp, black chiffon over gray silk, corsage ornamented with jetted lace and net.

Mrs. Francis Hunt, lavender and white silk.

Mrs. George Hamblett, black silk grenadine over black taffeta, netted yoke and blue panne velvet.

Mrs. George D. Willis, pale gray cloth, corsage having yoke of peach silk and point lace.

Miss Wardwell, black net, with jet and steel.

Mrs. Arthur Hobart, black chantilly lace over black satin.

Miss Carrie Blanchard, black net over black taffeta.

Miss Kate F. Pierce, blue and white silk, corsage ornamented with point lace and black velvet.

Among the many members present were:

D. E. Wadsworth and wife of Quincy.
Alexander Fryer and wife of Quincy.
A. H. Doble and wife of Quincy.
E. W. Sheppard and wife of Quincy.
H. M. Faxon and wife of Quincy.
F. F. Prescott and wife of Quincy.
H. T. Drake and wife of Quincy.
Mrs. W. H. Trell.
Gordon Keating and lady of Quincy.
Miss Katherine Howe of Quincy.
Miss Howe of Quincy.

Died on the Cape.

Word was received this morning of the death at Barnstable of Nathanie! Nightingale. Most everybody in Quincy proper knew "Uncle Nat," as he was called, who, for forty years, kept the little cobbling shop on Granite street, and did their footwear mending. To older residents the mention of his name will recall faint recollections of the good old times they had at dances long ago, when "Uncle Nat" played the big fiddle. In those times no dance was a success unless "Uncle Nat" and his big fiddle were there. The writer remembers him well, and can almost seem to see him now, as he stood upon the platform and played for the quadrille, Virginia reel, nine-pins and Portland Fancy, for these were the popular dances in those days.

Mr. Nightingale was probably the oldest shoemaker in the State. He was born in Quincy, March 22, 1809. His father was Joseph Nightingale, who lived at one time on Granite street and the old homestead was for years a conspicuous landmark. He went to school in what is now the Y. M. C. A. building, and Master Seaver was school-master. At the age of 13 years he went to work as helper at Eben Lewis, and Moses Nightingale's slaughter house, and was afterwards employed in several butcher shops about town.

At 18 Mr. Nightingale learned the shoemaking trade, his first regular employment in this line being with Morton Nash at Quincy Neck. He was married to Miss Caroline Cleverly, daughter of Lewis and Hannah Cleverley, in September, 1832, and they took up their residence in the old Newcomb house on Winter Hill. He worked for Mr. Nash for four years, and for his son for 14 years. He was afterwards employed by Nathaniel White and Freeman Burrell, and during the time he was with the latter he lived in the old Denton house on Washington street.

In 1858 he went into business for himself in the little shop on Granite street, where he remained up to last fall. The building was formerly the shoe shop of John A. Newcomb.

He was thrice married, the last time being in 1881, when he married Mrs. Ann Richards, who died a few weeks ago. He had five children by his first marriage, two of whom, Mrs. Sarah C. Holmes of Barnstable, and Lewis Henry Nightingale of Framingham, are now living.

In the days of the old band he was a familiar figure, his position being as manipulator of the cymbals and bass drum.

Last fall he was taken ill and was removed to the City Hospital, from which institution he was discharged a few weeks ago, about the time of the death of his wife. He then went to Barnstable to live with his daughter, where he was ill taken with pneumonia and died. The burial will be at Quincy on Monday.

—Milford will dedicate a new granite Universalist church on Thursday, Mar. 22.

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IN PHILIPPINES.

William A McCabe Writes of Soldier Life There.

Mrs. McCabe has received the following letter from her son, under date of Santa Mesa, P. I., January 19, 1900:

I suppose you wonder at receiving so many letters from me, but it gives me great pleasure to write to you, as it may be a long time before I see you again. I am feeling pretty tired, at the present writing, as I have just come off guard. Our company is divided into platoons, 50 men in each, so that we have to go on guard every other day.

We marched here from Manila last Sunday (January 14), a distance of eighteen miles, in five hours and a half. Last Monday night, while I was on guard, a squad of Filipinos seized one of our bull-carts, which we use for drawing our food. I called out the guard, and we followed them and caught them about a mile and a half from camp, and, after a short battle, we captured 3, wounded 1 and killed 1. Two of our fellows were wounded, and I think one will die. I came near being cut myself with one of those dreaded bolo-knives, but my football practice came in handy, and I grabbed him by the legs, threw him, jumped on him and strangled him until he gave up.

We are right near the Pasig river, and we are eaten alive, almost, by mosquitoes at night. A few days ago we run short of rations, and we made up a foraging party, and I brought down a pig and a couple of chickens. I tell you, we had a feed, the best since I have been here.

Since we came to Manila we have lost 18 men out of the regiment, 11 died and 7 were captured; none out of my company as yet.

We have a narrow guage railroad about 100 miles long, and we ride up and down to our barracks every day. I am well pleased with my present quarters if we can only stay here for any length of time. Our bunks are made of bamboo, and we get pretty fair "grub," considering all things.

I have received five letters from home so far, but no papers have reached here yet. When the winter breaks up in the United States our wet season here soon begins. I am in first rate health at the present writing, although I only weigh 125 pounds. The time is passing more quickly than I expected, and, dear mother, it will not be long before 1901 rolls around, and I shall be with you once more, I hope. I am feeling quite contented, and I am going to take things just as they come.

I hope all my young friends in Quincy are well. I often think of them, and I would like to hear from them all, and will only be too pleased to answer any letter I may get from anyone at home. I hear the bugle sounding taps, or "lights out," so I must come to a close with love to all.

Your loving son,
William A. McCabe,
Co. M, 41st Reg., U. S. V., Manila, P. I.

—The talk over the French and American reciprocity treaty reminds the watcher of two boys who might have been biting into green persimmons. The appearance was mighty good, but there is now an awful pucker in the mouth that don't wash out.—St. Louis Drygoodsman.

To Cure Nervousness in One Week
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BRAINTREE.

In the will of the late Mrs. Mary Roger, the South M. E. church was bequeathed the sum of $250.

Painters have been at work on the exterior of the South Braintree station of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad this this week.

William Dyer, night watchman at Williams, Kneeland & Co.'s shoe factory, enjoys a gunning trip almost every morning.

Lawyer Philip H. Sullivan is recovering from an attack of the grip. His enemy was easily arrested and the law in such cases was applied.

Work on the new addition to the D. B. Closson & Co. shoe factory is rapidly going on. The foundation is nearly completed and the carpenters will commence work next week.

Postmaster Torrey has made arrangements to issue foreign money orders beginning in April.

Now is about the time for chicken stories. Mr. George H. White rejoices that fourteen chicken were hatched from one setting of fourteen eggs.

Senator B. H. Woodsum is acting as chairman in the gas and coke investigation which has been going on in Boston for the past two weeks.

J. Frederic Allen has resumed his duties as flagman at the Allen street crossing, after being confined to the house with a severe bronchial trouble for two weeks.

Thomas Clinton of Quincy avenue, won the prize, (a gold watch chain,) for the highest average of the mid-winter series of card parties held by Division 21, A. O. H.

The plates for the cruiser Des Moines to be built by the Fore River Engine Co. have begun to arrive. George Fogg is transferring them from the freight to the works of the company.

Thomas Uniac, the Thayer Academy baseball captain, has been elected manager of the Randolph base ball team.

It was pleasant to see so many women in the gallery at the town meeting Wednesday evening. It shows that they take an interest in town affairs.

The Rev. William H. Alexander, who is familiar to everyone in South Braintree, has accepted a call to the Romsey street Congregational church of Dorchester, and preached his first sermon there Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Sewall died at her home in Boston last week Thursday; the funeral taking place Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. Interment was at Forest Hills cemetery. Prof. and Mrs. Sewall moved to Braintree about twenty-two years ago from Brunswick, Maine, where Mr. Sewall had been teaching in Bowdoin college.

Keith's Theatre.

The headliners of the continuous show at Keith's Boston theatre for the week commencing Monday, March 19, will be Joseph Hart, the popular comedian, and clever Carrie De Mar, in a revised version of their singing, dancing and comedy sketch, "The Quiet Mr. Gay," in which they made such a hit last season. Mr. Hart is to appear sans wig, whiskers and embonpoint, and Miss DeMar will wear some stunning Parisian costumes. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Milton Royle, with their company, constitute the only holdovers, and will change their sketch to "Capt. Impudence," one of the most amusing one-act plays in the vaudeville. Others on the list are: Dixon, Bowers and Dixon, "rube" comedians and eccentric dancers; Leo Dervaito, who makes a thrilling ascent ot a spiral pyramid poised on a revolving globe; Little Elsie, a wonderful juvenile character impersonator and Daly and Devere, in a comedy sketch. A great list of pictures will be shown in the biograph, some of which have been secured in South Africa, the Philippines, etc.

—The wedding tie not infrequently proves to be a love not.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

3D SUNDAY IN LENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, — Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Holy Communion at 9.30 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Sunday School and Confirmation class at 12 M., in the church. Choral Evening Song and address at 7 o'clock

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Teachers' meeting at chapel on Tuesday evening at 7.30, conducted by pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Bible School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15. Evening service at 7.30. Address by A. M. Bool, a native of Turkey, who will speak of life in Turkey; illustrating the address with many articles brought from the East.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "The Flying Roll or the Newspaper." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Rev. Edward Norton will preach in the morning, and Rev. G. W. Brooks of Dorchester, in the evening. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 P. M., by pastor. Sunday School at 3.45 P. M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Help from within, from without."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. James Todd, D. D., of Escanaba, Michigan. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Fort Square — Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "The taking of vows." Sabbath School and Bible class at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "The straight gate." Midweek service Thursday at 7.30 P. M. All cordially invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street—Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "Sonship the ground of heirship." Sabbath School and pastor's Bible class at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The united cry of Greater Boston ministers' is a revival of our dying churches." Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M. All welcome.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Preston Gurney, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "In due time." Sunday School at 12.10 P. M. Vespers at 4. Subject: "Naming of the 4th Arch—Temperance." Special music. All welcome.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward A. Chase, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor, Subject: "The Master's talk with Nicodemus on the new birth." Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "Guidance for the wayfaring man.

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DECLARATION OF WAR.

Machinists and Manufacturers Fail to Reach an Agreement.

Prospects of a Long and Bitter Struggle

In Which a Hundred Thousand Workmen Are Likely to Be Involved.

Chicago, March 19.—Chicago labor troubles are responsible for the disagreement which is expected to precipitate a general machinists' strike. Were is not for the fact that leaders of the Machinists' union refused to call off the strikes that now exist in Chicago, Columbus, O., and Paterson, N. J., the manufacturers and the leaders, it is believed, would have come to an amicable agreement, and arbitration would have been permanently established between the National Metal Trades association and the International Association of Machinists.

The members of the executive board of the Machinists' union, however, refused to call off the Chicago strike, as they declared that if they did the Chicago local would secede from the international association. When the refusal of the machinists to end the strike was presented to the manufacturers they issued an ultimatum to the labor leaders and on their refusal to agree to its provisions all negotiations were broken off.

Before leaving the rooms in which the joint conference was held President James O'Connell of the International union declared that the union would begin immediately to call strikes in all parts of the country. The first of these strikes will be called in Cleveland. After all the large cities have been tied up strikes will be called in the machine shops of all the roads in the country.

After meeting in separate conferences all Saturday afternoon the manufacturers and labor leaders began a joint meeting at 8 p. m. At this meeting the manufacturers submitted to the machinists a proposal for arbitration substantially as follows:

All strikes and lockouts to be called off. An arbitration committee, consisting of the presidents of the two organizations and two members of each association, who shall arbitrate all present and future difficulties and whose decision shall be accepted as final by both parties to the agreement.

On the second proposition the two associations were united. The labor leaders, after holding a meeting, refused to agree to the first proposition and submitted a demand for immediate and separate arbitration of the Chicago difficulty. This the manufacturers refused to ratify and the conference broke up, both sides making what amounted to a formal declaration of war. The declaration of the machinists took the form of an international strike made by President O'Connell and Organizer Reed.

After the conference ended early Sunday morning President O'Connell of the union declared that strikes would be called immediately in all parts of the United States and Canada. Such strikes would involve 100,000 men and cause to be shut down for an indefinite period plants having an aggregate capacity of millions of dollars.

Perhaps a Murder.

Lynn, Mass., March 19.—The body of Thomas Nolan of Cliftondale was found near the railroad track in this city early Sunday morning, and while it was at first supposed to have been an accidental death, the police have suspicions that it was a case of foul play. Residents of that part of the city where the body was found told the police that at about 1 o'clock Sunday morning they were awakened by what they supposed was a row between two or more persons in the direction of the locality where Nolan's body was found. They believe the man on the ground was being kicked.

Julia Arthur to Retire.

Philadelphia, March 19.—The announcement in The Herald that Julia Arthur is to leave the stage, for a time at least, perhaps permanently, is affirmed by her husband, B. P. Cheney of Boston. For a long time Mr. Cheney said he has felt that Miss Arthur should retire, and now, in consideration of her illness and the nervous strain of the present season, she has come to the conclusion that it is best to do so.

Three Women Die From Burns.

New York, March 19.—Fire claimed three women for its victims yesterday. One, Mrs. Bergman, who was badly burned in a fire on March 16, died in a hospital. Another, a woman of 50, was burned to death in a Monroe street tenement. The third, a servant in a cafe, died in a hospital from burns received in a fire Saturday.

For Shooting His Wife.

Gloucester, Mass., March 19.—John A. Lund was arraigned on the charge of assault on his wife with intent to kill and was committed to the jail at Salem, as he was unable to furnish bail of $7000. Mrs. Lund is improving slowly, but the bullet whuch caused her wound has not yet been located.

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A MODEL FOR DEMOCRATS.

Bryan Will Supervise the Writing of Platform For His Party In Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., March 19.—While there may be a few family fights in the Democratic and Populist conventions, called for tonight to elect delegates to the Democratic national convention and the Populist convention, they are not expected to have any influence upon the final action of both gatherings, which will be to select Bryan delegates and instruct them to vote for him first, last and all the time.

Much interest is manifested regarding the platform to be adopted by the Democratic convention. It will be drawn up under the supervision of Mr. Bryan, and is understood to be his declaration of the platform which, in his opinion, the national convention at Kansas City should place beneath the feet of its presidential nominee. The platform will be an affirmation of the Chicago platform, will contain planks antagonistic to the trusts, declaring against the formation of a large standing army, and against the foreign policy of the present administration.

After the adjournment of the convention, Mr. Bryan will deliver an address in the auditorium. Preparations are being made to render it a notable event, in view of the 40th anniversary of Mr. Bryan's birth.

Viewed With Suspicion.

Haverhill, Mass., March 19.—At a mass meeting of Irish-Americans here the proposed visit of the queen to Ireland and the show of friendliness by the English royalty to the Irish people was the subject of discussion. Resolutions were passed declaring that the Irish-American citizens of Haverhill "look with suspicion upon the change of front which the policy of the nation whose greed and rapacity has made it the object of foreign hostility and hatred, as a result of which complications are inevitable."

Russia Inclined to "Crowd" Turkey.

Constantinople, March 19.—After prolonged deliberation upon the Russian demands for exclusive railway rights in Asia Minor, the sublime porte has proposed a compromise, whereby the railways would be constructed by Turkey and Russia in partnership. The Russian embassy insists upon the original demands, which the Turkish military commission strenuously opposes.

Cruiser In Bad Shape.

Washington, March 19.—A report from Manila indicates that the cruiser New Orleans must undergo extensive repairs in order to continue in active service. The navy department is confronted with the decision of the question of the expediency of making these repairs on the China station or returning the ship, which is not long out, to the United States to be overhauled.

Taylor and Beckham at Louisville.

Louisville, March 19.—The two governors of Kentucky were entertained in this city yesterday. Taylor and Beckham both insisted that they had come to Louisville on purely business, and that their visits had not any political significance. They spent the day quietly, though both received numerous calls from their political and personal friends.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Maud S, the famous trotting mare, recently the property of the late Robert Bonner, died on Schultz's stock farm, near Port Chester, N. Y. She was 26 years old. Her record of 2:08¾ was long unbroken.

Frank H. Wiggin, treasurer of the American Board of Congregational Foreign Missions, says that he has received a number of small contributions for the starving India relief fund that are directly attributable to an article in the first issue of the Topeka Capital under Mr. Sheldon's management.

Captain James H. Wilkins died at New Haven, aged 57. He was a native of North Carolina and a veteran of the Civil war, being a member of the Fifty-first Massachusetts volunteers; it is also claimed that he was the first colored man to join a New England regiment.

Walter L. Miller, the distinguished jurist, died at Abbeville, S. C. Many of Mr. Miller's papers have been copied in leading law journals.

The Port Gibson (Miss.) compress, in which was stored 2000 bales of cotton, was burned. Loss, $100,000.

Melville M. Bigelow of Boston has been appointed to the place formerly held by Abner C. Goodell of Salem as editor of the Massachusetts Province Laws.

Harvard was the victor in the whist tournament with the University of Pennsylvania. The final score stood 42 to 11.

Rev. J. E. Twitchell, D. D., a well-known retired clergyman of the Congregational church, died at Northampton, Mass. He was born in Sherborn, Mass., and was 65 years old.

Andrew Bolter, one of the most noted entomologists in America, died at Chicago. His collection of insects of innumerable kinds, said to be one of the most complete private collections in the world, will probably go to the University of Illinois.

Arthur Burdick, aged 68, who has been despondent on account of continued ill health, hanged himself at Danielson, Conn.

John Brackett, 37, was instantly killed at Lebanon, Me. He was seated on top of a load of logs when one of the sleds, by slipping, threw the driver to the ground and the logs rolled on top of him.

General Sir William Stephen Alexander Lockhart, commander-in-chief of the British forces in India, died at Calcutta. He was born in September, 1841.

In the annual scholastic games at Boston Worcester high school won, with a score of 23 1-3 points. Hopkinson school was second, with 13 points.

Captain Joseph Nicholson, for 21 years warden of the Detroit house of correction, is dead. He was widely distinguished as an organizer and manager of prison industries.

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MUSIC HALL IN RUINS.

A Conflagration at One Time Threatened.

A General Alarm and Help From Out of Town.

Heavy Loss on the Building and the Four Stores on Street Floor.

For the third time within a year, the fire depatment has been called to Box 23, for a fire in Music hall block on Hancock street. The first fire was at 8.45 P. M., Thursday June 15, last year, and started from an explosion in the basement of the bicycle store of John H. Gillis. The second was on Sunday, March 4, at 2.25 A. M., this year which started in Weston's store from bags near a radiator. The third fire was Sunday morning at 4.40 and was one of the most disastrous fires Quincy has ever had.

The fire was discovered by Officer Curtin who was walking up Granite street, having just returned from the Quincy Point beat where he had been on duty during the night. Happening to turn around and glance toward Music hall building his attention was immediately attracted to a brisk fire which was then coming out of one of the windows on the west side of the building. He hastened back and sent in an alarm from Box 25. For some time the fire seemed to be confined to the gentlemen's ante rooms, but smoke was coming out under the whole roof.

Three blows were sounded, by order of Assistant Engineer Packard who was in charge, to call the relief hose wagon. It was soon seen that this additional help would not be sufficient to handle the fire.

At 5.05 a general alarm was sounded. At that time the flames were working their way through the roof, and the sight was grand although appalling. It was bitter cold and this with the high wind that was blowing made it extremely difficult for the firemen.

The steamer was located at the junction of Hancock and Granite streets, while lines of hose were laid from the five hydrants in the immediate vicinity. Two streams were thrown into the building from the north end, two from the rear and several from the Hancock street side, including the deluge nozzle, which was fed by two lines of hose from the hydrant near Chase's bakery, and was a powerful stream. Thousands of gallons of water were poured into the furnace. The department had plenty of hose and an excellent water pressure.

The building was now surrounded, and a perfect deluge of water was going into the building, but it did not appear to have much effect. The spray from bursted hose and loose coupling completely enveloped all who were near, and as it froze as fast as it fell it was not many minutes before the firemen were one mass of ice and their coats were frozen so stiff it was with difficulty they were able to move about, and not a few are nursing frozen fingers and ears toay.

When the flames came through the roof they sent a shower of sparks flying and it looked several times as if other buildings would take fire. Several did, but streams from the chemicals prevented any other building from being damaged.

Shortly before 6 o'clock Mayor Hall saw that Quincy's fire fighters were having their hands full and that, unassisted they would be unable to check the fire. Engineer Packard was against calling help from out of town, but Mayor Hall telephoned to Boston and Milton and tried to get Weymouth and Braintree. The first two places responded promptly; Boston sending Engine 20 and Hose 20 from Neponset, and Milton sending Engine 1, Hose 1 and Hook and Ladder 1.

The Boston apparatus came over Hancock street and that from Milton, over Adams street. Both met at the junction of these streets near the Adams Academy, and at 6.10 they came flying down Hancock street. Chief Engineer Choate of Milton leading the way. Milton's response was remarkably quick. When the telephone message was received at Milton's central fire station, the out of town call for Quincy was sounded to arouse the call men of the companies, yet in just 23 minutes from the time Mayor Hall rung up "central" from Kincaide's store, the apparatus from Milton Centre had arrived with its full compliment of men. Nothing slow about Milton.

Before assistance arrived it was seen that the fire was under control. The fresh men, were however, very welcome to Quincy's tired men. The Milton steamer was stationed near the residence of Dr. Jones. They ran two lines of hose down Hancock street, and their men scaled the ladders and entered the building, through one of the upper windows, with a stream. The Quincy men had been unable up to this time to do it.

Steamer 20 of Boston was located on Cottage avenue, but was not used. Capt. Littlewood and several of his men, however, were ready to limber up if necessary. While they did not use their own apparatus they rendered valuable assistance.

When the roof fell in the danger of a conflagration was over but the fire worked downward into the stores on the street floors. Streams were carried into the stores and it took but a few minutes to drown out what fire there was in the stores occupied by the Quincy Clothing Co. and John H. Gillis. A brisk fire, had however, been burning for some time in Brasee's Boston Bargain store. The flames had not made their appearance on Hancock street side, but from the rear it could be seen that a lively blaze was in progress.

The big deluge nozzle which had been doing good work in the upper story was then shifted, and taken into the front entrance of Brasee's store. The force of water was so strong that it took a dozen men to handle it, and even then it was no easy matter. When the men at first tried to move it from its original position, it almost got away from them. One fireman who stood at the entrance to the clothing store did not get the full force of the stream but he got enough to throw him almost through the window.

The heavy volume of water that was thrown into the lower stores made a wreck of the contents, and as no fire could withstand such a force it was not many minutes before the fire was drowned out. It was about 7.30 o'clock, nearly three hours after the first alarm that the fire was practically all out, although it as 8.10 before the all out signal was given. Then the Milton apparatus made up and went home, the apparatus having proceded it.

The work of Quincy firemen was not done, however, for two lines of hose were run into the building all ready for use if the fire should again break out.

Then came the work of making up. Much of the hose was frozen so stiff that it was next to impossible to roll it, so that it was thrown onto the wagons or drawn to the Central station, to be thawed out and dried.

Hancock street from the south end of Music hall block to where Quincy's steamer was stationed was icy and snowy, and a few spectators, who were not fortunate enough to have rubbers

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April 29—1y mayl 1tf

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Spring will soon be here. Get your clothes ready now.

Don't you like the color of them, or are they faded? Have them dyed.

Are they soiled? Have them cleansed.

Are they out of shape? Have them pressed.

Don't they fit you right? Have them altered.

Do they need repairing? A stitch in time etc.

It will pay you to bring your clothes to us and have them done right at the very lowest prices.

QUINCY STEAM DYE HOUSE,

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March 14. tf

ATTENTION!!!

BOYS AND GIRLS.

Hear is the chance to earn yourself

A WATCH,

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And many other premiums too numerous to mention from a reliable Boston firm.

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Mar. 7. tf

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We will make your shoes and guarantee them to fit perfectly, and be of great comfort and ease to you.

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Quincy, March 12. tf

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Aug. 17

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	31	23	32	56	43
Monday,	55	23	34	46	58
Tuesday,	—	35	33	57	39
Wednesday,	—	45	34	51	52
Thursday,	—	44	35	53	58
Friday,	—	51	37	60	49
Saturday,	—	38	37	45	40

New Advertisements Today.

Girl for general housework.
Ivory Soap.
Citation Notice.
Quincy Yacht Club Notice.
Proposals—Board of Health.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Bicycles.
Wanted—Girl for general housework.
Wanted—Swedish Girl wants position.
D. E. Wadsworth & Co.—No Fire, etc.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co —Whist Tables.

Good Afternoon.

Tammany making a pretence of attacking vice in New York city is humorous enough to make a horse laugh.

President Kruger's appeal to the powers to stop the war would have carried more weight had it been made while the Boers had the upper hand.

It is possible that the call for out side help at the first Sunday morning was not necessary, but it should have been called sooner, and the general alarm should have followed closely the first alarm.

Congresman Hepburn, of Iowa, has offered an easy way to stop prize fighting, by introducing a bill shutting pictures and descriptions of prize fights out of the mails and forbidding their being carried by interstate transportation lines. Without newspaper advertising there can be no paying prize-fights, and the money to be made is all that tempts brutes to engage in them.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ A Chicago department store is selling tombstones at cut rates. Now when a coffin department is provided nothing will remain to be desired.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞ That illustrated magazine article on "The Beauties of Wellesley," which has no pictures of the girls, leaves a great field open for a much more charming effort. What chap will embrace it.—Lynn Item.

☞ I am glad to say that in Mr. Keith, Brockton has a representative who cannot be bamboozled by the allegations of blackmail in Boston and elsewhere into agreeing to an amendment to take the life out of the abutters' objection law. He had the company of a number of the best members of the liquor law committe in dissenting from the report, and the writer's only regret is that the house chairman, Mr. Mills of Newburyport, permitted himself to be wheedled into a false position on the matter. In a year or two, if this sort of thing keeps up there will be a movement among the anti-saloon people that will even frighten Brother Faxon. —Correspondent of Brockton Times.

☞ The queen is an old women—too old to be trotted about the United Kingdom as an inspiration to loyalty among a people who have no love for England and its government. Some very serious consequences would be likely to follow if such exposure should chance to prove fatal. There is no special admiration anywhere for the man who expects to succeed her, and who has spent a long life in doubtful pleasures and has never exhibited the first trait of a statesman. He will come to the throne a worn out votary of fast and idle living, to be the ruler of an empire a thousand times to great for him. The man who is to rule England will need a strong hand, for the love of the queen who has been the noblest incentive to loyalty will not be given to any other. Her demise would precipitate a crisis compared with which a ... in the strongest and richest ...ions would be an incident ... New Haven Palladium.

WOULD NOT ACCEPT.

Granite Cutters Don't Like Manufacturers' Proposition.

But Have No Substitute to Offer.

A Prolonged Strike Now Seems More Certain.

The branches of the Granite Cutters' Union in Quincy held meetings Saturday, at which the proposition made by the Manufacturers Committee at Friday night's conference was considered.

The cutters voted not to accept the proposition.

This means that unless some unforeseen movement takes place, that the strike will be prolonged for an indefinite period.

The effect of the strike is already felt by the business men throughout the city, who deplore the fact that the committees have been unable to reach an agreement.

Sentiment is divided, some holding that one side is to be blamed, and some the other side, although the general sentiment seems to be that the cutters were exhorbitant in their demands.

The Cutters Union at Concord, N. H., has also rejected the offer of the Manufacturers of that city.

A meeting of the Conference committees of the Manufacturers and Cutters will be held tonight, at which the cutters will give their answer to the propositions made at the conference last Friday. Perhaps they may have a new proposition to submit.

Pi Eta Play Postponed.

Owing to the destruction of Music Hall, the Quincy Yacht Club has postponed the sale of tickets for the Pi Eta play, which was to have taken place on April 18. Should the hall be ready for occupancy about May 1st, it is probable that the play will be given then. Yesterday the club made two propositions to the Pi Eta Society: First, postpone the play until the hall was rebuilt, provided it was not later than the first week in May. Second, if the first proposition could not be entertained, to cancel the engagement, as there is no hall of suitable size in the city in which the play could be given.

City Council Business.

A regular meeting of the City Council will be held tonight.

The committee on Streets will report on the order for change of location for street car tracks on Coddington and Sea streets. They will also report an order for a public hearing on the petition to widen Copeland street between Crescent street and the West Quincy depot.

The Committee on Licenses will report on petitions for minor licenses.

The Committee on Finance have a number of orders before them from which reports may be expected.

Should Have a Home.

Is it a fact that Brockton men don't marry? A travelling man says, "I have noticed one thing about Brockton that is striking. That noticeable fact is the number of people who have the boarding house face and walk. The boarding house face is full of sadness, gloom; and unlighted by hope. Anybody going to meals ought to have a joyous, or at least a contented look. But at noontime the streets are full of people with a weary, I-have-to-do-it air that gives the story dead away. They are going to eat the same boarding house and restaurant fare that they have partaken of so long that there is no surprise and no hope possible. Coming back from dinner you notice the same appearance of semi-dejection; the same I-got-it-again appearance.

—The Providence Telegram thinks that street cars need more seats and less straps.

PROPOSALS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Office of the Board of Health.
Quincy, March 19, 1900.

SEALED Bids for the Collection of the Garbage of the city will be received at the office of the Board of Health, City Hall, MONDAY, April 2, 1900, until 8 P. M., when they will be opened and read publicly.

Contract to be for a term of three years.

A satisfactory bond of $500.00 will have to be furnished.

Further specifications to be obtained at this office between 9 and 10 A. M. daily.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

THOMAS J. DION, M. D., Secretary.

March 19. 2t

MUSIC HALL IN RUINS

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on, sat down suddenly and in an ungraceful manner, which furnished amusement for the crowd of spectators.

In front of the building and near Kincaide's building the spray had frozen so that it resembled snow, and as it was several inches in thickness it looked very pretty.

The crowd at the fire was rather small, considering the general alarm that had been sounded, but perhaps the severe cold kept many from turning out, and there was therefore a noticeable absence of many of the sidewalk engineers and firemen.

Commissioner Knowlton was on hand and kept his eye on the water pressure. There was no lack of water, and the pressure averaged 80 pounds, at no time going below 75 pounds.

Mayor Hall was also among the early arrivals and when it was seen the fire was under control the firemen found that he had looked after their wants in the refreshment line, and hot coffee and sandwiches were very welcome. These were furnished by Landlord Remick of the Greenleaf, Councilman Wilson and Caterer Nash. Arthur Ryder and F. F. Green were also about with kettles of hot coffee, all of which were very welcome to the firemen.

Along about 7 o'clock, Mayor Hall also sent several boxes of mittens, which were doubly welcome; for half of the men on duty had by this time lost what gloves they had, by having them frozen.

Later Commissioner Knowlton sent down several teams and the snow and debris were carted away, and the sidewalk and street made passable.

Chief of Police Ripley was early on the scene and with a force of officers had the street roped off and kept the crowd back, so that they would not interfere with the firemen. After the fire was out he stationed officers at all the stores and kept out all persons who had not authority to enter the building.

Entering Music hall after the fire was out, gave a better idea of the havoc the fire had made. It was a wicked sight. Standing beneath the gallery and looking toward the stage, one saw nothing but a confused mass of chairs, bent and twisted gas pipe and partly burned timber. Nothing remained of the roof but a few timbers. The front of the gallery was gone and also part of the floor. Most of the partitions between the main hall and the stage were also gone, and nothing remained of the stage scenery but a few bolts and ashes. The brick walls on the north and east and west sides were intact and apparently solid. The rear or south wall had however cracked and will undoubtedly have to be rebuilt. On the street floor, while there had apparently not been a great deal of fire, the water had made a wreck of everything, and but little, if any, of the goods will be salable.

The origin of the fire is somewhat of a mystery. Without doubt it started from some cause near a radiator in the small room between the cloak room and the main hall. This radiator sets near the wall, and the electric wires also enter the building near this spot. Examination showed that this was certainly where the fire started, but whether it was from an overheated radiator, or from the electric wires, or some other cause may never be known.

There was an entertainment at the hall Saturday night but that was over at 10 o'clock, and everything was locked up before 11 o'clock. The fire had evidently been burning some time before discovered by Officer Curtin. Some were of the opinion that the fire started in Gillis store, and worked up, but experts think the fire must have started as noted above.

The loss is hard to estimate. The building was assessed for $20,000 and was probably worth more; the damage will not come far from $20,000: insured for $24,000.

Mr. Brasee of the Boston Bargain store was assessed for $4,500 although he claims to have had a stock valued at $13,000 upon which there was $11,000 insurance; his loss was about $10,000.

Galvin & Sullivan of the Quincy Clothing Co. were assessed for $2,000 and probably carried a stock of $7,000. There loss is mostly by smoke and water and will perhaps reach $2,000. They were insured for $2,500 by C. H. Johnson in two companies.

John H. Gillis was assessed for $500 but as he had recently put in a stock of new wheels his stock would figure up, $2,500, upon which the loss was largely by smoke and water and will amount to $1,000. He was insured for $2,000.

There was one other tenant in the building, Marchitti Bros. of Hyde Park, the fruit ddealers. They did not carry a large stock, and the only damage received was by water, and at the outside will not be over $100.

These bring the estimated loss to about $33,000, which is fully covered by insurance.

Music hall had been let for several nights and the loss in rentals will be quite heavy.

It has not been decided yet whether the building when rebuilt will contain a public hall or not. Mr. Theophilus King, one of the stockholders of the Quincy Real Esate Trust says it will be rebuilt.

FLASHES.

Fourteen streams were used—10 from hydrants and 4 from steamers.

After the general alarm there was no scarcity of hose, but there was a great need of more ladders.

Chief Williams missed the fire, and he was missed; the Chief has been confined to his bed for a week or more with quinsy.

It was on June 15 last year, at 8.40 P. M., that the Music hall building was on fire. The damage to the building then was $475; to W. H. Brasee, $500; to Quincy Clothing Co., $1,600; to John H. Gillis $500.

A family on Revere road was not awakened by the Sunday morning alarms.

Dexter E. Wadsworth, formerly of Milton, continues to have an interest in that town, and is proud of the quick response of the Milton apparatus, and the work done by the fire laddies who accompanied them. So is Quincy, and grateful for their assistance.

It pays to advertise. W. H. Brasee advertised a closing out sale in Saturday's Ledger and he had a customer before sunrise.

"Barney," an Irish setter, is a pet of Hose 1 of Milton. He is owned by E. Williams, the driver, and the dog's favorite place when responding to fires is on the pole under the driver's seat. He also climbs ladders, and is withal quite clever.

Th loss of Music hall is mourned by the pupils of the dancing classes of Miss Corlew, who have lotted for months on the grand ball which closes the season. It was to have been held early in April.

Box 23 is keeping up its reputation.

The largest loss by fire in recent years was the car barn fire of the Quincy & Boston street railway last December, when the loss was $6,100 on building, $21,000 on cars and contents, and $126 on one of Henry H. Faxon's houses; total $27,226.

The Street department had more snow to cart away after the fire than they have had from most of the snow storms of the winter.

It was a pretty sight when the five pieces of apparatus fom Boston and Milton pulled into City Square all together. Boston got the summons just two minutes ahead of Milton, and the Neponset steamer and hose made the run in 25 minutes while the steamer, hose and hook from Milton Centre came over in 23 minutes. It would be difficult to beat that time.

At the time of the fire last year, the Music hall building was valued by Chief Williams at $20,000 and was insured for $16,000; the stock of W. H. Brasee was valued at $12,000; of the Quincy Clothing Co., at $6,473; of John H. Gillis, at $900; all being covered by insurance except Mr. Gillis.

The Greenleaf sent a supply of hot coffee to the office of Talbot & Emerson where it was freely distributed. A. E. Nash and others also contributed coffee. It is said some of the firemen would have preferred cold tea.

More hydrants should be put in between School street and Adams street.

It seems to be the modern "fire proof" buildings which have the worst fires. It is almost impossible to burn some of the old unsightly wooden buildings on our business. streets.

Dr. Jones had about a dozen cases of frozen ears of firemen to treat.

W. H. Brasse arrived from Wollaston about 6.30, having been summoned by telephone. While his large stock was almost a total loss, the contents of his safe were not damaged.

The scene of the fire had thousands of visitors on Sunday.

Chief Choate and Assistant Engineer Holmes and about 25 men accompanied the Milton apparatus and rendered valuable service. Most of the East Milton company responded.

Mayor Hall tried to summon Weymouth and Braintree assistance, but was unable to connect by telephone.

Ex-Chief Ripley attributes the large loss to the escape of gas and says it was just such a fire as he had at Wollastn, when he was unjustly criticised. It is almost impossible, he says, to save buildings in such cases. Large halls are also hard to handle.

One prominent citizen is glad the building was burned, and is thankful that no one was in it at the time. He cousidered it a fire trap.

Sunday morning seems to be the favorite time for fires.

Electric cars were unable to pass the building until after 9 A. M.

Six stores in a row are now closed to trade because of fires.

There is need of a policeman on duty at all hours near City Square. It is expecting too much to ask two men to cover 24 hours but there should be three. At the time of the alarm no officers were on patrol

About twenty dozen gloves are said to have been distributed among the firemen, Mayor Hall having requested an officer to supply the need. They came from the stores of George W. Jones, C. F. Derby and D. E. Wadsworth & Co.

W. L. Chase had a big trade at his bakery nearby, but was handicapped as it was too early for his milk supply.

Hundreds of people visited the ruins of the Music Hall building on Sunday. Officers were on duty all day and night to keep intruders out.

The wires along Hancock street in front of the Music Hall building interferred with the raising of ladders at the fire.

A family on Cottage avenue did not know about the fire until noon.

Fire Marshal Adams, who has been investigating the fire, is of the opinion that the fire was caused by an electric wire. The wires carrying the current entered the building near the point where the fire started, and the impression is that the insolation of the wires had become worn off and thus created the fire.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

City Council tonight.

Miss Etta Lapham is confined to the house with grip.

P. Colligan of Hunt Street is very ill with pneumonia.

Miss Smith of Washington Court is confined to the house by illness.

Joseph Gleason and family of Charles street have removed to their old home, New York City.

Rev. W. W. Dornan wishes to deny the report of any announcement of any engagement on his part.

The joint committees on Finance, Public Buildings and Fire Department held a meeting Saturday night.

Quincy friends attended the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Hannible Folsom at Stoughton on Saturday.

Division 5, A. O. H. held a musical and literary entertainment at Music hall Saturday evening, in observance of St. Patrick's day.

The singing school at the Point will hold its sessions beginning this evening, on Monday evenings instead of Tuesday as formerly.

The printers of the City Book have been entirely out of copy since the middle of last week; hence a delay of the book. Wanted—More copy.

Walter Burrell, returned on Sunday from Florida, and one of the oranges he brought weighed one pound 6 ounces, and measured 12 and 14 inches in circumference.

The Quincy club's open race is also scheduled for Sept. 1 but since it does not count for association percentages is not likely to attract the association fleet.—Globe. But wait and see.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Griffiths are receiving congratulations of their friends on the arrival of a ten pound baby girl, born early Sunday morning, Saint Patrick being one hour too early.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stetson have been enjoying the mid-summer climate at the Royal Poinciana, Palm Beach, Florida. They have found this to be the most delightful place they have yet visited.

At Calvary Babtist Church Sunday evening Rev. David Kerr preached a very powerful sermon on "Revival," During the evening Mrs. Harding sang, "Moment by Moment," Miss Alice Jones played the accompaniment.

As the outlook is now, the Atlantic social season is trembling on the verge of its close. As soon as warmer weather sets in, lawns will be burned and prepared for croquet, as this game held its own last year until late in the fall.

Ex-Commissioner John T. Cavanagh was given a reception Saturday night at his residence on Butler road by a number of his friends. The evening was an enjoyable one. During the evening Mr. Cavanagh was presented with a diamond ring, F. W. Tirrell making the presentation speech.

Mrs. Mary J. Lincoln read an interesting paper on "Ideal housekeeping," before the members of the Lothrop club, at the Washington Street chapel, Beverly, Friday afternoon, March 16. She was heartily applauded at the close of the paper, and the members spent the next half hour in a social way.

The dance given in Poland's Hall, Norfolk Downs, on Friday evening could not be called a complete success. As far as preparations were concerned, there was no fault to be found, except the freezing temperature of the hall itself. Robinson's orchestra furnished the music, and the party was carried out after the assembly plan, there being no orders.

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To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

DIED.

GARRITY—In Quincy, March 16, Mrs. Ellen, widow of Michael Garrity of Common street, aged 74 years.

FOSTER—In East Walpole, March 19, Mr. Charles Amos Foster of Quincy in his 73d year.

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Correctly Fit Your Eyes.

An Experienced Optician will make examinations free of charge.

GLASSES AT VERY LITTLE COST AT

A. A. LINSCOTT'S,

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Watch, Clock and Jewelry repairing, by first class workmen.

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NO SMOKE!
NO WATER!

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HONEST GOODS, HONEST PRICES,

And Courteous treatment of all at our store has made our business what it is.

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Bicycles Cleaned!

Taken apart, cleaned, oiled and read justed, $1 00. We send for your wheel and return it in perfect condition. Tires and Sundries—the largest and most complete line to select from.

NEW WHEELS.—The only wheels that are worth talking about are here for you to select from. Orient, Cleveland, Dayton, Iver Johnson, Pierce, B & D Special, Geneva, LeRoy and Fay Juvenile. Chainless, Coaster Brake or Cushion Frames.

New Wheels from $20.00 up. Second-hand Wheels, $5 00 to $15.00. The lowest prices in the city.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,

Hancock Street, Quincy.

TO LET.

Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

Any of the above will be let at very reasonable figures.

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Durgin & Merrill's Block,
Quincy, Mass.

JOHNSON BROS.

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PREFERRED STOCK

PEAS, CORN AND TOMATOES.

NO BETTER CANNED GOODS.

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139 Hancock Street, Quincy.

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Care of Lamps

Many housekeepers think there is not... learn about the care of lamps, but if the li... tails here mentioned are adhered to there ... a great difference in the light. First, ... must be cleaned and filled every morni... burners should be cleaned once a week, ... best way is to boil them in water to ...

Gold Dust Washing Powd...

has been added. Put a teaspoonful into a ... of water and boil ten minutes. The flues ... be put into a pan of cold water and heated ... until they boil, then take off and allow to ... gradually; this toughens the glass.

The above is taken from our free booklet "GOLDEN RULES FOR HOUSEWORK" Sent free on request to

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MRS. GEORGE A. CHELIUS of Bo... will be pleased to meet the ladi... Quincy and vicinity at *No. 6 Codding... St., March 8, 1900.* Feb. 26-1m

Swansdown FLOUR.

When you are willing to pa... little more than the average pr... of all Kinds of Flour and obta... a barrel of Swansdown that w... make enough more bread to o... set the little more you have pa... Then you will get the best brea... the whitest bread, the lighte... bread, the sweetest tasting bre... and on account of its yieldi... qualities it has not cost you a... more than the cheapest

L. M. PRATT & CO.

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A. G. OLNEY, - - Auctioneer
Wollaston, Mass.

Mortgagee's Sale of Personal Property.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a chattel mortgage given by Wesley W. Walsh to Victor E. Miller, dated Sept. 9, 1899, and recorded in the clerk's office of the City of Quincy, Record book 16, page 865, will be sold at public auction at the grocery store on the corner of Hancock and Beach streets, in Quincy, Mass., WEDNESDAY, March 21, 1900, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the goods and chattels conveyed by said mortgage, namely:

All the stock in trade, fixtures, and all personal property belonging to said Walsh and located in said store, together with the good will of said store. Also all stock in trade and fixtures which may have been acquired by said Walsh since the date of said mortgage and placed in said store.

VICTOR E. MILLER, Mortgagee.
Quincy, March 10, 1900.

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VICTOR E. MILLER, Mortgagee.
Quincy, March 10, 1900. 3t-10-12-19

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of JEREMIAH NIGHTINGALE, late of Quincy, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by J. Warren Nighingale of Quincy, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, or some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declined.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County, on the fourth day of April, A. D., 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Mar. 19-3t.—19, 26, 2.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of ABIGAIL N. CHAMBERLIN, late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to John Chamberlin of Quincy, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of March, A. D., 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

March 9-3t 9-16-19

"Housework is hard work without Gold Dust"

Care of Lamps

Many housekeepers think there is nothing to learn about the care of lamps, but if the little details here mentioned are adhered to there will be a great difference in the light. First, a lamp should be cleaned and filled every morning; the burners should be cleaned once a week, and the best way is to boil them in water to which

Gold Dust Washing Powder

has been added. Put a teaspoonful into a quart of water and boil ten minutes. The flues should be put into a pan of cold water and heated slowly until they boil, then take off and allow to cool gradually; this toughens the glass.

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MRS. GEORGE A. CHELIUS of Boston will be pleased to meet the ladies of Quincy and vicinity at *No. 6 Coddington St., March 8, 1900.* Feb. 26-1m

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Wollaston, Mass.

Mortgagee's Sale of Personal Property.

BY Virtue of a power of sale contained in a chattel mortgage given by Wesley W. Walsh to Victor E. Miller, dated Sept. 9, 1899, and recorded in the clerk's office of the City of Quincy, Record book 16, page 865, will be sold at public auction at the grocery store on the corner of Hancock and Beach streets, in Quincy, Mass., WEDNESDAY, March 21, 1900, at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the goods and chattels conveyed by said mortgage, namely:

All the stock in trade, fixtures, and all personal property belonging to said Walsh and located in said store, together with the good will of said store. Also all stock in trade and fixtures which may have been acquired by said Walsh since the date of said mortgage and placed in said store since the date of said mortgage.

VICTOR E. MILLER, Mortgagee.
Quincy, March 10, 1900. 3t-10-12-19

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Quincy, March 10, 1900. 3t-10-12-19

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of

JEREMIAH NIGHTINGALE,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Warren Nightingale of Quincy, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, or some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declined.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County, on the twenty-first day of April, A. D., 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Mar. 19-3t.—19, 26, 2.

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March 9-3t 9-16-19

Ryder—Cummings.

The Boston Globe reports the wedding at Rockland Maine, on Saturday of Henry Warren Ryder of Quincy, Mass., and Miss Frances E. Cummings of that city at the bride's residence on Masonic street.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert W. Van Kirk in the presence of a large company of friends and relatives, and amid beautiful decorations of palms, ferns, asparagus tips and evergreen. The bride wore a traveling suit of camels hair with a collar of pointed venise lace.

The ushers were C. E. F. Simmons and G. H. Blethen, while the guests were received by Misses Minnie Belle Nickerson and Helena Blethen.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert M. Ryder of Duxbury, Mass., both of whom were present. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin L. Cummings of Rockland, but has resided most of the time for the last five years in Quincy.

A valuable collection of silverware, cut glass and other gifts attest the regard in which Mr. and Mrs. Ryder are held. They left Saturday for Quincy, where they will reside.

At the station their bagagge was plentifully bedecked with green in honor of St. Patrick's day.

Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Sargent of 147 Williard street celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Saturday evening by an informal gathering of their relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Sargent were married at Milton, March 17, 1850, Rev. Mr. Morrison of the Unitarian church performing the ceremony. Shortly after they removed to West Quincy, where they have since made their home. Mr. Sargent formerly followed the tool sharpener's trade.

Mr. Sargent was born in Wells, Me., in 1815, and Mrs. Sargent in Milton in 1826. They have four daughters, two sons, and five grandchildren. They received many valuable gifts.

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Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. 1-4 the price of coffee. 15c. and 25 cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

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We make and repair all kinds of Horse Boots in first class manner.

Also all kinds of Sporting Goods.

HANS HANSON, 10 Granite street.
Quincy, March 12. tf

Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist can and *must* get it for you.

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A READER

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C. A. FOSTER DEAD.

Has Had an Eventful Life—Prominent K. of H. Man.

Mr. Charles Amos Foster of Quincy, died this morning at 8 o'clock at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. George Lewis at East Walpole. For several weeks his condition has been critical.

Mr. Foster was born in South Boston, Aug. 25, 1827. Here he received his early education and passed his boyhood days. At the age of ten years he began to shift for himself, and three years later he enlisted as an apprentice in the United States navy, receiving an honorable discharge at the expiration of his four years service. He later entered the mercantile Marine service, where he remained until 1847.

During the next four years he followed various occupations among them, having charge of the mailing and distribution department of the Carpet Bag, of which Mrs. Partington, Miles O'Reilley and Paul Creighton were constant contributors and Artemus Ward was learning his trade in the office.

In 1851 he entered the Dane Law school, Harvard University, graduating in 1853 with the degree of L. L. B. He continued his studies for two years more, and was admitted to the bar in March, 1855.

He married in April of that year and removed to Osawatomie, Kansas, where he remained until 1860, when he returned to Boston.

While in Kansas he took an active part in organizing the Free State party, and was an energetic participant in all movements to create a state, free from slavery. He was assistant secretary of the famous Topeka Constitutional convention, and a member of the Topeka legislature at the time its meeting was dispersed by the United States Dragoons under command of Col. E. V. Sumner, July, 4 1856.

He was elected Attorney General under the constitution formed at Leavenworth in 1857, and was a member of the Constitutional convention, but as the territory was admitted to the Union under the Wyandoth constitution, he never served in office.

Early in 1856 he was indicted by the so-called Kansas Border Ruffians Grand Jury, for conspiring against the peace and dignity of Kansas, having as co-defendants John Brown, and several of Brown's sons and neighbors. As the constituents of that Grand jury were for the most part residents of the neighboring state of Missouri, they were always able to successfully evade, or resist arrest.

He was at Tangier in August, 1844, when that city was bombarded and destroyed by the French fleet, under command of the Prince de Joirsville, and during the war with Mexico he was present at the seige and capture of Vera Cruz by the American forces.

He came to Quincy in 1866 and since 1871 has been employed in the Boston Custon House. He was made a Mason in St. John's lodge, Boston, in December, 1856. He was a charter member and first dictator of Merrymount lodge, K. of H., of Quincy, instituted May 8, 1877; a charter member and first protector of Maple lodge, K. & L. of H., of Quincy, instituted May 8, 1880. He was also Past Grand Dictator of the Massachusetts Grand lodge, K. of H. and Past Grand Protector of the Massachusetts Grand lodge, K. & L. of H. He has been chairman of the committee on laws of the Grand lodge, K. of H., for several years, and was a representative to the Supreme lodge, K. of H., and had served on its committees.

He was twice married and leaves a son and daughter by his first wife. The funeral will take place in Quincy on Wednesday from the First church.

Pastor Resigns.

Rev. A. A. Ellsworth occupied his pulpit in the First Congregational church of Braintree Sunday morning, and at the close of his sermon announced to his people that he wished to read to them a letter. The contents contained his resignation as their pastor, to take effect in six months. Rumors were about Braintree for a week or more that Mr. Ellsworth's resignation would take place, but it was a surprise to the congregation, excepting to the few who knew. It will be a difficult task to find a successor of Mr. Ellsworth, and his resignation was listened to with regret.

Mr. Ellsworth settled in Braintree in 1885, serving almost fifteen years of faithful work. He came from Galesburg, Ill., where he was ministering for eleven years. Previous to that engagement he preached for several years in Weymouth.

QUINCY YACHT CLUB.

Owing to the recent destructive fire at Music Hall, we beg to announce the postponement of the sale of tickets for the Pi Eta Theatricals, advertised for Tuesday, March 20.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Quincy, March 19, 1900. 6t

PAPER ON LIBERTY.

A Thoughtful Essay by Mr. Wm. Dickie.

An extended abstract of the essay on "Liberty," delivered by William Dickie on Mar. 15, before the City Band society follows, having been crowded out of the issue of Saturday:

He traced from the earliest times which history gives record, the rise and progress of liberty, as expressed in the concessions of increased comforts and privileges to the masses.

In early times authority and privilege rested entirely with the few, especially with the chief and priest; their prerogatives extended to the right of absolute ruler, judge and executioner. The people were slaves or serfs attached to the soil and transferred with it, and liable to feudal services of the lowest kind. This condition existed more or less among all peoples. Nations by conquest conquered and subdued other nations and laid them in bondage. Political rights to the masses were ignored.

These conditions in varying degrees lasted through many centuries, although entreaty and rebellion were often resorted to in order to bring relief.

Judaism and Buddhism had much to do with the introducing of those principles of "common rights," which to a great extent freed and emancipated the long suffering masses.

The Buddistic teaching of love, charity and human equality, exerted a wonderful influence over eastern Asia. Greece, too, was producing men, who by speech and writings were laying open the grand scheme of liberty as the ground work of love and progress.

But the law of "veto and appeal" by the Romans, was the first real and lasting ordinance through which the people obtained to that measure of right and liberty, as expressed in our modern civilization.

The ethics of liberty was treated relative to man's moral duty, not merely to those individuals with whom he may be brought in contact, but also to the body politic, of which he constitutes a part. Madame Roland, who was closely identified with the Girondest party in France, during the revolution, as her last words before she was guillotined, exclaimed "O Liberty, what crimes are committed in thy name." Liberty in France at that time was glorified as the God of murder and butchery.

There is, however; a legitimate and more comprehensive interpretation of liberty, which when rightfully exercised becomes the bases and surety of order and progress. Indeed no social order or political progress can exist without it: liberty of the the individual circumscribed by the rights and liberties of others.

The liberty that extends beyond the bounds of right and propriety is the antithesis of that freedom which creates and preserves right and order.

The liberty of the press, religion etc., were treated as relative terms, implying the necessity of limitations. In fact there can be no absolute liberty to the individual in organized society.

For liberty, men will brave anything, and when liberty and righeousness are assailed, death is honorable rather than submission. Let us, however; consider well all the facts and issues of the case before laying down our life for the empty sound of liberty.

The paper was very favorably received by the large attendance of members, who discussed the subject very thoroughly. On closing the subject Mr. Dickie was accorded a very hearty vote of thanks.

"South Africa" will be the subject for next Thursday evening, by A. Grassick.

Canal from Quincy to Fall River.

Big schemes are the order of the day, and no one need be surprised at anything. The latest is that of Parker C. Chandler, which suggests a deep-water ship canal from Boston's inner harbor via Weymouth Fore river, passing by or through the cities or towns of Quincy, Braintree, Weymouth, Randolph, Holbrook, Avon, Brockton, Bridgewater, Raynham, Taunton, Berkley, Dighton, Somerset, Fall River and entering the Narragansett bay from the mouth of the Taunton River, near Fall River.

The results of my observation of the territory to be traversed by such a canal, says Mr. Chandler, and that of experts whom I have consulted, and who have made scientific research into the matter, are so satisfactory that it seems desirable that these results should now be brought to the attention of those who would naturally be interested in the subject.

Challenge.

The Royal Athletic Club of Winchester hereby challenge either of the Quincy or Quincy Adams basket ball teams to a game of basket ball, to be played at Quincy at any time convenient to either Quincy team. J. Frank Davis, manager R. A. C., Winchester, Mass.

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

A number of horses are sick.

Mrs. Fred Hill is at the City Hospital ill with pneumonia.

The fine St. Bernard dog of C. Theodore Hardwick died Saturday night of pneumonia.

Mr. Willis A. Moore of Tufts college preached a very interesting sermon at the Universalist church on Sunday.

The Wollaston Band has secured Braintree Town Hall for their Easter Monday night's concert and ball which was to have been given in Music Hall Quincy.

The Ladies Aid of Park and Downs Congregational church, Hamilton street will give a supper and entertainment Wednesday evening. Supper at 6.30, entertainment at 8. A most pleasing programme is assured.

Queer Jobs For Congressmen.

Recently an Illinois congressman, while at home, received a letter from one of his constituents who had secured a position in Washington. The writer was not at all modest in his request, but simply asked the congressman to go to the house of his constituent, get an old pair of shoes and mail them to him under the congressional frank.

The member was startled at the audacity of his correspondent, and, it is needless to say, he did not comply with the request. The same member received a letter from one of his constituents asking him to secure the voter a position as bartender in this city. As this is not in line with the work of a congressman and as Uncle Sam does not employ any one in this capacity, this request was also turned down.

One morning the same member was amused by finding in his mail a letter from one of his constituents who is in love with a young woman residing in the statesman's district. The writer said he knew the member had considerable influence and modestly requested him to exert it to bring about a marriage between the two persons in question. He went on to explain how much property the young woman owned, how charming and beautiful she is and the intensity of the love he had for her. While the congressman was willing to favor his constituent, he did not know just how to go about it, as he is not running a matrimonial bureau.—Chicago Tribune.

She Got the Pepper.

A certain well to do housekeeper in West Chester discovered one day last week that there wasn't a grain of pepper in the house. She always had her groceries sent to her from a big Philadelphia firm, but on occasions like this she was in the habit of patronizing a West Chester grocer whose store was near by. Therefore she condescended to call up the local grocer by telephone and place with him her order for a quarter of a pound of pepper, to be delivered at once. The grocer is a patient man, and he talked very politely over the telephone. Afterward, however, he swore; then he laughed. He laughed loud and long and remarked to himself occasionally: "Good idea! That's rich!"

About half an hour later the well to do housekeeper was somewhat surprised to see a great, clumsy dray drive up before her door and back up to the curb. In the middle of the dray was a tiny package done up in yellow paper. The drayman, after taking particular care to get his huge wagon in proper position, adjusted the board from the tailboard to the house steps and, with a thick stanchion, proceeded to slowly pry the tiny package off the dray. With infinite care he rolled it on to the step, the amazed housekeeper meanwhile watching the proceeding from the doorway. Then the drayman soberly presented the grocer's bill for the quarter pound of pepper and drove off.—Philadelphia Record.

Our Slandered Elevator Boys.

"I was over in New York the other day," said an official, "and I had an experience which rather inclines me to the belief that the elevator boys of that town ought to establish a spelling school fund for general and individual benefit. I was in a building occupied by publishers, and the elevator had a disk over each gate with a hand pointing to the different numbers on it showing where the cage was at any given time. The characters on the disk were 'S-1-2-3-4-5-6,' and I was stumped on the S.

"'What is the S for on the disk?' I inquired of the boy, or young man, when I got aboard.

"'S?' he repeated as if he were hearing of it for the first time.

"'Yes, S,' I said. 'I understand the numbers of the floors all right, but what's the S?'

"'Oh, yes!' he exclaimed as he caught the idea. 'The S—um—er—lemme see—of course the S. Why, that stands for cellar, of course. That's when you go down below the first floor, you know.'

"But somehow I didn't know, and later I was informed that the S stood for 'street,' or the street floor."—Washington Star.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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Editors of Daily Ledger:

For the information of Mr. L. F. R. Langelier of Norfolk Downs, who in a two column letter in Saturday's Ledger attempted to show how little money had been expended at Norfolk Downs, which is situated about equally in Wards 5 and 6, I will submit for his careful consideration these figures which date from 1896, which are drawn from the Auditors reports and the proceedings of the Council:

Land for school house,	$3,532.40
School building,	32,448.69
Billings road,	7,000.00
Faxon avenue,	500.00
Glover avenue,	400.00
Total expenditures,	$43,881 09
Orders before Council:	
Billings road sidewalk,	$3,500.00
Rawson road sidewalk,	3,000.00
Beach street sidewalk,	1,500.00
Beach street sidewalk to shore,	$2,800.00
	$54,681.09

On Billings road between Hancock street and Rawson road are 40 houses lots. Two of these (numbers 127 and 154) have been built upon. On Rawson road there are 46 lots and seven have houses upon them,—numbers 534, 486, 244, 247, 252, and 257.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of Moses J. Maguire of Randolph was called and again continued until March 24.

Frank N. Silva was arraigned for assault on Frances A. Silva at Quincy. Case continued until Wednesday.

The continued case of Cleminta Poetirarcha for the illegal sale of liquor at Quincy was called and again continued until Friday.

The continued case of George M. Briggs was called and he paid a fine of $5.

Joseph J. Herlihy was fined $5 for reckless driving at Quincy.

Albert A. Perigo and Joseph H. Prouty were arraigned for the larceny of eighteen bars of pig lead valued at $90, at Weymouth, the property of John Stuart of Quincy. They were held in $300 each for the grand jury.

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Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Mar. 17: Frank Folsom, Charles H. Grant, C. A. Hayden, A. Karlson, John Kent, Quincy Manufacturing Co., A. Rocco.

Miss Carrie Murry, Miss E. C. Parlie, Mrs John Ryne.

—The following notice is posted on the wall of a hotel in Glasgow, Scot.; "Discussions on the war and the 20th century will not be allowed until the close of both."

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents

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CLARENCE BURGIN,
Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

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Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

A Competent Girl for general housework. Swede preferred, with reference. Apply to MRS. HULTMAN, 105 Washington street, Quincy. Mar. 19-3t

WANTED—Swedish Girl, new arrival, wants position for general housework. Apply at 67 Granite street. March 19-3t

WANTED—A constant girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. NATHAN AMES, 56 Cross street, West Quincy. March 19. 3t

WANTED—10 Girls for Factory, also General Housework girls. Ladies in want of good competent nurse can be accommodated. MISSES FLYNN, 12 Hancock street. March 15-6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Half-house No. 9 Cottage avenue, 6 rooms; also half-house, 3 rooms. Centrally located. Apply on premises. Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

TO LET—A tenement of six large rooms, at No. 78 Washington street. Rent reduced for the winter months. Handy to Quincy depot, Coddington school, stores, post office and public library. City water at sink. Apply only to FRANK F PRESCOTT, at Ledger office, or 14 Bigelow street. Jan. 22-tf

Wagons For Sale.

ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO. March 6. 1m

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Three tenements, 51 Howard street, Quincy Neck.
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Half House, 6 rooms, Pond street. Land with same if desired.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
Stable with city water, 28 Coddington street. $5 per month.
Stable and sheds near Quincy Centre on Coddington street. $4.00 per month.
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100 Windows and Blinds for sale.
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Quincy, March 13, 1900. 1m

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RELIEF OF MAFEKING

May Have Already Been Accomplished by Colonel Plumer's Forces.

Reitz Still Has Faith In an Agreeable Settlement.

Sentiment In London That War Will End by the Middle of May.

London, March 19.—The news from South Africa today is entirely satisfactory to the British public. The relief of Mafeking is not yet announced, but it is extremely probable that this is already accomplished by Colonel Plumers' advance. Lady Charles Rentinck at Cape Town received a telegram from her husband, dated Mafeking, March 12, saying that he expected to join her shortly.

The actual relief movements have not been publicly developed in detail, but it seems that Lord Methuen only started very recently and is rather engaged in dispersing the Boers of the district than aiming at actual relief.

Colonel Peakman has dispersed 500 Boers at Fourteen Streams.

Lord Roberts probably ascertained from Mr. Fraser, the new mayor of Bloemfontein, before dispatching General Pole-Carew southward, that, in all likelihood, the railway was clear. The next move will be to collect at Bloemfontein by railway sufficient stores for the immense army Lord Roberts will have when the Orange Free State forces have joined him.

This will probably occupy from two to three weeks. Therefore, the next important operations may be expected in Natal.

The correspondent of The Times, at Lourenzo Marquez, telegraphing under date of March 16, says: State Secretary Reitz of the Transvaal, in the course of an interview, said that the Transvaal government considers the American reply highly satisfactory, and that he believes that the United States will bring such pressure to bear as will result in a settlement agreeable to the people of the two republics. While admitting the seriousness of the situation, Mr. Reitz says he is convinced that the burghers of both republics will enthusiastically defend the independence of the Transvaal to the last.

The cavalry brigade which Lord Roberts has sent to Thaba Nchu, 35 miles east of Bloemfontein, is destined to cut off some 2000 Boers who are escaping from the southward. The Boers are reported to have destroyed the railway in the neighborhood of Kroonstad.

Lord Kitchener is still quietly organizing in the northeast of Cape Colony. Predictions and betting are beginning here that the war will be ended by the middle of May.

Dispatches from Durban, Peltermaritzburg and other South African towns describe most enthusiastic celebrations on St. Patrick's day.

A London newspaper credits to Lord Roberts the suggestion to the queen that the wearing of shamrocks be permitted. Whether this be so or not, it has been a most advantageous political move.

The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated Bloemfontein, Sunday, March 18:

The guards' brigade returned yesterday from Norval's pont. Several burghers have laid down their arms to General Pole-Carew at Edenburg and elsewhere. The officer commanding at Belmont reports that some deserters have come in with a Maxim, a ninepounder and another gun. Another ninepounder has been brought into Colesberg.

The cavalry brigade has gone to Thaba Nohu in order to reassure the inhabitants of the district and to distribute copies of the proclamation to the people of the Free State. These proclamations are being eagerly sought after.

Lord Methuen reached Warrenton on March 16. He was in time to prevent the deviation bridge from being completely destroyed, and to secure the pont on the vaal.

The English mail was dispatched from here by rail yesterday, and tomorrow the regular railway service with Cape Town will be reopened.

Mafeking reports that all was well on March 6.

A dispatch from Mafeking, dated March 10, says:

The garrison is holding its own. We have heard numerous rumors that the siege will be raised, but so far that is not the case. We are pegging away patiently on quarter rations, supplemented by the occasional capture of cattle.

Our home-made gun occasionally bombards the Boer trenches. Horrible stories are current that the Boers are inflicting nameless tortures upon captured native runners. These may not be true, but they are tending to inflame native passions to such an extent that it may soon be impossible to hold the natives in check.

Owing to the Boers having deliberately bombarded the native stadt, which is full of women, Colonel Baden-Powell has armed the natives, but he has only allowed them to act on the defensive, although they have clamored to be allowed to go out and attack at the point of the assegai.

They will be prevented as long as possible from inflicting reprisals on the Boers.

A dispatch to The Times from Ladysmith, dated March 18, says: Our advanced camp is on Sundays river, two miles north of Elandslaagte. The Boers hold two positions on the Biggarsberg range, about 10 miles north. The strongest is on the New Castle road, where several guns have already been mounted and where they are digging extensive trenches. The second position, which is on the Dundee road, is not strong.

DENIAL OF SENSATIONAL STORY

To the Effect That American Warships and Soldiers Had Been Ordered to China.

Washington, March 19.—In official and diplomatic circles here a denial is authorized of published reports that there have been conferences with a view to the dispatch of additional warships and United States soldiers to China, and that news of the gravest character had been received from the United States minister to China. There is said to be no fear entertained that any serious danger to American interests is impending.

It is suggested that the published reports have as their basis the recent action of the navy department, made public at the time, to send a warship to the port of Taku, at the mouth of the Pieho river. This was done as a result of the representations made to the state department by Minister Conger, who reported that serious attacks had been made upon the American missions in Shan Tung by the "Boxers," a powerful and numerous anti-foreign league of Chinese.

Secretary Long says that this is all that had been done by the navy department and he is not yet aware which of his vessels the admiral had decided to send to the Chinese port. The secretary further denies emphatically the correctness of the publication so far as the navy department is concerned, and adds that there have been no conferences such as were reported as having taken place on the subject.

Acting Secretary Meiklejohn of the war department is as emphatic in denying the accuracy of the publications as affecting his department as Secretary Long regarding the navy. Mr. Meiklejohn specifically states that there have been no conferences with Assistant Secretary Hill as to the number of troops that could be spared from the Philippines for service in China.

Missionary Hurt Italians' Feelings.

Springfield, Mass., March 19.—Rev. Arnaldo Natino, an Italian missionary of Boston, narrowly escaped serious injury at the hands of a mob composed of 300 of his countrymen in this city on Sunday. They threatened to throw Natino in the river. The trouble grew out of statements made to a local paper, in which Mr. Natino said he had found 18 people living in three rooms, and that the lower class of residents in "Little Italy" resembled Indians in their ignorance. Mr. Natino could not secure a hearing from the crowd and was obliged to retreat with assistance of two patrolmen.

Not Acceptable to Cutters.

Concord, N. H., March 19.—The following terms of settlement of the granite strike were offered the cutters in this city by the manufacturers and refused: Eight hours for a working day and 35 cents an hour as a minimum rate of wages, the cutters to continue at work pending an adjustment of the piece bill of prices; that all building work done in this city by day work or piece work be agreed upon at the same terms and conditions as may be finally agreed upon at Hallowell, Me., or Milford, Mass.

Death of General Harnden.

Madison, Wis., March 19.—General Henry Harnden, commander of the Wisconsin department of the Grand Army of the Republic, and the officer who commanded the Wisconsin troops that, with a Michigan company, captured Jefferson Davis, died of pneumonia Saturday night. He was born in Massachusetts in 1823, roved the sea for several years, was in California in 1838 and again in 1848, and participated in the Mexican war. He was several times wounded in the Civil war. A widow and four children survive him.

Car Roofs Wrecked.

New York, March 19.—Nine persons were injured, five severely, at an early hour Sunday morning, in an accident to a Ninth avenue elevated railroad train. The train was approaching the coaling station, when the coal chute dropped down almost at the moment the train reached the station. The chute struck the roof of the engine cab and tore it off, and wrecked the roofs of the two passenger cars, and the dozen passengers were thrown in every direction.

Would Extend Christianity.

New York, March 19.—Bishop Potter formally announced in Grace church yesterday that the object of his recent journey to Honolulu and the Philippine Islands was to extend the influence of the American Protestant Episcopal church in the new possessions of the United States government. He said that it is now the clear duty of the English-speaking people to see that the Christian religion is firmly established among the inhabitants of those islands.

Rescued In Nick of Time.

Marblehead, Mass., March 19.—Richard F. and William P. Russell had a narrow escape from drowning on Sunday, and were rescued by Joshua Withum and H. L. Roads, after they had been in the water for half an hour, clinging to their dory. The Russell brothers are lobstermen, and were nearly frozen and terribly exhausted when rescued.

Stabbed With Pocket Knife.

New Haven, March 19.—Charles H. Lum, 50, was stabbed in the hall of his home by Fred Behler, a mason, who has been employed by Lum. The assailant used a pocket knife. The wound is a bad one, as the blade entered two inches above the heart. Behler was arrested. It is thought that there was an altercation over money matters.

Killed Daughter and Son-In-Law.

Butte, Mon., March 19.—Thomas Pooley, a saloon keeper, last night shot and killed his son-in-law, Thomas Littlejohn, and the latter's wife, Lyda, during a difficulty on the street. There had been bad feeling between Littlejohn and Pooley since the former married the latter's daughter, without the father's consent.

Exposure Resulted In Death.

Lowell, Mass., March 19.—The almost lifeless body of John White, aged 35, was found by the roadside in Andover Sunday morning. The man died soon after in a drug store, whither he had been carried. Death was due to exposure, though his wife says he was subject to heart trouble.

WARFARE OF REBELS

Continued by Collection of Funds In Towns Throughout Island of Luzon.

Manila the Most Troublesome Center In the Situation.

A General Opinion That Capture of Aguinaldo Would End the Revolution.

Manila, March 19.—Reports are current here of active rebel reorganization in the province of Morong, where the insurgent leaders are said to be assisted by prominent Spanish residents. Inhabitants of this province who are now in Manila have been advised not to return to their homes, but to remain under the protection of the Americans. It is also reported that the rebels are reorganizing in the province of Zambales under Mascardo.

Brigands are committing atrocities in the province of Nueva Ecija, where they have murdered 20 natives and Chinamen. Eight other murders have been committed near Tarlac. The Nueva Ecija insurgents are heavily taxing local traders and farmers, with the results that business is paralyzed, and there is a general scarcity of food.

The funds for maintaining this guerilla warfare are collected from the various towns of the island whether occupied by the Americans or not, even including Manila.

In the province of Albay the insurgents have ceased harrassing the Americans, owing, it is reported, to a lack of ammunition, but they continue ravaging the countryside, burning and looting. The natives are tiring of this sort of thing, and threaten to turn against the marauders. Already the townspeople of Legaspi, Albay and Donzol are slowly returning to their homes.

Major Allen of the Forty-third regiment, has been appointed military governor of the island of Samar, where Lukban, the former leader of the rebels in that locality, is still in the mountains.

General Kobbe has opened 20 ports in the southern part of Luzon, and in the islands of Samor and Leyte, the result of which is to stimulate trade there, although only temporarily, as the country opened is non-productive, and apparently non-consuming. Owing to the present conditions of the last 12 months, products accumulated during the blockade. These will be shipped to Manila, and then the ports will be empty.

General Otis considers Manila the most troublesome centre in the situation today. The insurgent junta here, in conjunction with that in Hong Kong, is growing active. The military authorities have been forced to put a stop to Mabini's intercourse with the public. The local and foreign press considers his recent utterances calculated to incite the Filipinos to a continued revolt, and prejudicial to American control.

Flores, who has just arrived here, says he comes trusting to American leniency, and that he would not have dared come to Manila if Spain were yet in control. He cherishes the hopes and aspirations which actuated him when in the field, and desires to watch congressional action upon the question of the Philippines. The insurgents, he says, do not expect to vanquish the Americans, but are maintaining a resistance with the idea of forcing congress to accord to them the best possible terms.

A number of representative insurgents from different parts of Luzon have recently been in conference in Manila. Some have been placed under arrest, but the others thus far have not been interfered with.

Louis Spitzel, head of the firm of Louis Spitzel & Co., contractors to the Chinese government, and himself a suspected filibuster, came from Hong Kong to Manila last week, and was temporarily detained in custody on suspicion. It is asserted upon good authority that three loads of arms and ammunition have been recently landed on the east coast of Luzon.

Evidence accumulates of the treason and perfidy of the municipal presidents in the provinces of General MacArthur's district. The presidents of several towns in Lepanto and Union provinces have declined to continue their positions, saying that they do not desire any further identification with the Americans.

Travel between the towns garrisoned by the Americans is becoming more dangerous. All wagon trains must be escorted by heavy guards in order to insure their safety. Two ambushes were narrowly averted; small travelling parties are attacked; single travelers frequently disappear or are found dead.

Spaniards and Filipinos who are conversant with the Tagalog character unite in asserting that Aguinaldo's capture would terminate the revolution. Three months have passed since he was activly pursued.

Gold In Georgia.

Atlanta, March 19.—The Nacoochee Mining and Manufacturing company, with a capitalization of $5,000,000, has applied for a charter for a gold mine in White county. It is claimed by the owners that the richest veins of gold ore east of the Rocky mountains are located on the property. Among the incorporators are Governor Candler and ex-Governor Northen.

Haverhill Man Badly Burned.

Haverhill, Mass., March 19.—Thomas Sweeney was taken from his house early Sunday morning, during a slight fire, nearly suffocated and suffering from severe burns. He is in a dangerous condition. His children were removed in safety. The fire was caused by the explosion of a lamp.

Still Another Suspicious Case.

New Haven, March 19.—Another case that is suspicious, bearing some resemblance in diagnosis to varioloid, was discovered on Sunday in a student dormitory. The sick man is William D Brennan. The first case, that of G. W. Perkins, Jr., is progressing to recovery.

CONGRESSIONAL FORECAST.

Senators Will Hold Off on Puerto Rican Matter Until the Caucus Committee Reports.

Washington, March 19.—It now looks as though the week in the senate would be spent largely in waiting upon the special Republican caucus committee appointed to harmonize the party on the proposed Puerto Rican legislation. The Puerto Rico governmental bill will continue to hold its place on the senate calendar as the unfinished business, and some desultory speeches doubtless will be made upon it; but as the Republican senators are opposed to present action on the bill, no effort will be made to arrive at final results until the caucus committee makes its report.

In the meantime the appropriation bills on the calendar will receive attention. These are the legislative and Indian bills. There is one amendment suggested to the legislative bill by the appropriation committee which may arouse considerable debate, and open up the Philippine question. This is the item providing for a hydrographic office at Manila. Opposition senators recognize the possibilities of this amendment as a basis for discussion, but they are not fully decided to avail themselves of it. In connection with the Indian bill the expenditures authorized to be made by the Dawes commission probably will be discussed.

Senator Mason has given notice of the renewed effort to get up his resolution of sympathy with the Boers, but says he does not desire to speak upon it. The senate leaders consider his resolution unwise at this juncture. There is difference of opinion as to whether, under the agreement to take up the Quay resolution for consideration on April 3, it can be called up even for speeches in the interim. It is probable, however, that some addresses may be presented on the subject during the present week, if no other matter presses for consideration.

The caucus of the Puerto Rican committee will begin its sessions in earnest today, and a strenuous endeavor will be made to get the bill in such shape as to make it acceptable to practically all the Republican senators at as early a date as possible. Senator Foraker is now engaged in preparing amendments to the governmental bill, and he will exert himself to the utmost to perfect the bill during the present week. If he succeeds in getting a bill which the Republicans will accept, the measure will then be pressed with all the speed and energy possible.

Today is District of Columbia day in the house. Before the district business is taken up the Puerto Rican relief bill with senate amendments probably will be agreed to without much opposition.

General Wheeler may present himself at the bar of the house to be sworn in sometime during the week. So far as can be learned there is no objection on either side to his admission, if his resignation as a brigadier general in the army shall have been accepted before he presents himself. The case, however, may be referred to a committee.

Clergyman's Sensational Statement.

Boston, March 19.—At a public meeting Sunday evening under the auspices of the Watch and Ward society, Rev. Frederick B. Allen declared that a large number of vicious plays have been produced in Boston during the last few years. As to the police, after referring to the charge that $3,000,000 is annually paid in tribute by criminals to municipal authorities in New York city, Mr. Allen continued: "There is no question that vice is protected here in Boston, too. There is a considerable number of members of the police force in complicity with evil-doers, although this society cannot obtain legal evidence to make it possible to convict in court."

China Approaching Dismemberment.

Victoria, B. C., March 19.—According to advices by the Adzu Maru the report that Germany is to essay what is everywhere recognized as a practical occupation of the province of Shan Tung is generally credited as being in line with the accepted plan of foreign encroachment in China. The steps of the process are outlined as follows: First, a railway concession; troops to protect the works; military occupation and finally, complete alienation of the territory. This has been Russia's course in Manchuria, and it is pointed out that Germany will follow it.

Naval Contingent Not "Chipping In."

Washington, March 19.—At a meeting of the committee engaged in raising funds for a home for Rear Admiral Schley, Secretary Evans reported many favorable responses to the circulars soliciting contributions. He also reported that absolute refusals to contribute to the fund had been received from the naval contingent on duty in Washington, with one single exception, that of Rear Admiral Hichborn, and in some instances the refusals were accompanied by adverse comments on the committee's project.

Charged With Many Burglaries.

Providence, March 19.—The grand jury here brought in three indictments for burglary against Frank Allen. He pleaded nolo contendero to all three charges. Allen is a young man of more than ordinary intelligence, and from a family of the highest respectability. Detective Parker said the young man had committed 50 burglaries. Judge Wilbur imposed a sentence of 18 years on each indictment, to run concurrently.

Minister Riddick In Jail.

Richmond, March 19.—Dr. W. H. Temple of Brunswick county, who was shot by Rev. J. E. R. Riddick, a Methodist minister, who charged that Temple insulted his wife, is dead. Riddick is in jail at Lawrenceville. Temple claimed complete ignorance of the cause of the assault.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

It has commenced to rain on the northern California coast. During today the rain area will extend into the Atlantic and east gulf states, with higher temperatures, and will be followed by clearing weather. On Tuesday fair weather will prevail, except that rain or snow is probable on the New England coast. On the New England coast winds will be brisk to high, east to south. Storm signals are displayed on the Atlantic coast from Hatteras to Portland.

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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

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Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M. and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M. and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M. and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

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r 7 42 abc	8 02	9 28 cba	9 49 r
r 7 56 ad	8 15	10 28 cba	10 49 r
r 8 12 abc	8 32	11 28 cba	11 49 r
r 8 26 ad	8 45	12 28 cba	12 49 r
r 8 42 abc	9 02	1 28 cba	1 49 r
r 9 12 abc	9 32	2 28 cba	2 49 r
r 10 12 abc	10 32	3 28 cba	3 49 r
r 11 12 abc	11 32	4 28 cba	4 49 r
r 12 12 abc	12 32	4 58 cba	5 19 r
r 1 12 abcd	1 32	5 15 da	5 36 r
r 2 12 abc	2 32	5 28 cba	5 49 r
r 3 12 abc	3 32	5 45 da	6 06 r
r 4 12 abc	4 32	5 58 cba	6 19 r
r 5 12 abc	5 32	6 15 da	6 36 r
r 6 12 abc	6 32	6 28 cba	6 49 r
r 7 12 abcd	7 32	6 58 cba	7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi	8 07	7 28 cba	7 49 r
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r 9 34 abcdefghi	10 02	10 28 fedcba	10 53 r
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r 1 27 abc	1 47	5 28 cba	5 49 r
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Quincy, Jan. 31.

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ia WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and y 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hou l 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

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ia HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK WNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past hour until 10.53 P. M.
ia WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and y 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 5 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.
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ave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

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ave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

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abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 46 r
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Quincy, Jan. 31.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

FATE OF MAFEKING.

British Anxiously Awaiting News From the Beleagured City.

Proof That Some Large Operation Is In Progress.

Disintegration of Free State Forces Continues at a Rapid Rate.

London, March 20.—The British public probably is more interested in the fate of Mafeking than it is in the more significant events which are taking place in the Orange Free State. Mafeking is the last of the beleaguered cities and its gallant defense by the half-starved garrison has aroused a sentimental feeling that quite overshadows the other news from the front.

Two relieving forces are pushing their way toward the town. One under Colonel Plumer has been for months working its way south until now it is at Pitsani, and Plumer's scouts have penetrated to within 14 miles of Baden-Powell's trenches. On the south a force is working north from Kimberley. Friday this force had reached the Vaal river at Fourteen Streams.

Plumer's force is nearer and is more likely to reach the goal first, but it is doubtful if he has enough supplies with him to be of much benefit to the besieged. It is from the south, apparently, that the real relief—food and medical stores—must come.

General Kitchener's presence at Kimberley was proof that some large operation was in progress, as the arrival of the Royal Irish regiment there on St. Patrick's day is mentioned incidentally in press dispatches, and there is good reason to believe that Colonel Peakman's mounted force is the advance guard of a strong infantry column, which has been called up from Belmont, De Aar and Cape Town. Fourteen Streams, where Methuen arrived Friday, is barely a quarter of the way from Kimberley to Mafeking.

General Roberts has troops to spare and will probably not take the risk of sending a weak column, especially as Mafeking can be made the base of an effective turning movement on the Boer positions on the Witwatersrand ridge entirely apart from the urgent necessity for relieving the garrison, which has made a gallant defense.

There is a group of officers serving under Colonel Baden-Powell whose deliverance will be eagerly awaited in London, where they are well known. But of more importance from a military point of view is the apparent utter collapse of the armed resistence in the Orange Free State. Hundreds of thousands of burghers are laying down their arms. Dispatches from Cape Town and Bloemfontein indicate that they are increasingly ready to cease the contest. Organized military resistance in the southern half of the republic is almost ended.

Of course the action of the Free Staters does not mean the end of the war, but it greatly simplifies its military problems. It seems entirely probable that the Boers will resist most determinedly the invasion of the Transvaal, and unless a peace party arises in Pretoria sufficiently strong to give up the unequal contest, many more lives must be sacrificed before Roberts enters the South African strongholds of Johannesburg and Pretoria. It is entirely possible that the converging of the troops towards Mafeking indicates a much more serious purpose than merely its relief. Lord Methuen's presence at Warrentown and the capture of the nearby passage of the Vaal at Fourteen Streams may indicate an advance in force on Pretoria by the way of Rustenburg. This might start from Fourteen Streams or Klerksdorp, and would probably coincide with an advance via Bloemfontein and Natal. Thus Lord Methuen would be given the chance to redeem his reputation, as has been done with General Gatacre. It this idea were carried out Pretoria would be threatened from three directions, from Bloemfontein, from Fourteen Streams and from where Buller has a large army to force the Drakensburg passes and push on along the Dundee-Johannesburg railway, or through the Laing's.

General Gatacre is now resting at Springfontein, preliminary to joining Lord Roberts. General Buller's hill work before Ladysmith has given him an experience which is about to be used in forcing the Biggarsberg range. It is believed that 25,000 of his 40,000 men are about to engage General Botha's force; and the next news of fighting will probably come from Natal.

Thirty-two thousand additional troops for South Africa are now still at sea.

The Boer losses since the beginning of the war are stated in one of the Pretoria dispatches to be 4200 officers and men, not including General Cronje's force. The total losses therefore now figure up to about 8800, or nearly 9000, which, allowing that the Boer force at the start was, at the outside and all told, 70,000 men, amounts to close on one-seventh of their number. From what is left must be deducted a proportion for the defections daily reported from the south of the Free state; it will therefore probably be not far from the mark to say that the Boer army in the field is now less than in October last by from 10,000 to 14,000 men. That leaves still, perhaps, from 45,000 to 50,000 seasoned fighters with their artillery, counting the captures from the British, undiminished.

General White, the defender of Ladysmith, has arrived at Cape Town, but is too ill to permit of a public reception being given in his honor.

The National Zeitung (Berlin), referring to the rumored intention of the Boers to destroy the Transvaal gold mines, says: "Such an act would be justifiable, since it would prevent the authors of the war, which the whole world has declared criminal, from securing the rewards of victory."

WANTED FOR MORAL EFFECT ONLY.

Gunboat Will Be Sent to China to Give Weight to Minister Conger's Utterances.

Washington, March 20.—Officials of war, state and navy departments reiterate their denials of the report that a naval squadron and troops are to be sent from Manila to Taku, China, to maintain the open door and assert American rights there.

Minister Conger's cablegram to the state department about a week ago, while referring to the "Boxers" and suggesting the advisability of sending a warship to ensure the American missionaries from attack, did not refer to any imminent outbreak, nor did the minister have anything to say about our "open door" negotiation being jeopardized.

The state department rather inferred from this cablegram that the ship was wanted for its moral effect, rather than for any expectation that it would be called upon to render active service. It is quite certain that only one vessel is destined for this service, and the presence of other United States warships on the Asiatic coast is easily explained at the navy department.

Admiral Watson was some time ago authorized by the navy department to send vessels of his fleet to the cooler and more invigorating airs of northern China and Japan whenever a change was necessary to preserve the health of the crews. The admiral availed himself of this permission in the case of the Oregon and the New Orleans. The former is now at Yokohama and the latter at Nagasaki. The dispatch of the Newark to Hong Kong, just reported by Admiral Watson, was merely for the purpose of convoying to Manila the monitor Monadnock. The monitor was sent to Hong Kong to be docked, and it is not regarded as safe to allow that type of warships to cruise alone in the open sea.

It is expected by the navy department that Admiral Watson will select a small gunboat to meet Mr. Conger's request. Contrary to the first impression, this vessel is going to China, not to operate in Shan Tung province, but to get as near to the United States legation at Pekin as possible, to give weight to the minister's utterances. A deep draft vessel cannot pass up the Pei Ho river much above Taku, at the mouth, and even light draft gunboats must stop at Tien Tsin. Then, if the United States legation is in need of protection, marines can be sent overland from Tien Tsin to Pekin, as was done last year under just such conditions as now exist.

Uxbridge In a Bad Fix.

Uxbridge, Mass., March 20.—Much consternation reigns in this town over the cutting off of the entire water supply of the town through a leak in the reservoir. Watchmen are stationed on all the streets to give alarm and to exercise precaution against fires. The reservoir suddenly ran dry on Monday, and until the leak is found the town is in danger of suffering from fire, while the inhabitants will be put to considerable inconvenience. It may be some time before the supply can be turned on again.

For Textile Workers to Consider.

Fall River, Mass., March 20.—The conference of the committees from the Textile council and the Manufacturers' association, to decide upon a sliding scale, was without definite results, although a slight concession was offered by the manufacturers, inasmuch as the maximum wages will be paid when the margin reaches 103, instead of 105. The Textile committee will report back to the main body the proposition of the manufacturers.

Shirley Sentiment Equally Divided.

Boston, March 20. — Several more Massachusetts towns held their annual meetings Monday and very nearly completed the quota of those held during March. The meetings were as a rule devoid of interest, except to the participants, and no change in license vote was recorded, although the result in Shirley was a tie, there being 113 votes for and against. The town will remain in the no-license column.

Figures From Salvation Army.

Albany, March 20.—The annual report of the Salvation Army was yesterday filed with the secretary of state. It shows that the value of the property of the army in the United States is $622,335. During the period which the report covers (six weeks) $67,738.14 was received for "shelters" of the army, and $67,636.40 expended, and $12,549.54 received and $12,429.12 expended for children's homes.

"Gentlemen" Became Excited.

Vienna, March 20.—Scenes of wild disorder were witnessed in the reichsrath yesterday. The president of the chamber, Dr. Von Fuchs, suppressed a German nationalist interpellation. Greatly excited, the Germans interrupted the proceedings for half an hour, denouncing the president and hurling at him such epithets as "blackguard," "convict" and "thieving scoundrel."

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Democrats and Populists of Nebraska Solid For Their Fellow Citizen.

Lincoln, Neb., March 20.—Mr. Bryan's speech before the Democratic state convention last night is considered the war note of the campaign of 1900.

It is considered the opening gun of the great presidential contest, and the proceedings of the convention will furnish the key to the general character of the coming campaign. The platform to a large extent foreshadows what the national campaign will be.

The platform which was adopted by the Nebraska Democracy with the greatest enthusiasm reaffirms the Chicago platform, declares for "16 to 1," opposes a large standing army, denounces the action of the Republican party on the Puerto Rico tariff bill, declares against trusts and imperialism and favors the income tax and the choice of United States senators by popular vote. The platform is practically the creation of Mr. Bryan. He did not write it personally, but he was consulted concerning it, and before it was read to the convention it had been approved of throughout.

The platform adopted by the Populist convention was substantially the same as that adopted by the Democrats. It differs somewhat in form, but conflicts in no essential point.

Both conventions were enthusiastic for Mr. Bryan to the last degree and every mention of his name was greeted with cheers of delight and approval. Instructions were given to both delegations to stand for Mr. Bryan in the Kansas City and Sioux Falls convention.

Mr. Bryan's speech before the Democratic convention dealt almost entirely with the three questions he has been discussing in various parts of the country—money, trusts and imperialism. He charged the Republican party with practicing a deliberate fraud upon the voters in 1896, by holding out the hopes of international bimetallism, when the leaders neither expected nor desired the restoration of the double standard, either by independent action or by international agreement. He denounced the currency feature of the financial bill, and said that the Republican party had never in a campaign advocated the retirement of the greenbacks, and that it would not be able to defend that bill before the country.

On the trust question he reiterated his condemnation of the Republican party, and said that the Republican party was powerless to interfere with the trusts because the leading Republicans were connected with the trusts, and the party had to rely upon trust contributions to carry on the coming campaign. He presented and defended the remedy which he suggested at the anti-trust meeting in Chicago last fall, and which he has frequently discussed since that time.

Taking up the Philippine question he referred, first, to the Puerto Rican bill, and said:

"The desire to impose import duties on goods coming from Puerto Rico compelled the Republican party to disclose its imperialistic tendencies. Imperialism means that the people brought under the flag are not to share in the guarantees of the constitution. It is amazing that Republicans have contemplated the permanent acquisition of the Philippines without stopping to consider the future status of the Filipinos.

"The Republicans have studiously avoided a discussion of the Philippine question. They have opposed the consideration of that question by the cry that nothing could be done until the insurrection was put down. The Puerto Rico tariff bill, however, gives us some idea of the treatment which the Filipinos may expect, and Professor Schurman, one of the president's commissioners, says that this bill will arouse suspicion in the mind of the Filipino as to his future condition.

"The only settlement of the Philippine question consistent with American interests and American principles," said Mr. Bryan, "is a declaration of the nation's purpose to give the Filipinos independence as soon as a stable government is established. When that declaration is made hostilities will cease and it will be easy to establish a stable government. To independence should be added protection from outside interference. Not a protectorate such as European countries exercise for the spoliation of the protected, but protection such as this nation has exercised over the republics of Central and South America."

Mr. Bryan devoted some time to the discussion of the trade argument made in behalf of the Philippine islands and said that imperialism had its inspiration in the desire of the syndicates to extend their commerce by conquest.

He read a letter written by Abraham Lincoln in 1864 to Mrs. Bixby of Boston, a mother who had lost five sons in the Civil war. Mr. Bryan said that the English language contained no more beautiful expression of sympathy, and he contrasted it with the sordid assurances of those who say that the trade which we secure will be worth the blood that is spent for it and asked why the people who wanted the trade did not purchase it with their own blood instead of the blood of other people's sons.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	31	23	32	56	43
Monday,	55	23	34	46	58
Tuesday,	65	35	33	57	39
Wednesday,	—	45	34	51	52
Thursday,	—	44	35	53	58
Friday,	—	51	37	60	49
Saturday,	—	38	37	45	40

New Advertisements Today.

Grain-O.
John H. Pray & Sons Co.—Carpets.
Johnson Bros.—Best Windsor Butter.
Administrator's Sale at Public Auction.

Good Afternoon.

Mr. Bryan says he is going to Texas to be quiet. The country would find a little quietness on his part very acceptable.

Eugene Debs is a fitting Presidential candidate for the Social Democrats, and besides, "Gene" is badly in need of a new batch of notoriety.

The Cabinet resignation makers are now giving their exclusive attention to Secretary Hay, after having ignominously failed to get Attorney-General Griggs to pay any attention to them.

The hall in which the Republican National Convention will be held will will have seats for 14,998 persons, beside working room for 500 newspaper men, and 1,000 telegraph operators. Philadelphia is going to do the thing right.

Great Britain sold its new war loan, bearing 2 3-4 per cent interest, at 98 3-4 per cent. of face value; the Unite States refunds its entire bonded indebtedness at par with 2 per cent. bonds. That is just one of the many good things accomplished by the Republican administration and Congress.

Quincy continues to be honored not only in the United States but abroad. Six names adorn a chaste and beautiful design painted by Elmer E. Garnsey which will decorate the interior of the dome of the United States pavilion at the Paris Exposition. Two of these names are those of men born in Quincy and became famous all over the world: who made Quincy their residence, and whose remains are now enterred in city viz; John Adams and John Quincy Adams.

There were three things which were painfully apparent to the interested citizen as he viewed the handling of the Music hall fire on Sunday morning

First. The over abundance of chemical engines. They make good playthings at small fires but when the rub comes and a whole city is holding its breath while a great fire is ruthlessly getting in its work, it is apparent that they are of little value. New York and all of the large cities have discarded them. As every modern house is equipped with a kitchen faucet, threaded, a line of garden hose for interior work is ten times the value of a chemical engine, with its intermittent tanks and its great weight.

Second. The lack of ladders, especially extension ladders.

Third. The ragged, half-dressed appearance which our men presented in painful contrast to those of the Milton and Boston department. In Boston every man is supplied with a suit of oil-skins, skull cap and helmet, and rubber boots. The outfit is not expensive if taken care of. When they go to a fire they are compelled to be properly dressed.

A frost bitten fireman means the crippling of our department at a critical stage of the work. Where a half or dozen or so become frost bitten through lack of proper clothing it be comes a serious matter.

Drift of Opinion.

☞This is now a gold standard country, and in this respect is in line with the chief nations of the globe; but it is too much to expect that the silver agitation will be eliminated from the political forum. It's 16 to 1, however, that it will have less hold on the voters than was the case four years ago even.—Brockton Times.

THE CITY COUNCIL

Civil Service Order for Fire Department Passed.

But Not Without Considerable Objection.

Public Hearing to be Given on Copeland Street Widening.

It took just thirty-five minutes to transact the business before the City Council at Monday night's meeting.

There was quite a spicy debate over the Fire Department civil service order, which however lasted but a few minutes.

Councilmen Nicol and Wilson were absent.

GRAND JUROR.

Assisted by the City Clerk and Councilman De Normadie, the Mayor drew Frederick T. Appleton as grand juror.

TELEPHONE SUPERVISION.

The Mayor requested to be instructed to oppose the proposed legislation relative to the supervision of telephone companies, as it took away the control of streets as far as telephone lines were concerned. Referred to Committee on Leigslative Matters.

SEWER CONTRACT.

The Mayor sent a communication stating that the cost of completing the contract taken from the A. W. Bryne Construction Co. was in excess of the appropriation, and that he had received $1,100 which he requested be transferred to the appropriation for Sewer Construction.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

SCHOOL ESTIMATE.

The School Committee sent a detailed itemized statement of its requirements for the ensuing year, which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were received from the Electric Light and Power Co., for location for poles on Lincoln avenue and Franklin street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

A petition was also received for an electric incadescent light on Bates avenue. Referred to Committee on Streets.

SEA STREET LOCATION.

The Committee on Streets reported an order granting the Quincy & Boston street railway a change of its location on Coddington and Sea streets, which was ordered to a second reading.

COPELAND STREET WIDENING.

The same committee reported an order for a public hearing April 8, on the widening of Copeland street, between Crescent street and the West Quincy depot Adopted.

The Committee on Ordinances reported correctly engrossed, the order for a fire alarm box at the corner of Dimmock street and Whalley road. Passed to be ordained.

MORE LIGHT.

Councilman McLennan offered an order for incandescent lights at the junction of Brook road and Intervale street; junction Pleasant and Water streets; two on Quincy street, one between Liberty and Water streets, and one between Water and Pleasant streets. Referred to Committee on Streets.

CIVIL SERVICE.

Councilman Hultman offered an order requesting the Mayor to petition the Civil Service commission to place the Fire department on the civil service list.

Councilman Packard thought the Council should go a little slow. He had rather see the order referred to a committee. He saw no reason for putting it under civil service. Some times civil service was nonsensical. This was one of the cases.

Councilman Hogan said no one knew better than he the necessity of taking this department out of politics. He could tell things that would make some of the Council open their eyes.

Councilman Badger thought there was politics in this order. He felt this should not be done in a huurry. He was surprised that a Council of Republicans should stand by a civil service bill that would keep Democratic fire companies in. This does not seem right.

Councilman Hogan. What does he want to take care of? Two years ago the company in my ward took stock, and when they went out they took the stock with them. There are men today wearing boots that belong to the Fire department.

Councilman Poland moved to lay on the table. Lost by vote of 7 in favor and 12 against.

In reply to a question by Councilman Poland as to what the result of this would be, Councilman Hultman said, the men now in, remain, if no radical fault is found with them. Then a civil serivce list will be established to draw from to fill vacancies.

Councilman Nichols said this was a new matter to him. It seemed undue haste to pass it at this time.

Councilman Poland did not believe any Councilman was familiar with the kind of men in their ward in the department. No doubt it was a political move, and he hoped it would not pass. There had been a general trade always in the Fire department. He would not say he was opposed to the order. The department at Atlantic has had some better member than at present. Men better fitted could be found. There was no question but for the past four or five years the department had been used for political purposes.

Councilman Packard moved reference to a committee of six, one from each ward.

Councilman Poland offered an amendment that the committee be appointed by the President.

The amendment and original motion was lost by a vote of 8 to 10.

The order was then adopted by a vote of 12 to 7.

Adjourned 8.10.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Springlike.

Much sickness at Quincy Point.

Spring begins today says the almanac.

The days got the best of the nights this week.

Mrs. Thomas is confined to her home with sickness.

Mrs. W. H. Teasdale of Cross street is seriously ill.

There will be another whist party at I. O. O. F. hall on Thursday evening.

Mrs. C. A. Hall of Walker street is still ill and is not as yet entirely out of danger.

Monday night's City Council meeting was short and sweet, but was lively while it lasted.

Dr. William Everett will be the orator of the Phi Beta Kappa of Harvard this year.

Rev. Fr. Edward Fagan of Natick, a West Quincy boy, will preach at St. Mary's church tonight.

Rural lodge of Masons will attend the funeral tomorrow of Charles A. Foster a member of the lodge.

N. C. Chapman, a former resident of Quincy, has been visiting Mrs. N. E. Brown, and renewing old acquaintances about town.

It was necessary to print a second edition of the Daily Ledger on Monday to meet the demand, and it took about 2,000 papers.

Mrs. F. E. Kimball of Crescent street entertained relatives from Holbrook, Stoughton and Campello last Thursday in celebration of her birthday.

Many parts are yet unasigned in the cantata to be given at the Quincy Point church. Where are the tenor and alto singers? Surely there are some!

The No Name club has gone to Abington for the day. As whist is to be the attraction reports of some big scores may be expected tomorrow.

Miss Fannie F. French of Coddington street, teacher of sewing in the public schools, has been confined to the house several days with the grip.

Poland's hall, Norfolk Downs, has every requisite to make it desirable for parties, dances and socials, except the most essential need, namely being well heated.

The proceeds of the annual fair at the Point church were remarkable considering that it was held but three nights and that one of these was stormy.

A large party of Quincy and Wollaston Odd Fellows are going to Providence, R. I. tonight to attend an exemplification. The trip both ways will be by a special train.

The silver trophy offered by the Y. M. C. A. for the champion basket ball team is on exhibition at the store of F. A. Linscott. The championship games will be played between the Quincys and Quincy Adams teams.

The funeral of Nathaniel Nightingale, who died in Barnstable on Saturday, was held Monday from the Bethany church, and was attended by many of his former friends. Rev. Edwin N. Hardy officiated, and the interment was at Mt. Wollaston.

Word has been received by parents of the children attending High school, who ride back and forth on the electric cars, of their negligence in jumping from the car while in motion and endangering themselves to loss of limb and perhaps life. The boys especially are the ones most careless as recently noted in the Ledger.

—The bicycle manufacturing industry has spread to the island of Java, where at Samarang there is a factory, said to have plenty to do.

ANOTHER OFEER.

Manufacturers Ready to Pay Old Wages for Eight Hours.

And Also Eleven Per Cent. Advance on Piece Work.

Cutters to Hold Mass Meetings to Consider.

The Manufacturers and Cutters' Conference committee held another meeting Monday night and for two hours they discussed the situation.

The Cutters' Committee informed the Manuacturers that the proposition submitted by them at last Friday's conference was rejected.

The committee from the Manufacturers' Association then made the following proposition for a settlement of the granite cutters' portion of the price list:

"Eight hours to constitute a day's work 6 days in the week, as already agreed to; the pay to be same as paid for 9 hours in the bill of 1899, with an eleven per cent. increase in the piece price list of 1899. This agreement to remain in force to March 1st, 1905."

The cutters' committee retired for consultation. Upon their return they announced that they would submit it to the Unions.

The Quincy branch will act on the proposition Wednesday night, and on Thursday morning the West Quincy branch will act upon it.

Another meeting of the two committees will be held Thursday night, at which the action of the Cutters will be reported.

The offer of the Manufacturers of $2.52 per day for eight hours is said to be their ultimation and it is further reported that if that offer is refused they will open their yards and try to get men.

Several of the Manufacturers seen Monday said they had made no attempt to get men to take the strikers' places, but several of their men had come back and asked to be put to work.

The Manufacturers say they have no desire to break up the Union, and do not want to do anything that would bring about that result. They would therefore rather reach an agreement. The proposition, however, is the last they will probably make.

Adams Academy Ball Games.

The manager of the Adams Academy base ball team has arranged the following games for the season of 1900:

April 10,—English High School, Boston.
April 13,—Somerville High School, at Somerville.
April 17,—Hingham High School.
April 21,—Powder Point School, Duxbury.
May 1,—Roxbury High School.
May 3,—Newton High School, at Newton.
May 5,—Mass. Institute Technology, 1903.
May 15,—Milton Academy, at Milton.
May 19,—Powder Point School, at Duxbury.
May 25,—Hopkinson School.
May 31,—Roxbury Latin School.
June 2,—Newton High School.

Unless otherwise stated, the games will be played at Quincy. The complete schedule will be announced later. Games will probably be arranged with Noble and Greenough's school, Boston; Weymouth High School, Milton High School, Brookline High School, Allen School, West Newton, and Chauncy Hall School, Boston.

TO CURE LA GRIPPE IN TWO DAYS

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. W. E. GROVE'S signature on evey box. 25c.

Financial Success.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Point church held their weekly meeting in the church vestry Monday afternoon. The report on the annual fair was read and accepted. Reported that about $150.00 was taken during the fair, and also reported that $127.56 of this is left after all expenses are paid. Voted that $170.00 be paid to the church by the treasurer. This makes $300.00 of the $400.00 that the ladies have promised the church this year.

To Cure Nervousness in One Week
To Cure Constipation in One Week
To Cure Indigestion in One Week
To Purify the Blood in One Week

Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Mar. 17: Lewis Law, Mr. S. J. Brown, Mrs. H. F. Snow and Mrs. Cassie Kennen.

DOES COFFEE AGREE WITH YOU?

If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it but after using it two weeks nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. And 15c. can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c. and 25c.

CULTURE OF CHICORY

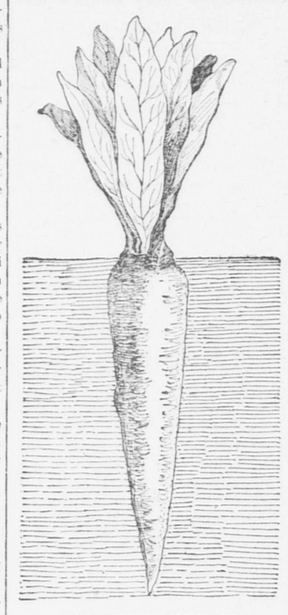
NEW INDUSTRY WELL UNDER WAY ON LONG ISLAND.

How the Plant Is Grown and Harvested—The Greatest of Substitutes Suffers From the Evils of Substitution.

[Special Correspondence.]

HUNTINGTON, N. Y., March 6.—Long Island farmers are raising chicory with considerable success. People generally do not know what chicory is. No end of adulterations are sold under its name. Condemned grain and vegetables are roasted and ground to represent chicory. The agricultural department is authority for the statement that such imitations cannot be distinguished at sight from the genuine kiln dried article.

It is only cultivated chicory that is valuable. The various wild kinds are



CULTIVATED CHICORY PLANT.

worse than worthless, as they spread over land like other noxious weeds and rob it of useful vitality. Cultivated chicory has its herbaceous portion reduced in height and rendered serviceable for forage, while the root is developed and enlarged to the condition suitable for drying, roasting and reduction to the pulverized article of commerce. History tells us that the ancient Romans used young and tender chicory plants for salad, and modern Europeans cook the leaves and serve them as we do spinach. The use of the pulverized root as a beverage is attributed to Napoleon, who prohibited the importation of coffee and cocoa because they were the products of hostile nations.

Loam or a mixture of clay and sand is the best soil for chicory. In preparing for chicory planting it is best to select land which has been well fertilized. A local authority says that surface plowing should be deep and followed by a subsoil plow in order to break up the hardpan just beneath the shallow plowing depth and to loosen the subsoil sufficiently to enable the penetration of the chicory taproot, which, when conditions were favorable, has been found to reach to the depth of three to four feet. The plant to do well requires a constant supply of moisture, and, though it will not thrive in a marshy soil, it must have opportunity in dry weather to send its roots deep enough to secure what it needs or the crop will fail. As a guide the soil should be put in root penetrable condition for from 16 to 18 inches downward. In planting from 20 to 30 seeds to the foot in rows are sufficient. The rows should be from 12 to 15 inches apart, and the seed should be covered by about one-third of an inch of soil.

The time of planting in this part of the country is from May 15 to 20. A great deal of cultivation is needed to keep down weeds. The crop matures in the latter part of September or early in October, and an expert agent from some factory is usually on hand to examine the condition of the roots and inform growers as to the best time for harvesting. According to a local manufacturer, one mode of gathering is to first mow off the leaves and either place them in silos or cure and store them for winter use of stock. Another is to let the leaves remain on the roots until dug. In both cases the crown of the root out of which the leaves grow must be removed, it being of no value to the factory. Digging up the root is simplified by running a plow deeply along the side of and turning the earth away from the rows. The roots are then extracted with comparative ease in the same manner as carrots, parsnips or other root vegetables or by a machine chicory digger. After the roots have lain out on the field for a day or so and dried sufficiently for the earth to shake off them they are ready for shipment to the factory.

Chicory was formerly used to a considerable extent for medicinal purposes, having been considered beneficial in jaundice and visceral obstructions. Its chief use, however, is as a substitute for coffee. It was formerly alleged that chicory had an injurious effect upon the nervous system, but the same charge is made against coffee with quite as much if not more foundation in fact. In England and some other countries the use of chicory in adulterating coffee is legalized provided the packages are so marked as to indicate the mixtures.

OWEN ROGERS.

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Best Windsor Butter.

FRESH KILLED CHICKENS and FOWL.

CITY SQUARE, QUINCY.

TO LET.

Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

Any of the above will be let at very reasonable figures.

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The popular game of the season. Afternoon whist parties, Evening whist parties. You hear of them everywhere.

If you are giving a whist party you may need our assistance.

Regulation Whist Tables and Chairs that take up just the necessary amount of space, without overcrowding your rooms, to rent for the afternoon or evening, just as few or as many as you wish.

We deliver them at your home one day and take them away the next.

The expense is only trifling and adds much to the pleasure of the occasion.

Chairs 5 cents each. Tables 15 cents each. This price includes teaming both ways.

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Administrator's Sale at Public Auction

Of the Household Goods of the late Frederick Souther, will be sold at late residence, Mill street, Quincy, on FRIDAY, March 30, 1900, at 1.30 P. M.

The goods consist in part as follows:

PARLOR. Square Piano, Woolen Carpet, Rug, 7 H. C. Chairs, 2 H. C. Rockers, 1 Plush Rocker, H. C. Sofa, fine large Glass, Music Rack, Music Stool, Pictures, Table.

SITTING ROOM. Stewart Parlor Stove, Woolen Carpet, Eight-day Clock, Large Glass, Bed Lounge, B. Lamp, eight foot Extension Table, 3 Chairs, one Round Chair, lot of Glassware in closet.

KITCHEN. Range, 4 Lamps, Curtains, Table, 4 Chairs, Clothes Horse, Bureau, Bench, Lot Dishes, Mason Jars, Plates, odd, 2 Wash Boilers.

CHAMBER. Antique Secretary, Table, Bedstead, Pillows, Bolster, Straw Matting, Feather Beds, 2 Chairs, Stair Carpet.

SECOND CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, 4 Pillows, Sheets, Comforters, Bureau.

THIRD CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, Commode, Pictures, Straw Matting, 2 Chairs, Rocker.

FOURTH CHAMBER. Antique Mahogany Bureau, Straw Matting, 2 Bureaus, 4 Chairs, H. C. Sofa, What Not, Pictures, Bed Ticking, Maps, Books, 2 Bags, Trunk.

STABLE. Saw, 4 Shovels, 4 Forks, Rakes, Tools, Bench, Chests, Desk, Anvil, Sick Chair, Window Glass, lot of Leather, Ship Carpenter Tools, lot of Wood, and a large variety of goods in both the House and Stable, the accumulation of years.

Sale Positive. Rain or Shine. Terms Cash.

Per order,

E. B. SOUTHER, Administrator.

March 20. 9t

PIANOS TUNED AND ADJUSTED

By FRANK A. LOCKE.

20 years a tuner in Quincy. Boston office, Hallet and Davis Piano Rooms, 179 Tremont street, Quincy office, at Linscott's the jeweler. Wollaston office, at Nash's Real Estate office. Telephone, residence. Feb. 26-1y

QUINCY YACHT CLUB.

Owing to the recent destructive fire at Music Hall, we beg to announce the postponement of the sale of tickets for the Pi Eta Theatricals, advertised for Tuesday, March 20.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Quincy, March 19, 1900. 6t

HORSE OWNERS!

We make and repair all kinds of Horse Boots in first class manner.

Also all kinds of Sporting Goods.

HANS HANSON, 10 Granite street.

Quincy, March 12. tf

PROPOSALS.

CITY OF QUINCY.

Office of the Board of Health. Quincy, March 19, 1900.

SEALED Bids for the Collection of the Garbage of the city will be received at the office of the Board of Health, City Hall, MONDAY, April 2, 1900, until 8 P. M., when they will be opened and read publicly.

Contract to be for a term of three years.

A satisfactory bond of $500.00 will have to be furnished.

Further specifications to be obtained at this office between 9 and 10 A. M. daily.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

THOMAS J. DION, M. D., Secretary.

March 19. 2t

Swansdown FLOUR.

When you are willing to pay a little more than the average price of all Kinds of Flour and obtain a barrel of Swansdown that will make enough more bread to offset the little more you have paid. Then you will get the best bread, the whitest bread, the lightest bread, the sweetest tasting bread and on account of its yielding qualities it has not cost you any more than the cheapest

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"On April 19, 1875 Colonel Parke... was present at the centennial celebra... tion at Lexington and the followin... day was elected at Quincy where h... remained until 1880 when he w... elected supervisor in Boston and staye... three years going to the Cook count... normal school (now the Chicago norma... school where he remained from 18... until his choice as president of th... institution founded by Mrs. Emmon... Blaine in Chicago last July. Quinc... does well to give him free rein in th... celebration of the turning point i... his educational career on April 2... 1875. It is not a question of relativ... values in such celebration but whatev... magnifies educational landmarks is ... inestimable benefit and Colonel Parke... has the gift of emphasis needed fo... the best spectacular effect of such ... celebration so that it is especiall... fortunate to have April 20, 1875 tho... remembered."

NOTE. The statement in the firs... paragraph needs amendment. Th... "affair" is in the hands of the Quinc... Teachers' Association whose committee... Principals Albert Candlin, Mary E... Dearborn and Charles Sampson and... Superintendent H. W. Lull have been... given full power to carry out the... desires of the Association. Colonel... Parker has been consulted regarding... the speakers. The Committee.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

DIED.

FRAZER—In Quincy, March 19, Mabel, daughter of Mr. Allan and Mrs. Elizabeth Frazer of South Walnut street, aged 7 months and 21 days.

TEASDALE—In West Quincy, March 19, Mrs. Emily J., wife of Mr. William H. Teasdale, aged 37 years.

FOSTER—In East Walpole, March 19, Mr. Charles A. Foster, aged 72 years, 6 months and 21 days.

Funeral on Wednesday, March 21st, at 2.30 P. M., at chapel, First church. Burial private.

TORREY—In South Weymouth, March 17, Mrs. Rebecca E. Torrey, wife of Mr. Joseph E. Torrey.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents

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"Unusual as it is for a town to celebrate an event under these circumstances, it must be borne in mind that Quincy is an unusual city, and Colonel Parker an unusual man. It is not hazardous to say that no man who has been at the front in the past twenty-five years could have given Massachusetts such a shaking up, educationally, as did Colonel Parker, and it is equally safe to affirm that he could not have done it so effectively in any other municipality. Quincy at that time was dominated by the Adams family, and influenced as it has not been since 1880, and as no other Massachusetts town has ever been by any other family. The five years that Colonel Parker was at Quincy were, therefore, the favorable years for him and for the cause.

"Whatever traditions there may be of extravagances in plans or methods in his Quincy work Colonel Parker was the greatest inspiration that has been known in any community in my day. As the leader of a teachers' meeting in those days he has not been approached in power by any one else I have ever met.

"Francis Wayland Parker was born in Bedford, N. H., October 9, 1837. His early education was limited to the academies of the state. He taught incidentally in country schools until the outbreak of the war in 1861 when he enlisted as a private and won promotion until at the close of the war he was colonel of the Fourth New Hampshire regiment. He was severely wounded in the James river campaign. He was not mustered out until August 1865 making four years of service. He was at once elected as grammar principal at Manchester N. H. and served three years 1865-8 after which he was elected to Dayton, O., as principal of the city training school and remained four years 1868-72. From 1872-5 he studied education in the university of Berlin laying the scholastic foundation for his career of the past quarter of a century. Dartmouth has conferred upon him the degree of A. M., and Lawrence University that of LL. D.

"On April 19, 1875 Colonel Parker was present at the centennial celebration at Lexington and the following day was elected at Quincy where he remained until 1880 when he was elected supervisor in Boston and stayed three years going to the Cook county normal school (now the Chicago normal school where he remained from 1883 until his choice as president of the institution founded by Mrs. Emmons Blaine in Chicago last July. Quincy does well to give him free rein in the celebration of the turning point in his educational career on April 20, 1875. It is not a question of relative values in such celebration but whatever magnifies educational landmarks is of inestimable benefit and Colonel Parker has the gift of emphasis needed for the best spectacular effect of such a celebration so that it is especially fortunate to have April 20, 1875 thus remembered."

NOTE. The statement in the first paragraph needs amendment. The "affair" is in the hands of the Quincy Teachers' Association whose committee Principals Albert Candlin, Mary E. Dearborn and Charles Sampson and Superintendent H. W. Lull have been given full power to carry out the desires of the Association. Colonel Parker has been consulted regarding the speakers. The Committee.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

DIED.

FRAZER—In Quincy, March 19, Mabel, daughter of Mr. Allan and Mrs. Elizabeth Frazer of South Walnut street, aged 7 months and 21 days.

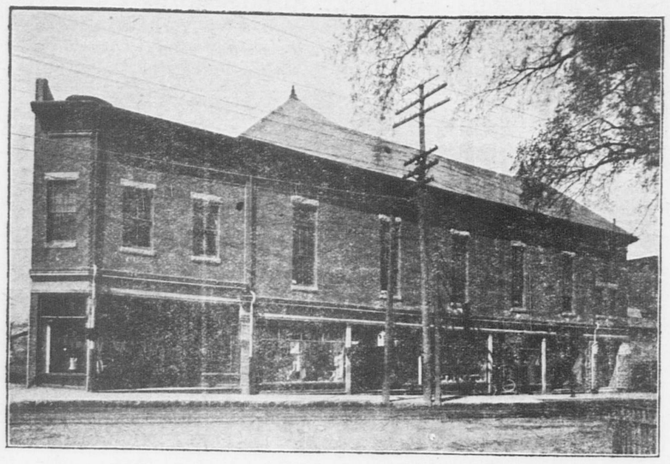
TEASDALE—In West Quincy, March 19, Mrs. Emily J., wife of Mr. William H. Teasdale, aged 37 years.

FOSTER—In East Walpole, March 19, Mr. Charles A. Foster, aged 72 years, 6 months and 21 days.
Funeral on Wednesday, March 21st, at 2.30 P. M., at chapel, First church. Burial private.

TORREY—In South Weymouth, March 17, Mrs. Rebecca E. Torrey, wife of Mr. Joseph E. Torrey.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents



THE MUSIC HALL BUILDING AS IT WAS BEFORE THE FIRE.

HALL TO BE REBUILT

But It May Not Be Ready for Use Until Fall.

The Quincy Real Estate Trust, the owners of the Music hall block, held a meeting Monday evening to decide what should be done with the building. It was decided to rebuild the hall, which should be good news to Quincy, for it will not be deprived of its public hall.

It will probably not be rebuilt, however, until late in the season. There is no demand for the hall in summer and active operations will not be commenced until August, and the repairs will be completed by fall.

In the meantime the debris will be cleared away, and the roof covered over temporarily. Work putting the stores, on the first or street floor ready for occupancy will be pushed forward as soon as the insurance adjusters have completed their work. It is expected that they will be out today.

Among the Embers.

There are rumors of an investigation of certain firemen.

The Boston papers put the loss about twice as large as did the Ledger, but 2 to 1 the total estimate of the Ledger was too much.

Many continue to hold up the Milton firemen as a model for Quincy.

Such a fire as that of Sunday should answer for at least a month.

Why was not the old Hook & Ladder truck at the fire? It should be put into commission, but whether in commission or not, it might have been summoned. Ladders were needed.

It is not a fact that the flames were shooting through the roof when the fire was discovered.

If the loss on the building was $35,000 the owners were lame in having an insurance of but $24,000. One paper put the loss on the building higher than it placed the value of the building.

It might be a good idea to locate a hydrant in the yard of the Water department, in the rear of the Tirrell buildings. It would cover considerable property.

Music hall was opened to the public Nov. 4, 1897, less than three years ago.

W. H. Brasee of the Boston Bargain store has opened a temporary office in the Y. M. C. A. building.

The ruins continue to be a source of attraction and were visited by hundreds Monday.

The insurance adjusters are expected out today to adjust the losses.

The roof and front of A. W. Gardner's house looked queer, Monday, with its white coating, caused by a stream from the chemical.

The fruit store was opened up for business as usual Monday, the stock being but little damaged.

A gang of men were put at work this morning clearing out the debris from the floor of Music hall. The burnt timbers and seats are thrown into the back yard, and then carted away.

Carpenters went to work this morning bracing the roof timbers so as to prevent their falling.

Experts who visited the ruins this morning give it out that the fire unquestionably started from an electric light wire in the ante room.

The sidewalk in front of the building is roped off to prevent people from being injured by falling debris.

It is remarkable that someone was not injured by falling slate at the fire.

Constable N. B. Furnald, who spent several hours this morning in examining the Music hall building is confident the fire was accidental, and that it caught from large wooden boxes in the smoking room, which were filled with sawdust, where smokers are in the habit of throwing their partly smoked cigars.

The loss at the Music hall fire was probably less than at the Q. & B. car barn fire.

—Sunday School teacher—"Johnny, I'm surprised at you. Why do you disbelieve the story of Jonah and the whale?" Johnny—"Cause ma told pa she bet it was jest an excuse Jonah gave his wife fur not comin' home."

CHURCH REFORMS.

The Least Advancement Shown in That Line.

Mr. Joseph L. Dixon formerly president of the Bible Normal College of Springfield, but now a business man, addressed the Atlantic Monday Evening club this week on "Government in the Nineteenth Century."

He spoke of the rapid strides already accomplished along some scientific lines and made comparison with the reforms in the home, secular education and the church, the reform in the church having advanced the least. He pointed out some weaknesses of the church and Sunday school instruction, and prophesied a complete change within the next ten years.

Secular education too, was undergoing great changes, and educators were studying the needs of the child as never before.

The main responsibility for government rested in the home, where reform in the future would develop the future citizen, with careful attention to all of his traits even in the earliest weeks of his existence.

The musical programme was:

Piano Solo, "Mazurka Caprice,"
Mrs. Alexander Ferguson.
Solo, "The First Song," Gumbert
Miss Dadmun.
Violin Solo, "Reverie,"
Mr. Ernest Sheldon.
Solo, "Proposal," Brackett
Mr. Alexander Ferguson.
Solo, "The Swallows," Cowen
Miss Dadmun.
Violin Solo, "Kuiawiak," Wieniwskie
Mr. Ernest Sheldon.
Solo, "Absence," Little
Mr. Alexander Ferguson.
Duets, "Spring," Lassen
"Nearest and Dearest,"
Tuscan Folk Song.
Miss Dadmun and Miss Alice Coe.

All of the singers responded to encores.

Miss Louise M. Morrill and Mr. Theodore Parker were the literary committee, and Miss Alice G. Coe and Mr. Thomas D. Borst were the committee on music.

Lincoln and Adams.

[From the Life of Charles Francis Adams.]

When Mr. Adams was summoned to Washington to receive his instructions as minister to England at the beginning of the war, Seward accompanied him to the White House to call upon the President. A door opened, and a tall, large-featured, shabbily dressed man, of uncouth appearance, slouched into the room. His much-kneed, ill-fitting trousers, coarse stockings and worn slippers at once caught the eye. He seemed generally ill at ease—in manner constrained and shy. The secretary introduced the minister to the President, and the appointee proceeded to make the usual conventional remarks expressive of obliation, and his hope that the confidence implied in the appointment he had received might not prove to have been misplaced. They had all by this time taken chairs, and the tall man listened in silent abstraction. When Mr. Adams had finished—and he did not take long—the tall man remarked in an indifferent, careless way that the appointment had not been his, but was due to the secretary of state, and that it was to 'Gov. Seward' rather than to himself, that Mr. Adams should express any sense of obligation that he might feel. Then stretching out his legs before him, he said, with an air of great relief as he swung his long arms to his head: 'Well, Governor, I've this morning decided that Chicago postoffice appointment.' Mr. Adams and the nation's foreign policy were dismissed together! Not another reference was made to them. Mr. Lincoln seemed to think that the occasion called for nothing further; as to Mr. Adams, it was a good while before he recovered from his dismay."

—There is a physician in Kansas who at the age of 99 years keeps up a regular practice. If he takes his own medicine, there is every reason why the people of his bailiwick should have confidence in him.

THE NEW DEPOT.

It Will Be Substantial and Also Handsome.

Before cold weather Quincy will have one of the handsomest railroad stations in the vicinity of Boston.

It is understood that the new station will be erected just south of the old depot at the head of Depot street, so that any person standing at the corner of that street and Hancock street will have a view of the entire building.

The structure will be a story and a half high, and will be constructed of brick with free-stone trimmings. On either side, covered walks will be extended about 125 feet.

The interior arrangements will be similar to those of the Braintree station. There will be a large general waiting room with a vaulted ceiling.

Opening from this room there will be the smoking room and the necessary toilet rooms. The plumbing will be open and of the most substantial kind. The building will be heated by steam and lighted by electricity. The old station will not be removed until the new one is practically finished.

Sure Cure For Blues.

"Goodby, Alfred, darling! You have cheered me up. If I get lonely and depressed again, I'll just look at your dear photo. That's sure to make me laugh and laugh and laugh!"—Punch.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

Not Accepted.

The Milford branch of the Granite Cutters' Union, at a special meeting Monday afternoon, voted not to accept the proposition received several days ago from Norcross Bros. The proposition was based upon the resolution of the Granite Mnaufacturers' Association last week in Boston, offering an advance of 10 per cent. over the rates paid in 1899, this price list to continue in force five years. The increase is practically a 33-cent average rate and the union decided to accept only 35 cents an hour as a minimum for eight hours.

Advertise to be successful.

TODAY'S COURT.

Frank P. Curry was sent to the House of Correction for three months for drunkenness at Weymouth.

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FOR TO-DAY
Lemon Jelly made with Keystone Silver White Gelatine. Recipe for this and many other delicious desserts in every box.
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The largest makers of gelatine in the world.

Guilty Women Smugglers.

"We never have much trouble in finding out a woman who is guilty of smuggling," remarked a deputy marshal of Detroit. "The trouble with women smugglers is they are not at ease. The customs officer spots them easily. There is something in their very gait that betrays them. A woman may be brought here charged with having smuggled goods, and she may tell a very smooth story, declaring her innocence until there seems no way of suspecting her further.

"But when she gets up we watch her. If she is innocent, she will walk away easily and naturally, but if she is guilty she will try so hard to be natural that she will invariably fail. She will start off quite slowly, so fearful that she will appear to be in a hurry that her nervousness gets the best of her, and she will suddenly make such a change in her gait that we at once recall her.

"'Here, madam,' we say, 'please come back a moment. There is a little matter we forgot.' She returns crestfallen and perhaps indignant. Then we say: 'Look here, madam, you did this thing. Confess it, make a clean breast and settle up all scores.' And she will do it nearly every time, although some sputtering is the usual accompaniment."—Detroit News-Tribune.

Gambling Houses In London.

There were in 1724 in London alone 35 well known gambling houses. Nearly all our most respectable west end clubs were originally gambling houses, as the Cocoa Tree, which is still flourishing as a club. One night late in the eighteenth century there was a cast at hazard the difference of which was £180,000.

That present pink of perfection "White's" was perhaps the most appalling gambling den in Europe. "The young men of the age," says Walpole, "lose there £10,000, £15,000, £20,000, in an evening." The play of this club was only for rouleaux of £50 each, and generally there was £10,000 in gold on the table. The gamesters began by pulling off their embroidered clothes and put on frieze garments or turned their coats inside out for luck. They put on pieces of leather to save their lace ruffles and, to guard their eyes from the light and to prevent tumbling their hair, wore high crowned straw hats with broad brims and sometimes masks to conceal their emotions. —Saturday Review.

Silk Spinning Spiders.

Consul Plumacher of Maracaibo reports that large silk spinning spiders are found in the palm trees of Venezuela. Some produce white and some yellow silk. The consul understands that the silk has been made into handkerchiefs. A copy of the report, together with a specimen of silk which accompanied it, was referred to the department of agriculture. The entomologist says that silk produced in this way cannot be made valuable commercially because of the troublesome necessity of keeping the spiders separated to prevent their devouring each other. Their food being insects, this also involves considerable labor in supplying them. Attempts to utilize the silk of a Madagascar spider of the same species some years ago resulted in the discovery that the product was more expensive than ordinary silk.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Town Named For Rats.

R. J. Sharpe admits that Rat Portage, the name of his home city in Ontario, is not euphonious.

"But it is unique," he adds. "The town was named for just what the words convey, a portage for rats. It is on the Winnipeg river, just below the outlet of the Lake of the Woods. Long ago, before the country was settled as it is now, there was a portage at the point where the town is built for the thousands of muskrats that passed from the river to the lake in winter and back again to the river in spring. At the outlet of the lake there is a waterfall 19 or 20 feet high that the rats could not pass over, so they went around, making the portage. Well, that was before my time, but I have heard old timers tell of seeing the rats by thousands taking days to the portage."—Denver Republican.

The Bighorn.

Among the wonderful stories of the bighorn that are current the most absurd is that of their pitching themselves headlong down precipices, striking the sharp rocks with their horns and thereby breaking their fall. Fremont (a great explorer) is, alas! one of the first to start this ridiculous rumor in the account of his travels (1842), when describing the "mountain goat," as he calls the bighorn. He says that "the use of those huge horns seems to be to protect the animal's head in pitching down precipices to avoid pursuing wolves." How history does repeat herself! Pietro Cirneo, the fifteenth century chronicler of Corsica, says that the mouflon throw themselves down precipices head first and break the fall by their horns.—Baillie Grahman's "Game and Life In the Far West."

Her Papa's Stock In Trade.

The Rev. Joseph Whyte, a prominent Methodist divine, now stationed in northern California, has an exceptionally bright little daughter. One day himself and wife, with this little lassie, aged 4 years, were riding in the cars. Two little boys, the sons of commercial travelers, were talking to the little girls about their respective papas and what they did.

One little lad said, "My papa sells shoes," and the other said, "Mine sells paper, and," turning to the little girl, "what does your papa sell?"

For a moment the child hesitated, but, not to be outdone by boys, she replied with the air of a duchess, "My papa sells talk."—Los Angeles Times.

WHEN A-VISITING.

Pitfalls That Wait Upon the Inconsiderate Guest In Town.

The hostess, in her kindly letter of invitation, usually mentions the length of a proposed visit, when to arrive, when to depart. Now and again the expression of "a few days" is made use of instead of actual date of departure, but this is principally to intimate friends, who are not on ceremony with their entertainers and have no hesitation in suggesting when their stay should terminate. Under ordinary circumstances to mention the date of departure clears away all uncertainties for every one concerned.

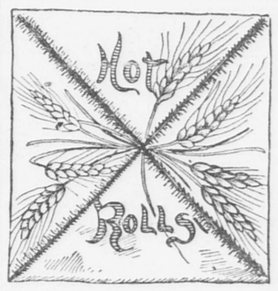
Many are the temptations toward independence of action that beset visitors in town over those at country houses—for instance, friends and relations to call upon and from whom pressing invitations are received, to do this or that together or shopping to be got through, visits to dressmakers and other similar engagements, all of which are very engrossing and difficult to fit in within a given time and which prevent many minutes of a day being spent in the company of a hostess. Unless this is thoroughly understood on arriving and "Do just as you like" or "Go your own way" and "Suit your own convenience entirely" are frankly said an explanation of movements should be given each morning, that a hostess may know how much or how little of a guest's company she is to expect.

Inconsiderate women frequently give no little trouble by their want of punctuality at meals, which is particularly annoying in small households. To return to luncheon at 2 when the luncheon hour is 1 o'clock is not an unusual proceeding on their part or to require breakfast to be taken to their rooms or to accept invitations to dinner on the spur of the moment without giving any kind of notice of this intention are some few of the social offenses of which even very nice people are not altogether guiltless.

In the country there is little or no inducement to do any of these things, and the visit is essentially paid to the hostess and the family, and again at seaside resorts the occupations of the day are not outside those of the hostess, and, therefore, a visitor is practically one of the family for the time being, and conforms to the family arrangements, having no temptation to do otherwise.

Table Embroidery.

For hot bread, such as Parker House rolls, Maryland biscuit or the English muffin, there can be made a square of linen in which these breakfast savories are placed when served for the table, the decorations lying chiefly in the four corners, which fold over, covering



DOILY FOR HOT ROLLS, ETC.

the contents inclosed. The edges of this square can be finished by a narrow lace, a one inch fringe, or a scallop of good design, either of which will be an excellent finish. At all four corners the treatment may be different, if preferred; at one a monogram, then a blossom or some pretty leaves of delicate make.

This same idea can be carried out for the white or sweet potato when roasted or the ear of corn—in fact, any vegetable which is dry cooked. For embroideries of this kind the pure white design is best, because they can be weekly laundered and require no special care in washing.

How to Serve Pineapples.

At luncheon the pineapple might be used in a more ornamental manner either as an entree or as dessert. Select a handsome large pine. Cleanse thoroughly, polishing the scales with a soft cloth. If at the base there are young shoots, leave them. Scrape the bottom to make the pineapple set upright on a flat surface securely. Hold the top bunch of leaves tightly in one hand and cut the pine straight across just where the shape begins to widen out. Lay this aside. Then with care and a sharp knife cut out the interior of the main pineapple, extract the core and chop up the fruit. Sugar well, adding shredded oranges, chopped almonds and a sprinkling of cocoanut. Now you have something approaching the southern ambrosia, which is truly delicious. Of course this must be icy cold. At the last moment replace in the hollow pine shell and put on the tuft leaf cover. Partly cover a round silver tray with moss and, placing the pine in the center, add a few dainty maidenhair ferns to break the stiffness. The hostess serves this with a bowl shaped spoon and a plain biscuit or wafer accompanies the sweet.—Vogue.

Fashionable Wall Hangings.

Textile fabrics have lately grown in favor as wall hangings, says Good Housekeeping. Satin, silk and tapestry or jute are among the more or less expensive, followed by chintz and burlap. Some of the patterns, especially of the latter, which are not costly, are exceedingly artistic. Denim, too, figured or plain, is hung in all sorts of rooms. These cotton goods are more suitable for summer cottages, "dens," chambers and reception rooms or for corridors and passages than for living rooms and parlors.

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House Receives Relief Bill From Senate, and Sends It to Conference.

Washington, March 20. — Senator Beveridge yesterday introduced the following proposed amendment to the bill providing a civil government for Puerto Rico:

"All articles coming into the United States from Puerto Rico or going into Puerto Rico from the United States shall be admitted free of duty; but this act shall not be construed as extending the constitution of the United States or any part thereof over Puerto Rico, and it is hereby declared that the constitution of the United States is not extended over Puerto Rico."

Concerning his resolution, Mr. Beveridge said: "We have followed the president's suggestion appropriating $2,000,000 for the immediate relief of Puerto Rico, which is more than the house bill would have given the island in the entire two years of its life. This removes the reason which members had for voting for the bill and restores us to the position first announced by the president. On the great principles involved I am in entire harmony with the president. The object of my amendment is the same as that of Senator Davis' amendment; but the latter demands all of the taxation and revenue provisions of the constitution for Puerto Rico, and when any part of the constitution is extended it is there forever. It may be that experience will demonstrate that we shall want to change the laws of taxation of Puerto Rico, and if so I fear that the extension of the taxing provisions of the constitution would prevent us. On all questions of power congress should be left with an absolutely free and unshackled hand."

Senator Beveridge's free trade amendment to the Puerto Rico bill in the light of the explanation he makes of it, is regarded as marking the beginning of the end of Republican unity on the Puerto Rican tariff question. The loyal spirit which has held the party together thus far has weakened perceptibly during the last four or five days.

Mr. Beveridge adds to the force of this report by saying that now that the relief bill has been passed, removing the pressure for quick action, he thinks congress can afford to consider the general tariff proposition more deliberately. This is undoubtedly intended to throw a bridge across the gulf between the Republican factions and afford a means for the tariff men to get over to the side of free trade men without too much humiliation.

The Puerto Rican question came up again in the house yesterday afternoon and was the subject of considerable debate. The Puerto Rican relief bill came over from the senate, amended so as to limit the appropriation to the money collected up to Jan. 1, while the original house bill had provided that all funds collected under the existing tariff law should be so applied. Mr. Cannon (Rep.) of Illinois moved to non-concur, while McRae (Dem.) of Arkansas moved to concur in the senate amendments, and upon that the first vote was taken.

The house voted to non-concur in the senate amendments by a vote of 86 to 116, and the bill was sent to conference. The conference committee for the house is Cannon, Moody of Massachusetts and McRae.

Two measures of national importance and many of slightly lesser interest were passed by the senate. The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, carrying more than $25,000,000, was passed without debate. The measure providing for the appointment of a commission to adjudicate and settle claims of citizens of the United States growing out of the war with Spain was also passed without opposition.

Five Children Made Orphans.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 20.—The body of John Peters, 45 years old, was found hanging from a lamp post here early Monday morning. Peters was a widower, had five children, was without work or money and was despondent. Sunday night he was refused admittance to the house where he had boarded, because he was indebted to the proprietor and could not pay.

Connolly on the Decline.

New York, March 20.—Matty Mathews of New York met Eddie Connolly of St. John, N. B., at Brooklyn last night, and Connolly was so badly used up in the 14th round that Referee White interfered and stopped the bout, to prevent Connolly from being knocked out. These two met about five months ago, and they boxed 25 rounds to a draw.

Free Ad. For American Product.

Berlin, March 20.—The verdict of the Prussian minister of railways upon the American locomotives that were tried in Bavaria is that "notwithstanding their faultless construction they cost considerably less than locomotives of similar style of Prussian make."

Motorman and Conductor Arrested.

New York, March 20.—Over a score of persons were severely injured last night at Newark, N. J., in a rear end trolley car collission. The accident happened at a point where there is a down grade. The motorman and conductor of the rear car were arrested.

Probably Went to the Bottom.

Halifax, March 20.—Schooner Harold Borden is now out 60 days from Digby N. S., for Havana, and has about been given up for lost. She was commanded by Captain Mailman, who last year lost the schooner Nugget, near Turk's island.

THE QUINCY DEATHS OF 1899, BY CAUSE, AGES, MONTHS, ETC.

The following summary is from the annual report of the Board of Health for the year 1899, and may be of interest to medical men and those who delve in figures:

	Female,	Male,	American,	Foreign,	Provincial,	Unknown,	Under 1 year,	1 to 2 years,	2 to 3 years,	3 to 4 years,	4 to 5 years,	5 to 10 years,	10 to 15 years,	15 to 20 years,	20 to 30 years,	30 to 40 years,	40 to 50 years,	50 to 60 years,	60 to 70 years,	70 to 80 years,	80 to 90 years,	Above 90 years,	Unknown,	January,	February,	March,	April,	May,	June,	July,	August,	September,	October,	November,	December,	Totals,
Accident,	13	4	8	5	3	1		1			1	1	1	3	3	2	1	2	2	1				1			3	3	1		1	3	3	2	17
Alcoholism Chronic,	1		1												1															1				1
Anemia,	1			1											1												1								1
Anencephalia,	1		1				1																		1										1
Angina Pectoris,	2			2													1		1					1					1						2
Apoplexy,	7	7	12	2											1	2	3		6	2				2	2	2				1	1	2	3		1	14
Appendicitis,		2		2							1									1					1	1									2
Arterio scelerosis,		1	1														1							1											1
Bronchitis,	9	7	11	3	2		7	2								1		1	2	2	1			4	1	2	1	1	1		1		2	3	16
Brights Disease,		1		1													1																1		1
Cachexia,	2		2				2																	1			1								2
Carcinoma,	4		2	1	1											1		1	2								2						1	1	4
Carcinoma Hepatic,	2		1	1												1		1													1			1	2
Cholera Nostra, Infantum, etc.,	9	8	17				16	1																			1	7	7	2					17
Congestion of Lungs,	1	1	2				2																	1			1								2
Cirrhosis Hepatic,	1	1		2														1		1					1		1								2
Cerebral softening,	1			1														1													1				1
Convulsions,	3	2	5				3	2																	1		1		1		1	1			5
Colitis Ilio,	1		1				1																						1						1
Croup Membranous,	2		2						1			1													1	1									2
Cystitis,	3		1	2											1					1	1				1				1	1					3
Debility,		1	1				1																					1							1
Diabetis mellitus,		1	1													1								1											1
Diphtheria,	1	5	6					1	1	2			1	1														1	1	1		1	1	1	6
Dysentery,	2	1	2	1							1			1					1										1						1
Eclampsia Pueperal,		1	1										1																1						1
Dyscrasia,		1	1				1																		1										1
Embolism,		1		1														1									1								1
Enteritis, gastro enteritis,	3	8	11				7	2												1	1						1	1	1	6	2				11
Heart disease, neuralgia	1			1													1										1		1						1
Heart disease, congenital,	1		1				1																						1						1
Heart disease, valvular,	5	7	8	4					1		1		1			2	2	4	1					1	2			3	1	1	1	1	1	1	12
Heart disease, form unknown,	12	8	15	5			1		1				1		3	1	1	6	4	2				5	2	1	5		3	1			1	1	20
Hydrocephalus,	1		1				1																										1		1
Hemorrhage, spinal,	1				1														1											1					1
Gastric cancer,	2	1	2	1														1	2					1						1	1				3
Icterus neonatorum,	1		1				1																				1								1
Idiocy amaurotic family,		1	1				1																				1								1
Intestinal obstruction,	2		2				1												1																2
Intestinal hemorrhage,	1		1																1						1										1
Inanition,	4		2	2			1										1	1	1						2	1			1						4
Knotted cord,	1		1				1																	1											1
Marasmus,	2	5	7				6	1																				1	1	2	1		1		7
Meningitis,	4	6	8	2			6	1				1			1	1								2	1	1	1		1	2	1	1		1	1	19
Meningitis, cerebro spinal,	2	3	5				3	1											1									1				1	2	1		5
Nephritis,	3		3				1										1	1											1		1				3
Old age,	4	10	10	4													1		3	5	5			2	1		2	2	4				1	1	14
Paralysis vasomotor,	3	1	1	3													1	2	1							2							1	1	4
Peritonitis,		3	2	1											2	1													1	1	1				3
Placenter previa,		1	1														1												1						1
Pleurisy,		2		2															1	1				1			1								2
Pneumonia,	15	12	21	4	2		4	5	4	1					1	2	1	2	2	3	2			9	6	2		2	2	1	2		1	2	2	27
Premature birth,	1	5	6				6																	1	1			1		3					6
Pseudo-leukemia,	1		1										1																		1				1
Endocarditis,	1		1												1																				1
Erysipelas,	3	3	6				6																	1		1		1	1		1				6
Gastritis,	3	8	11				7	2								1	1							1				1	4	2	1	1	1	1	11
Rheumatism,	1			1													1							1	2										3
Sarcoma,	1	2	3				1		1									1													1				1
Senility, general,	1		1																1										1						1
Septicemia,		2	1	1											1	1											1		2						2
Shock,	1	1	1		1										1				1										2						2
Suicide,	1		1															1											1						1
Tuberculosis, general,	1	2	2		1		1	1							1										2								1	3
Tuberculosis, pulmonary,	30	16	25	15	6		2	2				1	4	11	11	7	5	2	1					4	4	3	6	4	5	4	4	1	1	4	6	46
Tubercusosis, other forms,	4	5	8	1			2	1	1	2		1	1	1											1				2		2		1	3	9
Tumor of brain,		1	1				1																												1
Tumor of spinal cord,		1	1																	1				1											1
Typhoid,	7	2	5	4								1			4	2	2							1	1				1	1	2	3			9
Ulcer, chronic duodenal,		1	1													1								1											1
Whooping cough,		1	1				1																												1
Unknown,	1	2	3				3																	1	1			1							3
Totals,	193	163	261	77	17	1	98	22	9	5	1	8	5	12	25	34	19	26	26	43	18	6		45	31	23	27	19	32	36	44	27	22	22	29	356
Stillborn,	15	10	25																					1	4	4	3	1	4		2	4	1	1	25
Totals,	208	173	286	77	17	1	98	22	9	5	1	8	5	12	25	34	19	26	26	43	18	6		46	31	27	31	22	33	40	43	29	26	23	30	381

THE ASSASSINATION OF GOEBEL.

Story of a Soldier's Confession of the Details of a Deeply-Laid Plot.

Frankfort, Ky., March 20.—Sergeant F. V. Golden of the Barboursville company of the state militia has confessed the details of the plot to kill Governor Goebel, so the lawyers retained by the prosecution say.

A pledge of immunity from death was given him if he would aid them in the prosecution, and since then he has been in the vicinity of Barboursville gathering evidence to be used in the trial.

He is expected to go on the stand during the trial of Powers and the other five prisoners now under arrest, and to tell of a mountain plot from the beginning.

He will declare, according to the lawyers, that the assassination of Goebel was coolly planned by Republicans in Frankfort, the belief being that with this leader out of the way the party could remain in control of the situation. He was present, he will say, at the conferences at which the plans were made, and he is expected to give the names of three young men of Barboursville, who, he alleges, were offered $1200 if they would kill the Democratic leader. He will accuse one of the men now under arrest of proffering this bribe.

The man who did the shooting is described as a notorious character in the mountains—one with whom killing has been made a science—and Golden will say a large sum was paid to him for the task of slaying Goebel.

Death of Herman Taubeneck.

Seattle, March 20.—Herman E. Taubeneck, well known as the former chairman of the national committee of the People's party, died in this city yesterday.

H. E. TAUBENECK.

He came here from the east about two months ago in delicate health, and has since been resting at the home of his brother. His body will be sent to his former home in Illinois.

An Unprofitable Strike.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 20.—The strike of the weavers at the No. 4 mill of the Lonsdale company was begun on Dec. 11 and is still in effect. There are 1160 draper looms in the mill and these were abandoned by the strikers, the other looms being run as usual. There are now 1137 of the draper looms running and only 33 idle.

Fall River Judge Under Fire.

New Bedford, Mass., March 20.—In deciding the case of William Mather, an Englishman, arraigned for non-support of his child, Judge Milliken was reported as telling Mather that he had treated his wife as a chattel, "a characteristic of his nationality." British-Americans propose, in case a denial is not received from Judge Milliken, to call a public meeting to discuss the matter.

Bailey Objects to Prosecution.

New Haven, March 20.—J. H. Bailey, who was arrested here some time ago, charged with embezzlement of funds from the Spaulding & Pepper Manufacturing company of Chicopee, Mass., while acting as assignee of that company, announces that he intends to fight the efforts of the Massachusetts officials to take him to that state.

Easy For the Democrats.

Boston, March 20.—At a special election, held in the Eighth Suffolk district, Joseph P. Lomasney (Dem.) was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of E. P. Donovan, recently elected city clerk. His Republican opponent got only a few votes. Lomasney is a brother of former Senator Lomasney, the Democratic leader in the West End.

"A Bright Little Boy"

Would be sure of a welcome in almost any home. But what a welcome he would have in a home where the hope of children had been extinguished. What a welcome this particular "bright little boy" did have in such a home, may be judged by the closing paragraph of his mother's letter, given below. There is no room for the whole letter, which recounts a story of fifteen years of suffering and a perfect cure by the use of "three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, two bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and some of the 'Pellets.'"

In many instances childlessness is the result of conditions which are curable. It has often happened that when "Favorite Prescription" has cured a woman of female weakness and the nervous condition attending it, her return to health is signalized by the birth of her first child. "Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong, sick women well.

"I cannot tell half that Dr. Pierce's medicine has done for me," writes Mrs. T. A. Ragan, of Norris, Watauga Co., N. C. "It will do all that is claimed for it—prevent miscarriage and render childbirth easy. It has given me a bright little boy, and I would not have had him had it not been for your wonderful medicine. I cannot say too much in praise of it; I think it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God for my life, and Dr. Pierce for my health."

"Pleasant Pellets" clear the complexion.

NEW ENGLAND THE BATTLEFIELD.

Fifty Thousand Machinists May Be Called Out In This Section of the Country.

Chicago, March 20.—Representatives of the International Association of Machinists say that local conditions in the various cities where the machinists are dissatisfied will govern the calling of a general strike. President O'Connell and his five assistants left last night for the principal centers of industry to confer with their men before issuing orders to go out.

As estimated by President O'Connell 186,000 machinists will be affected by a national strike.

In the New England states there are 50,000 men working in the trade, and it is said that that country will be the battlefield. When Mr. O'Connell returns from Cleveland, where he will be on Wednesday, he will leave for the east and probably direct matters from New York or Boston. The leaders say that the strike will be extended only to the factories and shops which manufacture mining, pumping, electric and printing machinery.

Music Question to Be Tested.

New York, March 20.—The managers of two east side resorts, McGurk's and "Little Buck's," were held for trial yesterday by Magistrate Flammer on a charge of violating the music hall act by having music in a drinking place. Magistrate Flammer said that he thought that the music in these places was the principal attraction, being used to induce people to come in and drink. The lawyers for the prisoners announced their intention to test the question of whether it was a crime to have music in restaurants on the Bowery and legal to have it in big hotels on Fifth avenue. Magistrate Flammer agreed that the matter ought to be tested, to decide just where music becomes criminal.

Second Dividend of Fifteen Percent.

Nashua, N. H., March 20.—A dividend of 15 percent will be paid from the savings department of the Security Trust company to depositors in that department on March 31. The total payment will amount to $43,000, and will be the second dividend of 15 percent that has been declared since the company closed its doors in October, 1896.

Dr. Dickie Denounces McKinley.

Boston, March 20.—At the weekly Methodist ministers' conference here Rev. Samuel Dickie, D. D., denounced President McKinley for not having declared himself a total abstainer. He said that Methodism had been lowered by McKinley more than any other man who ever trod this country.

Yale's "Smallpox" Scare.

New Haven, March 20.—The smallpox scare at Yale is subsiding, for Health Officer Wright announces that the case of William D. Brennan is measles, as the progress of the disease shows. The health authorities are still undecided, however, about the case of Rufus Parks, which developed last week.

Early Settlement Expected.

Bath, Me., March 20.—The ship carpenters' strike is still unsettled, but it looks as if an agreement will be signed this week.

Decision In Quackenbush Case.

Washington, March 20.—Chief Justice Fuller of the United States supreme court yesterday handed down an opinion in the claim of Commander Quackenbush of the United States navy to recover pay for services from 1883 to 1897. The case involves a complicated story of effort at dismissal and at reinstatement to rank in the navy. The court held that Quackenbush was not entitled to back pay, and also that the United States could not recover money paid him. Quackenbush was succeeded as commander in 1874 by Schley.

Two Victims of Infuriated Bull.

Danville, Pa., March 20.—The mutilated bodies of E. C. Stout and his wife, who lived on a farm near Nescopec, were found buried under the snow in their barnyard yesterday. In the same yard where the bodies were discovered a savage bull is kept with a number of other cattle, and it is the supposition that while at work in the yard Mr. Stout was attacked by the brute. His wife, it is presumed, came to his assistance and both were gored to death.

Colonists' Prospects Not Bright.

Havana, March 20.—General Wood has ordered the officer commanding at Puerto Principe to have a full investigation made into the management of the La Gloria colony. Director of Posts Rathbone has been conducting a postal investigation. The inspector who has had the work in hand advises the abolition of the La Gloria postoffice, and he has little that is favorable to say concerning the prospects of the colonists who are now there.

To Become a Congregationalist.

New York, March 20.—Arthur C. McGiffert of Union theological seminary, long under charges of heresy, has withdrawn from the Presbyterian church. He mailed a letter on Monday to Moderator Duffield of the New York Presbytery, asking that his name be stricken from the rolls. It is the intention of Dr. McGiffert to enter the Congregational church. His position at Union seminary will not be affected.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Rain has been general from the Mississippi valley eastward, and there has been snow in the northwest. Temperatures have risen considerably from the gulf states northeastward. Rain will continue in New England, with slight changes in temperature.

Met a Terrible Fate.

Providence, March 20.—James Angelo, 23 years old, employed in the Manton mill, was attempting to shut off the steam at a valve over a vat of boiling dyestuff, when he lost his balance and was immersed in the scalding liquid. He was quickly taken out, but the outer covering of the flesh from head to foot was hanging in shreds. He lived three hours.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour broughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

BENJ. J. WEEKS, Superintendent.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *6 12 abc		6 32	*5 53 ihgfedcba		6 22 r
r 6 42 abc		7 02	6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abc		7 32	7 28 cba		7 49 r
r 7 26 ad		7 45	8 28 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 02	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 7 56 ad		8 15	10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 45	12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	1 28 cba		1 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	2 28 cba		2 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 32	3 28 cba		3 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 32	4 28 cba		4 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 32	4 58 cba		5 19 r
r 1 12 abcd		1 32	5 15 da		5 36 r
r 2 12 abc		2 32	5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 3 12 abc		3 32	5 45 da		6 06 r
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HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK NS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past ur until 10.10 P. M.

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QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. .

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EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour 0 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

ROOT'S OBSERVATIONS

Of Affairs In Cuba Shows Them to Be of a Most Satisfactory Character.

Ultimate Independence of the Island Is Assured.

Scheme of Municipal Suffrage Must First Be Carefully Worked Out.

Washington, March 21.—Secretary of War Root yesterday consented to talk for publication as to existing conditions in Cuba, and the possibilities of the people in the direction of self-government. The secretary's opinions are the result of his recent observations during his recent trip to the island.

During Mr. Root's trip he visited the provinces of Havana, Matanzas and Pinar del Rio, and made it a point to note carefully the condition of the people and their industries and to discuss with individuals as well as officials in all the places at which he stopped on questions affecting their interests. His inquiries and observations covered a large number of subjects, and gave him a fund of information which will be of value to the president and to the war department in its future dealings with the Cubans. On the whole, the secretary expressed himself as satisfied with what he saw. The people, he said, appeared to be getting along very well, and peace prevailed throughout the country.

Naturally the question of ultimate independence of the island came up for discussion during the secretary's visit to Cuba, but he was not prepared to say just when the United States government would be willing that this should be a reality. Incidental to this matter, which is uppermost in the Cuban mind, are the formative steps that will bring it about.

The first of these, viz., the holding of the municipal elections at an early date, was a subject that Secretary Root discussed freely, particularly with the United States officials on the island, and the arrangements for carrying into effect this first step towards an independent government were matters into which Mr. Root looked very carefully.

"These elections," said the secretary, "will be the Cubans' first effort toward popular government. Unaccustomed as they are to these things, they are as the babe unborn, and have everything to learn. The whole plan for making effective the scheme of municipal suffrage has to be very carefully worked out, and the people instructed in all the details.

"This involves a vast amount of labor and takes considerable time, but ultimately it will be worked out and the elections will take place. I hardly believe, however, that the authorities will be quite ready for holding the elections by the first of May."

Secretary Root was not prepared to venture an opinion as to just when he believed this government would grant complete independence to the Cubans. The declaration in the joint resolution of congress, however, granting them full independence, would, he declared, be carried out. He pointed out how it was necessary that the municipal governments should be firmly established on a working basis, after which attention would be given to the selection of a constitutional convention, for the purpose of framing a constitution for the island, and its adoption by the people. Following this, and the establishment of a firm government in the island, the secretary felt would be time for the formal recognition of the independence of the authorities of the United States.

Mr. Root made it a feature of his visit to talk with the leaders of what has been known as the revolutionary element of the population, and those who are opposed to annexation to the United States, and he said they were not impatient over what were regarded as necessary and reasonable delays in the formation of a well-established government.

The secretary said that he believed that when a stable and settled policy of rule had been established the island would have a season of presperity, and that outside capital as well as much now there remaining uninvested, because of the uncertainty that exists, would find its way into the channels of trade and agriculture.

From High Life to Prison.

Boston, March 21.—Champagne and women caused the downfall of John F. Soule, who was sentenced by Judge Bell to state prison for not less than 2½ nor more than four years for larceny of $2500 from the Heath & Milligan Manufacturing company of Chicago, of which he was the eastern agent. Soule had been living a dual life in this city and had become a regular attendant at one of the churches, the pastor of which appeared in court to testify in his behalf.

Strike Fund About Exhausted.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 21.—The strike at the Lonsdale company's mills, which has been in effect since Dec. 11, has practically come to an end, as the National Federation of Textile Operatives has refused further support to the Blackstone Valley Weavers' association in connection with this strike. The $1200 in the treasury when the strike started is nearly exhausted.

Advertise to be successful.

WILL TELL ALL HE KNOWS.

Goebel's Murderer Will Be Brought to Justice, if Soldier's Statements Are True.

Boston, March 21.—Hoping for liberty, some youthful inmates of the Rainsford island house of reformation applied the torch simultaneously in two buildings last evening at 6:45 o'clock.

The plan of wholesale escape miscarried, but the fire raged for more than an hour, destroyed a stable and four arch sheds, several thousand bushels of coal, two horses, wrecked the printing office and slightly damaged the chapel, which is on the second floor of the main building, south and directly beneath the printing department. The loss is estimated at about $14,000.

An inmate named Miller, aged 15 years, who is a son of a church sexton, is suspected of having started one of the fires. Several boys allege that Miller planned the deed. He stolidly denies any connection with it.

Eighty boys were seated in the chapel when the fire broke out. Walter J. Phelan, head teacher, was addressing them. Smoke burst through the ceiling from the printing office, and at the same instant a cry of fire was heard outside.

Several of the larger boys bolted for the door, knocking down every one in their path. There was much screaming and whistling. In the midst of the panic Mr. Phelan reached the door and held the boys in check. Meanwhile guards rushed up the stairway and began marching the boys down in pairs.

The island was as light as day, and hurrying here and there were inmates endeavoring to secrete themselves. To leave the island was about impossible, for the sea all about was a veritable death line.

Many of the boys were hysterical, others danced in evident glee and shouted like demons. It was a strange sight, these incorrigibles, all praying that the fire might sweep away their place of imprisonment.

After a great deal of water had been thrown on the buildings, clouds of smoke settled down, and under this cloak a number of boys hurled stones through the dormitory and other buildings of the reformatory. Many window panes were broken.

A Manufacturer's Complaint.

Chicago, March 21.—Several large manufacturers appeared before the subcommittee of the congressional industrial commission, which met here yesterday to investigate manufacturing conditions in the west. W. J. Chalmers was the principal witness yesterday. He characterized trades unionism in this country as the most gigantic and arrogant trust ever organized, and also bitterly criticised the method of choosing the judiciary by popular vote in Illinois. Mr. Chalmers claimed that manufacturers in Chicago had for years been practically without police protection, and charged that this condition of affairs was due entirely to politics.

Released From Sanitarium.

Hartford, March 21.—Edward B. Swift of Shrewsbury, N. J., who was committed to a private sanitarium in South Windham three years ago by Judge Daniels of Windham, has been discharged. A hearing was to have been held in the court of common pleas here yesterday, on habeas corpus proceedings, instituted by Arthur C. Swift, for the discharge of his brother, alleging illegality in the commitment. The hearing did not take place, as Swift was released voluntarily by those in charge of the sanitarium.

Premium on Dead Rats.

Astoria, Ore., March 21.—The city council, unanimously passed an order last night, providing a bounty of 5 cents a head for all dead rats delivered to the chief of police. The ordinance will remain in force 30 days. This action is taken as a precautionary measure against the possible appearance of a plague in this city arising from ships coming here from infected ports.

Must Refund Money to Victims.

Chicago, March 21.—Richard Oliver, a broker, yesterday pleaded guilty in the United States district court to the charge of having used the mails to defraud country people by means of a so-called "get-rich-quick" scheme. Judge Kohlsaat imposed a fine of $1000, and ordered the defendant to refund money amounting to nearly $5000 which he had received from his victims.

A Kentucky Espisode.

Pineville, Ky., March 21.—On Marrowbone creek John Langley and Moses Sopher had an altercation, in which Langley and Sopher were both killed and a man named Johnson was seriously wounded. Johnson claimed he was trying to separate Sopher and Langley when he was shot.

Heavy Damage Suits Instituted.

New Orleans, March 21.—H. F. Dunne and T. Marney, who formed the firm of H. F. Dunne & Co., have filed damage suits aggregating $600,000 against the Georgia, Virginia Fire and the Hartford Insurance companies. Dunne & Co. were burned out and the insurance companies charged incendiarism.

Killed In Sunday Boxing Bout.

Santa Cruz, Cal., March 19.—Frank Cass, 18 years old, was killed at Levin Lake yesterday in a friendly boxing bout with Bert Whidden. In the eighth round Whidden struck Cass with a six-ounce glove on the left side of the neck. Death resulted in half an hour. Cass weighed 170 pounds, being 20 pounds heavier than Whidden.

A Wonder That He Didn't Freeze.

Springfield, Mass., March 19.—Maciel Geztka, 18, a Pole, living in Ludlow, as a result of religious fanaticism, stripped and plunged into the Chicopee river on Sunday. He waded and swam down stream two miles, and when found was praying and singing, and was indignant at being disturbed.

AS CROWN COLONIES.

How England Intends to Administer Her Affairs In South Africa.

Anxiety Regarding Mafeking Is Not Yet Relieved.

Roberts Reports Occupation of Prieska and Further Surrenders of Enemy.

London, March 21.—While there is a lull in the military operations the political surroundings of the war show interesting developments. The colonial office has telegraphed to Cape Town the text of the proclamation concerning the destruction of property. This will not be published in London until after its promulgation in South Africa; but it is known that it will convey an intimation that any wanton destruction of British property during the war will be regarded as warranting a claim for compensation and as justifying a levy upon private property, should the resources of the Transvaal republic prove inadequate.

The fact that the proclamation is issued by the colonial office is regarded as a significant indication that the republics will be administered as crown colonies. In this connection it is understood that the leaders of the opposition in parliament now admit that no other settlement is possible, since the republics insist upon their demand for absolute independence. In view of this the efforts of the Liberals will be confined to securing in the settlement the best treatment for the Dutch population, including security against their disfranchisement.

It is becoming regarded as quite a settled matter that, should the war be ended, as is now hoped, before June, the government will dissolve parliament and appeal to the country on the basis of a successful South African policy. Should the war drag on, dissolution will be postponed until next spring. In any event one of the foremost planks of the government platform will be army reorganization.

There is no further information as to the movements of Sir Alfred Milner. It is regarded as certain, however, that he has gone to Bloemfontein to arrange for the temporary administration of the Free State.

Mr. Steyn's reply to Lord Roberts' charges of the misuse of flags of truce is commented upon as impertinent and ridiculous; and Lord Roberts' course in closing a useless discussion is commended as wise.

Indications from Natal seem to show that General Buller's forward movement will not be long delayed.

The government has decided that Major General Sir Frederick Carrington shall command a colonial force of 5000, including the 2500 men Mr. Chamberlain asked from Australia, which will be stationed on the northern Transvaal border to prevent Boer retreat or an incursion into Rhodesia.

A statement comes from Pretoria admitting that the Boer losses during the war exceeds 7000.

No fresh news has been received from Mafeking, but a Pretoria dispatch, dated Thursday, March 15, asserts that Colonel Plumer has not been able to advance south of Lobatsi.

The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated Bloemfontein, March 20:

"Kitchener occupied Prieska yesterday unopposed. The rebels surrendered their arms. The Transvaalers escaped across the river.

"Mr. Steyn is circulating a notice, by means of dispatch riders, in reply to my proclamation, to the effect that any burgher who signs a declaration that he will not fight against us again will be treated as a traitor and shot.

"The Bloemfontein people are affording us every assistance in the matter of hospital accommodations. We have consequently been able to arrange for 500 beds.

"Thirty-three prisoners were taken at Prieska, 200 stands of arms and some supplies and explosives.

"The Boers have begun to surrender on the Basutoland frontier."

Claimed to Have Seen God.

Chelsea, Mass., March 21.—Mrs. Lorella D. Boisner died at her home on Tuesday. She had gained some noteriety by claiming to have been to heaven and seen God. She was born in Lowell 29 years ago. A few weeks after birth she became blind. Last summer she wrote two long accounts of her alleged visit to heaven, and she later did a lucrative business as a seer.

Lack of Incriminating Evidence.

New York, March 21.—Magistrate Cornell yesterday discharged Manager Ackron of the Tivoli and Manager Smith of the Arcadia, who were arrested last week with other managers of questionable resorts in the Tenderloin. In discharging the men, the magistrate said that no sufficient evidence had been produced to convict them.

As Might Have Been Expected.

London, March 21.—The Constantinople correspondent of The Times announces that the sultan has yielded "in all essential particulars" to the Russian demands respecting railway concessions in Asia Minor.

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Sunday,	31	23	32	56	43
Monday,	55	23	34	46	58
Tuesday,	65	35	33	57	39
Wednesday,	44	45	34	51	52
Thursday,	—	44	35	53	58
Friday,	—	51	37	60	49
Saturday,	—	38	37	45	40

New Advertisements Today.

Wanted—Girl for general housework.

Good Afternoon.

According to the New York Herald, the pool rooms of that city alone pay a million and a half a year hush money to the crooked officials.

Mr. Bryan cannot be blamed for not putting too much trust in such "friends" as ex-Senators Gorman and Hill, and Boss Croker. He knows enough to know that they would knife him if they saw a favorable opportunity.

Wise Democrats have long ago recognized the inevitable renomination, by acclamation, of President McKinley, and have not taken part in any of the silly attempts to make it appear that some other Republican was being boomed.

If Germany persists in her present attitude against American meat product, she will find that when it comes to playing a tariff retaliation game, whether called "sanitary" or by any other name, Uncle Sam holds the winning hand.

Governor Taylor says the Kentucky courts "have become so partisan that it is practically, if not absolutely, impossible for any man not of their persuasion to obtain a fair trial." That is an arraignment that should make the Kentucky Democrats hang their heads for shame.

It is well for Republicans that there is a flaw in the civil service order as passed by the City Council, for the glee of the Democrats plainly shows that they were to profit by the order. All the call men of the Atlantic and the West Quincy companies and other firemen are said to be aggressive Democrats, and not as good firemen as some Republican ex-members who sought reappointment. There is need of reorganization before civil serivce is put into force, and it might be as well for Quincy to control its fire department as to allow a civil service commission to do it. The City Council has made many mistakes in adopting orders the night they were introduced, and this seems to be another. All orders unless urgent should be referred to committees.

One of the greatest drawbacks which has hampered the engineers in handling the two recent large fires is the lack of men to man the various pieces of apparatus when the fires have been in their incipient stages. The first requisite in order for Chief Williams or his assistants to successfully cope with a fire under a good headway is a crew of men so numerous that the ladders literally fly from the truck to the building and the hose must be whipped off the wagons and properly laid and coupled at such a speed that delays are reduced to a minimum. One great handicap at the Music hall fire as well as the Quincy & Boston car barn was the delay incidental to attempting to carry out orders with a wholly insufficient working force. This means that a fire started in a large area similar to Music hall or the car barn, gets the upper hand of the department at the outset.

As the department is now constituted there is a shortage of permanent men to be of efficient service at a large fire. Besides 51 call men the department is made up of 10 permanent men divided as follows — engineman, assistant engineman, superintendent of fire alarm and seven drivers. The first two men are of necessity compelled to stand by the steamer whether it is in use or not, more often the latter. This eliminates them from active participation at a fire. Then comes the superintendent of the fire alarms, and lastly the seven drivers. The drivers first run out the hose, care for their horses and finally fight the fire. It will thus be seen that the number of permanent men who actually handle the lines of hose or ladders is uncertain and when their other duties are attended to, often times the fire has attained considerable headway.

The call men do good work but outside of the central station apparatus but one, or two at the outside, ever ride to a fire on their various pieces of apparatus. The other members live at such distances from the hose houses that they make their way to the fire the best they can, arriving often times through no fault of their own at from 20 minutes to a half an hour after the alarm is pulled.

With a steamer, ladder truck, two combinations and three hose wagons responding to a general alarm and with but a handful of men to handle all of this apparatus it is not to be wondered at that occasionally a fire gets away from the department. Chief Williams has repeatedly urged upon the Council the necessity of adding not less than four more permanent men to the department. His requests have not been acceeded to by those "in the seats of the mighty."

Another matter which the Chief has recommended, we think more than once, is the abolishment of the board of assistant engineers, and the appointment of a deputy chief. This top-heavy officering of the department is a relic of hand-tub days. When the Chief is absent, and a large fire occurs, serious complication are likely to result. No department can be administered successfully where there is a division of authority. We cannot afford to imperil the safety of our city for personal considerations. If our department is not all that it might be, the changes needed to raise it to the desired standard should immediately be made.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Massachusetts, first in war and peace, is also the first state in the Union carrying the heaviest debt, that is, of all the city, town and counties total. Its aggregate indebtedness is about $200,000,000 which means that the citizens of the state pay about $7,000,000 a year just to carry it.

☞ The city government of Springfield has granted a franchise to a new telephone company there and the concern agrees to furnish the city with 15 free telephones and a discount of 33 per cent. on all other telephones that are used by the city. Cities are beginning to realize that there is no necessity for giving away telephone franchises.—Lynn Item.

☞ A face of perfect peace is difficult to find. Our crowds are too eager for gain; too hurried by social life; too anxious about the morrow to have time to prepare a serene face for the world to see. Yet how lovely such a face when, here and there, we find it. It betokens the setting of money-gain far below the gain of culture, it shows a proper estimate of what life is worth; it is proof in itself of a belief that in this world the happy way is to live wisely and well and to let live.—Berkshire Eagle.

☞ The economic conditions in the Philippines are simply glorious. The correspondent of the New York Sun demonstrates that a native can live on eight cents a day and support a moderate family to boot. By a little husbanding of his income, doubtless he can take in the theatre or cock fight occasionally. There is nothing like the simplicity of Oriental economy and it is a pity to disturb it. Consider the sorrow of the luckless Tagal when he learns civilization and tries to live on a dollar a day.—Pawtucket Times.

☞ That fashion is more powerful among women than sentiment or other considerations is shown by the fact that contracts have been made whereby New Jersey hunters have agreed to furnish to a New York house 20,000 birds within the next 60 days. This slaughter of the innocents is to be carried on that women may deck themselves with plumage. It is man who does the work, but it is within woman's power to stop this sort of carnage. Should women declare against feathers as a means of personal adornment the wholesale slaughter of birds would cease.—Nashua Telegraph.

☞ When the American is on pleasure bent he is bound to have his fun, no matter what it costs him as long as he has the price, and it is probable that this is none the less true of other people from other countries. It is human nature. Nevertheless, many of those who go over to Paris knowing what they will meet will growl and grumble about extortion, but will pay the price and then come home and tell about the good time they had. Whenever there is a chance to make money there are always people on hand who will do the squeezing as long as there are people who will put themselves in a position to be squeezed.—Taunton Gazette.

ACTION TOO HASTY.

Civil Service Does Not Reach Call Firemen.

Or the Chief and Assistant Engineers.

The Order Should Have Gone to a Committee.

Upon looking up the civil service laws, it would appear that the City Council was a little hasty in passing the civil service order concerning the Fire department at Monday night's meeting, and it will not accomplish the end desired, viz: to take the department out of politics. It would therefore have been much better and would have saved time to have referred the matter to a committee, as argued by Councilmen Packard, Nichols and Badger.

The whole argument was that the Fire department was being used year after year for political purposes, and was becoming demoralized. That placing the department under civil service would take it out of politics. This particularly meant the call men, for among the permanent men, with two exceptions they are the same as for several years. It is generally admitted that the present permanent men are efficient and should be retained. The Fire department fight in politics every year has been among call men.

Should Mayor Hall petition the civil service commission as requested it will not have the desired effect, as it is claimed it will not include the Chief, his assistants, or the call men of the department. In fact it will only result in placing the ten permanent men upon the civil service list, and there will be as much of a fight among the call men as heretofore. Had the order been referred to a committee they would have discovered this fact.

It is also claimed that the only way to each the chief and call men so as to ake them out of politics is to petition the legislature. Before that is done the department should be reorganized, so as to drop some of the wooden men among the call force.

Banquet at United States.

The sixth anniversary of the Tawasentha club was held Tuesday night at the United States hotel, Boston. It was also the annual meeting of the club and the following officers were elected:

President, Ezekiel C. Sargent.
Vice President, Mrs. A. W. Ryder.
Secretary and Treasurer, Mabel Baxter.

Then came the annual banquet for which a tempting menu was prepared.

After the banquet Fred E. Tupper was introduced as toastmaster. Speeches followed by John T. Hunt, Ernest Gourd, Frank Crane, Arthur W. Ryder, John Newcomb, A. L. Melcher, W. L. Sargent, Dr. F. Abele, Miss Haittie E. Sargent and Miss A. L. Tupper.

Bradlee the Choice.

The Milton Republican caucus to elect delegates to the Representative convention, to be held this afternoon to nominate a candidate for the Legislature to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George R. R. Rivers, was held Tuesday evening. Two candidates were before the caucus, J. Walter Bradlee and Hiram Tuell. It was a very largely attended caucus, and the Bradlee delegates won out by four votes receiving 236 to Tuell's 232.

By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer. Office Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

Administrator's Sale at Public Auction

Of the Household Goods of the late Frederick Souther, will be sold at late residence, Mill street, Quincy, on FRIDAY, March 30, 1900, at 1.30 P. M.

The goods consist in part as follows:

PARLOR. Square Piano, Woolen Carpet, Rug, 7 H. C. Chairs, 2 H. C. Rockers, 1 Plush Rocker, H. C. Sofa, fine large Glass, Music Rack, Music Stool, Pictures, Table.

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CHAMBER. Antique Secretary, Table, Bedstead, Pillows, Bolster, Straw Matting, Feather Beds, 2 Chairs, Stair Carpet.

SECOND CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, 4 Pillows, Sheets, Comforters, Bureau.

THIRD CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, Commode, Pictures, Straw Matting, 2 Chairs, Rocker.

FOURTH CHAMBER. Antique Mahogany Bureau, Straw Matting, 2 Bureaus, 4 Chairs, H. C. Sofa, What Not, Pictures, Bed Ticking, Maps, Books, 2 Bags, Trunk.

STABLE. Saw, 4 Shovels, 4 Forks, Rakes, Tools, Bench, Chests, Desk, Anvil, Sick Chair, Window Glass, lot of Leather, Ship Carpenter Tools, lot of Wood, and a large variety of goods in both the House and Stable, the accumulation of years.

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March 20. 9t

WILD GOOSE CHASE.

Quincy Fire Apparatus Summoned to Rainsford Island.

The Central station fire apparatus was sent on a wild goose chase Tuesday night. Shortly after 7 o'clock a telephone message was received, stating that there was a large fire in progress at Quincy woods or Houghs Neck. One round from Box 14 was snapped in from the Central fire station at 7.15 and the apparatus started. They found the rain of Monday night and the mild whether Tuesday had started the frost from the ground near the cemetery, with the result that part of the apparatus got stuck in the mud. By the time they got out of the mud they learned there was no fire at Houghs Neck and therefore returned.

The fire was at Rainsford's island and it made a very bright illumination. Many thought Houghs Neck was surely burning up, especially as Houghs Neck box was sounded. Those who live on high ground, however, saw that the fire was beyond Houghs Neck. The flames were plainly visible and made a grand illumination.

Hose 2 of Wollaston responded to the alarm. The wagon went as far as Denen's stable. Driver Morrisey then discovered that the alarm was for the Rainsford Island fire, and returned.

COME TO THE POINT.

There Should be No False Meneuvering by Manufacturers.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

Three weeks have elapsed since the cutters laid down their hammers and resolved not to wield them in Quincy again, until the employers have agreed to accede to the demands of an eight hour day at a minimum wage of $3.00.

That these demands were exorbitant the good sense of the cutters themselves have admitted. Not because $3.00 for eight hours is too much for the trying and exhausting work of cutting stone but that the advance on the 1899 bill is such as would unquestionably detrimentally effect the trade or some time to come cause loss to both employers and employes.

The Cutters have very wisely in line with Barre and a few other places receded from their first proposition with a view to settling the difficulty and to that end, several conferences with the manufacturers have taken place.

If the results of these meetings have been correctly reported in the Quincy Ledger there is still considerable difference between the two parties, which may prolong the contest indefinitely; which is something to be deplored, not only by those most directly interested, but by the whole city.

It is evident in view of the settlements already effected in Barre, and other places, that the Cutters will never accept the latest offer of the manufacturers, viz $2.52 as the minimum. On the other hand the manufacturers cannot be too severely condemand should they not grant the 35 cents minimum, as demanded by the men.

The question resolves itself into one of discretion on the part of both parties, and considering the whole case we think a compromise on 33 cents would redound to the credit of all concerned.

Barre has heretofore had a higher minimum by 2 cents over Quincy, and any one knowing all the conditions knows that Barre has to pay a higher price than Quincy in order to keep the men there. Still Barre can undersell Quincy in the open market.

That the Manufacturers are not altogether serious in their offer of $2.52, is evident, we think, from the fact that to stand by it would simply mean an almost entire loss of business. They can still do business on a paying basis at the 33 cents minimum, but they will find it hard work to pull back a trade that has gone elsewhere because of their own shortsightedness.

It is to be hoped the men at their meeting tonight will calmly and intelligently consider the whole question, and instruct their delegates accordingly. A long struggle might mean a serious impairment to their organization, besides the inevitable monetary loss.

The Manufacturers have to silence the "squaking goose" in case they be decoyed into the slough. If they are up-to-date business men, they will, without any show of false maneuvering come to the point and leave no doubt as to their full intentions. This is the more honorable course and will receive the approbation of the public and the employes with whom they are at variance.

We think the Cutters are wise in demanding a "minimum," instead of the so-called "standard," as all past experiences prove that a standard is like the shadow, somewhat delusive. Employer and employe alike benefit by the minimum, and it is to be hoped an amicable adjustment on that basis will be accomplished at the next meeting of the two committees. Interested.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Frank Holmes of Newcomb place has moved to Brewers corner.

It is rumored that one of the emyloyes of the Q.&B. St. Ry., is soon to be married.

The ladies of the Univerealist church give another of their famous suppers and socials in the vestry tonight.

The warm mild day Tuesday, and a cold windy day today, will doubtless increase the number of cases of grip.

Tuesday was the first day of spring, and W. C. Hartwell, the Ledger agent, observed the event by putting up his awning.

H. H. Hill, prescription clerk at Hearns's drug store, has practically recovered from his illness, and is on duty again.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holmes were given a surprise party by about thirty of their friends at their home on Baxter street, Monday evening.

The Mt. Wollaston farm has purchased its ice in Maine, and teams have been busy for several days carting it from the Quincy depot to the farm.

John W. Broderick, formerly of Atlantic, passed away at his home in Neponset on Monday. The funeral was held this morning from St. Anne's church.

In the High School hall, Thursday, at 4 o'clock, C.T.C. Whitcomb, principal of the English High School of Somerville, will speak to the teachers about "Ethics in School Life."

The young women of Atlantic have formed a reading club. Each member in turn buys a book of recent publication and their book is put into circulation among the other members, alphabetically. Thus the club keeps in touch with the late books of the day.

Miss Margaret Wallace of Squantum street, entertained a few of her friends at her home Monday evening and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Mr. John Hefferman entertained them with selections from his graphaphone. Misses Kate and Julia Connors and Miss Annie Morrisey of Baxter street, Quincy, were among those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hobart of Mill street entertained a party of young people at their home Tuesday evening. Prizes were secured by Miss Cudworth Miss Hobart and Mr. George E. Sprague in the series that were played during the evening. Cream, cake and fruit were served, after which a group picture of the party was taken by flashlight.

Birthday Party.

Miss Georgia M. Miner, of 19 Old Colony avenue entertained a number of friends at her home, Tuesday evening, with a whist party, after which a dainty collation was served. It being her birthday her friends surprised her with a watch, while she received a chain from the family. Mr. Edward Bullock of the Temple quartette rendered several fine solos, Miss Ethel Douglass gave a reading, Misses Alta Shay and Frances Whall piano solos. Friends were present from Malden, Somerville, Boston, Quincy and Wollaston.

Not Sanguine.

A discuscion was overherd between a young man of Atlantic and "Billy" Noble, the owner of the depot carrage. The old station is receiving repairs, and after noting the fact, the young man asked "Billy" if, when a new station was built he would buy a new depot carriage, and a more elaborate one. "Billy" laughed. "When the new station is built" he answered, "I shall be to rich a man to need to run a depot carriage." Evidently "Billy" hasn't great hopes of a speedy begining of the longed for station.

TODAY'S COURT.

Henry Clayman was fined $5 for collecting junk without a license at Quincy.

John Haslam was arraigned for assault on Leon Bernard at Randolph. The plaintiff acknowledged satisfaction and Haslan was fined $10.

The continued case of Frank Silvia for assault was called and continued until Thursday, when he will furnish bonds to keep the peace.

Died in New York.

Mr. Henry A. Jones, one of Wollaston's oldest residents, died at the home of his son, Mr. William Jones, at New York, on Tuesday of bronchitis. He has been passing the winter in New York. About a month ago he was taken ill, gradually declining until the end came.

Mr. Jones was born in Boston in 1827 and became a resident of Wollaston in 1871. For over thirty years he was with J. J. McNutt of Boston.

He is survived by three sons and one daughter, William Jones of New York, Charles W. Jones of Wollaston, I. Howland Jones of Boston, and Miss Elizabeth E. Jones of Tarrytown, N. Y. The body will be brought here for interment.

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

Post Office Consolidation.

A special despatch to the Transcript from Washington states that Representative Naphen will introduce today a bill providing for the consolidation of the Quincy and Wollaston post offices, in order that free delivery may be extended to that section. Whether this bill passes or not, free delivery is practically assured, beginning next summer.

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JONES—In New York, March 20, Mr. Henry A. Jones of Wollaston, Mass., aged 72 years. Funeral Thursday, March 22, at 2 P. M., from residence of Charles W. Jones, Wollaston.

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Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

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QUARRY SYNDICATE.

Papers Making the Transfer Recorded Today.

Deeds Were Filed at Dedham Registry and Mortgages at Quincy.

John Swithin, the Ex-Councilman, Elected President of the Syndicate.

The deal consolidating a number of the largest quarries in Quincy into a syndicate, which has been in the process of formation for a year past, has been consummated, the deeds conveying the property to the company having been filed at the office of the Registrar of Deeds at Dedham this morning.

The new company was organized under the laws of New Jersey, and is known as the Quincy Granite Quarries

PRESIDENT SWITHIN.

Co. The property acquired by the company includes:

Quincy Quarry Co.
Berry Bros.
John Cashman.
Prout Bros. Granite Co.
Andrew Milne.
W. R. Thomas.
Fallon & Sons.
Frederick & Field.
Adams Temple and School fund.
George S. Paterson.
126 shares of the Blue Hill Granite Co.
201 shares of the Lyons Granite Co.
107 shares of the O. T. Rogers Co.

The capitalization of the new company includes $1,750,000 first mortgage 30-year gold bonds at 5 per cent. and the common stock is said to be 25,000 shares at $100 per share.

The average annual net earnings are estimated at $128,280; interest on bonds $80,000; surplus earnings $91,280.

The approximate assets are 530 acres of quarry land $1,334,500; granite blocked out $1,628,496; quarry rail roads, $98,068; engines, machinery, etc., $219,095; salable property not needed in business $91,000; cash for new power plants, $300,000; total, $3,681,159.

The officers of the company are John Switin of Quincy president; John K. Hayward of Boston, treasurer.

The quarries acquired by the new company are said not to include all originally intended as the owners refused to renew the option when they expired.

Many of those acquired are on the line of the Quincy Quarry Railroad and the others are in the North Common, so called. It is understood that the selling agency of the company will be located in New York, and will be known as the Quincy Commercial Granite Co.

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TO CONSIDER OFFER.

Mass Meeting of the Cutters Union Called for Tonight.

The Quincy branch of the Granite Cutters' Union will meet tonight to take action on the last proposition of the Manufacturers.

The talk among some of the men is that they will not accept, but will stick to their demand for a minimum price of 35 cents per hour for eight hours. This the Manufacturers say they will not give.

Some of the granite manufacturers claim that the comments on their offer of Monday are unfair. The offer was:

"Eight hours to constitute a day's work 6 days in the week, as already agreed to; the pay to be same as paid for 9 hours in the bill of 1899, with an eleven per cent. increase in the piece price list of 1899. This agreement to remain in force to March 1st, 1905."

If Cutters were receiving $2.75, $3.00 or even $3.50 or $4.00 under the bill of 1899, they would receive the same pay under the new bill, but at the same time work one less hour per day, or eight hours as demanded.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
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A special train from Boston Tuesday evening took a party of 575 Odd Fellows from Boston and vicinity to Providence, R. I., to witness an exemplification of the work. In the party were thirty from Mt. Wollaston and John Hancock lodges.

The Quincy party boarded the train at Neponset, which left there at 7.20, and ran express to Providence, arriving at 8.50.

The exemplification was by Mt. Pleasant lodge of Dorchester, who worked the first degree.

The work was finely done and was witnessed by Grand Sire Pinkerton, and the officers of the Massachusetts and Rhode Island Grand Lodges.

After the work of the evening an adjournment was made to Music hall, where a banquet was served. Speeches were made by the Grand Sire, Grand Officers and others, who congratulated Mt. Pleasant lodge heartly on the manner in which the ritualistic work had been rendered.

The special train bearing the Massachusetts visitors left Providence at 2 o'clock in the morning, the first stop being at Quincy which was reached at 3.35 o'clock.

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ENGLAND'S PRISON ISLAND.

St. Helena, Where She Sends Her Distinguished Prisoners of War.

BY HOWARD SPENCE SINCLAIR

St. Helena, where the great Napoleon fretted away the last years of his life and which has now been chosen as the prison place of brave General Cronje, is by no means such an isolated spot as it was when the British sent the great Corsican there; not that it has been moved any nearer the African coast—that continent is still many lonely leagues away—but today St. Helena is on the steamer route from London to Cape Town. There are cable communications both ways, too, and this puts it in touch with the rest of the world.

It is just as forbidding in appearance, however, as it was in 1815. Its stern, rugged crags lift themselves far above the snarling rollers, and the cliffs are as bare as a rain washed bone. Still the island is by no means a bad place to live in. It is by no means an Isle du Diable. The climate is everything that could be desired. It is even popular as a health resort. In late years consumptives have gone there and have been benefited. There are flowers all the year round.

St. Helena is 1,700 miles from Cape Town and 4,000 miles from London. It is 1,800 miles from the coast of South America. The Allan line steamers make it their last stop between Liverpool and Cape Town. The other stops are Lisbon and the Canaries.

The island is of an irregular, egg shaped figure. Its greatest breadth is 10½ miles and its greatest width about 6 miles. The principal town and only port is Jamestown. The entire population of the island is not more than 4,000, which includes the garrison of several hundred British soldiers. The island is the property of the British crown. The present governor is Robert Armitage Sterndale, who succeeded Mr. W. Grey Wilson, C. M. G., about a year ago.

Since the death of Napoleon St. Helena has been used as a prison place on several occasions. The most recent

EARL OF BATHURST.

prisoners to be sent there before Cronje was N'Udizulu, an ex-king of the Zulus, who was accompanied by several of his fighting chiefs whom the British thought too dangerous to be allowed to remain in Africa.

The prison quarters on the island are known as Longwood. On this estate are two sets of buildings. One is known as the "Old House." This is the one in which Napoleon lived during his captivity. The new house, which was intended for the occupancy of the French emperor, was not completed until after his death. Napoleon watched it rising, but confidently told his keepers that he would never occupy it.

Another historic house on St. Helena is the cottage known as "The Briers." This is where Napoleon was quartered while waiting for Longwood to be made ready for him.

In approaching St. Helena the Island has the appearance of a barren rock rising out of the ocean. Its huge, precipitous rocks do not present a very inviting appearance to the stranger who views them for the first time. It is said that when the island was first settled these rocks were covered with soil in which trees grew down to the water's edge, but that the cutting down of these trees and the consequent decay of their protecting roots exposed the soil to the action of the rains, and as a result the rocky subsoil has been laid bare, without a vestige of vegetation. Even a walk through Jamestown shows no signs of vegetation above it, but a penetration into the island and upon its elevated plateaus reveals a pastoral country that would not be dreamed of.

Jamestown, the principal town of the island, is a pretty place when viewed from a favorable position and contains the governor's residence, called "The Castle," three churches, six schools, and several fine buildings.

The fortifications of St. Helena are now very strong as well from their elevation as from the character of the guns which have been mounted in them, which are of the most modern and effective kind and of large caliber.

Colonel Lord Bathurst, chosen to command the escort of Cronje and his army on their way to the prison island, has been in command of a Gloucester militia regiment at the front. He is a descendant of one of the oldest of Saxon families, and it was during the reign of Elizabeth that the first Earl of Bathurst was given his title.

The chances are nine in ten that the office boy will bring a cake of Ivory Soap if sent for "a cake of good soap." But be sure of it. Each cake of Ivory Soap is stamped "Ivory."

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Team F. Paralized.

At the Merrymount Club, Wollaston, last evening, teams C. and F. rolled another match in the candle pin tournament, team C. winning two out of three.

TEAM C.

	1	2	3	Total
Osborne,	70	102	89	261
Flood,	84	80	70	234
Baker,	84	81	87	252
Smith,	61	74	65	200
Monroe,	64	95	64	223
	869	432	375	1170

TEAM F.

	1	2	3	Tota
Bryant,	83	67	75	225
Holmes,	67	68	75	209
Hall,	67	78	88	233
*Poole,	60	60	60	180
Fairbanks,	80	90	85	255
	357	363	382	1102

*Poole absent average taken less 5 pins each string.

The club will hold it first ladies' night this evening. There will be music by members of the club, and Prof. W. D. LeRoy of Boston, magic and slight of hand.

Steamer Sunk by Bark.

London, March 20.—The British steamer Verona of Glasgow, from Buenos Ayres, Feb. 19, for Hamburg, was sunk in collision with the British bark Dunstaffnago, from Philadelphia, Feb. 9, for Hiogo, and two of the Verona's crew were drowned. The Dunstaffnago sustained serious injuries, but the bulkhead kept the holds tight and she proceeded to Barbados for repairs.

Spread of Smallpox Prevented.

Washington, March 20.—Advices to Surgeon General Van Reypen indicate that the number of cases of smallpox on the cruiser Newark was limited to two. These cases were contracted by two sailors who went ashore and mingled with the natives at Vigan, in northern Luzon. They were successfully treated and the spread of the disease was prevented.

Texas Court Decision Upheld.

Washington, March 20.—The supreme court of the United States has rendered an opinion in the case of the Waters-Pierce Oil company against the state of Texas, affirming the decision of the court of civil appeals of the state of Texas. The case involved the constitutionality of the anti-trust law of Texas, which was sustained by the opinion.

Fourteen Rounds Knocked Off.

Lynn, Mass., March 20.—Danny McBride was given the decision over Martin Flaherty in the first round, after two minutes of fighting, at the Prospect club last night, on the ground that the latter did not break clean. The match was for 15 rounds, for a purse.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The W. P. Orr linseed oil mill at Piqua, O., was destroyed by fire. Loss, $165,000 to $175,000. The Piqua flouring mills caught fire and were destroyed. Loss, $75,000.

James N. King, 17, colored, was crushed to death by an elevator at Boston. He tried to board the moving car.

Consul Halstead at Birmingham, Eng., reports the formation of a bleaching trust, with a capital of $50,000,000 or $60,000,000, with the avowed object of preventing individual concerns from indulging in sharp practices, cutting prices, discounts, etc.

Justice Jenks of the supreme court, Brooklyn, has appointed two receivers of F. Moesner's brewery, in proceedings brought by the directors, for a voluntary dissolution of the corporation.

The navy department has been notified that the battleship Kearsarge will be ready for her official sea trial on April 3.

Sergeant James Cassidy of the United States marine corps, stationed at the Portsmouth navy yard, drank four ounces of carbolic acid, probably for the purpose of committing suicide, and is at the point of death.

A friendly slap on the shoulder led to the death of Edward Harkins at Boston. Mr. Harkins, who was 65 years old, fell so heavily after the blow that he fractured a hip and received a shock.

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Quincy, April 25. tf

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Double House, 4 rooms in each half, 15 Brackett street.
Half House, 6 rooms, Pond street. Land with same if desired.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a.m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a.m.
			New Moon	30	3:30 p.m.

Script For the Deaf.

"What are you doing, Franz?"
"Writing to my grandmother."
"But why do you make such big letters?"
"Oh, you see, my grandmother is pretty deaf."—Fliegende Blatter.

Served In Two Wars.

Boston, March 21.—General Zealous B. Tower, U. S. A. (retired), died at Cohasset Tuesday night, aged 81 years. He was graduated from the military academy in 1847 and saw active service in the Mexican and Civil wars, serving with distinction in both and being retired in 1883. He was superintendent of the military academy from July 8, 1864, till the following September.

Maxwell Pleads Not Guilty.

Portland, Me., March 21.—Elmer Maxwell, who is charged with killing Captain Baisley of the schooner J. B. Van Duzen in the Bay of Funday, last November, was arraigned on Tuesday upon the indictment found against him by the grand jury of the United States district court. He pleaded not guilty, and was recommitted to jail, without bail, and his trial fixed for May 1.

No Prospect of Settlement.

Biddeford, Me., March 21.—An effort made by the local board of trade to effect a settlement of the strike in the Shaw & Pettee machine shop was unsuccessful. The board's offer of mediation was declined by the strikers' union, while the agent of the shop said that he would never consent to recognize the shop as a union concern.

In the Interest of Science.

Stamford, Conn., March 21.—William C. Hoyt has begun for the United States weather bureau a series of experiments with kites, which will be continued throughout New England during the summer. The object of the experiments is to obtain temperatures at different altitudes in various parts of the country.

Strike Unlikely to Reach Baltimore.

Baltimore, March 21.—Owing to the fact that Baltimore machinists and shipworkers were granted the nine-hour day some time ago, which, it is said, is the object of the impending struggle at Chicago and other points, Baltimore workmen do not feel that even a sympathetic strike here is likely.

Renounces Spanish Citizenship.

Rome, March 21.—Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, has appeared in court at Lucca and renounced his Spanish citizenship. He declared that he was an Austrian subject.

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FREE TRADE ELEMENT

May Prevail In the Final Disposition of the Puerto Rican Muddle.

House Clause Restored In Appropriation Measure.

Morgan Says Inhabitants of Acquired Territory Are Citizens of United States.

Washington, March 21.—Before the cabinet meeting yesterday, Senators Foraker, Allison, Spooner, Kean and Foster called at the White House and were closeted for some time with the president. They were anxious to know his position on the subject of Puerto Rico. The impression that they evidently went away with was that he wished it well out of the way, and the party reunited, and as the smaller body can hardly hope to absorb the greater, it seems reasonable to suppose that the free trade element will be the one to prevail.

Great uncertainty prevails in the senate as to the final outcome of the Puerto Rican tariff muddle. The friends of the house bill have completed a canvass which they assert shows a clear majority on their side when the vote is reached. This is improbable. The present delay, which is claimed to be due to the desire of the house bill advocates to "whip a few doubtful senators into line," is more likely to be the result of a discovery that it is the other side which has the majority.

The conferees on the Puerto Rican appropriation bill have agreed upon a compromise measure. The senate conferees receded from the senate amendment, limiting the appropriation to the revenues collected on Puerto Rican importations until Jan. 1 last, and restored the clause in the house bill, applying to future revenues, reading as follows:

"Together with any further customs revenues collected on importations from Puerto Rico since Jan. 1, 1900, or that shall hereafter be collected under existing law."

The provision in the senate amendment specifying the purpose for which the money shall be used is retained, but an addition is made declaring specifically that it shall be for the "aid and relief" of the Puerto Ricans. The bill as agreed upon reads as follows:

"That the sum of $2,095,455, being the amount of customs revenue received on importations by the United States from Puerto Rico since the evacuation of Puerto Rico by the Spanish forces on the 18th day of October, 1898, to the 1st of January, 1900, together with any further customs revenue collected on importations from Puerto Rico since the 1st of January, 1900, or that shall hereafter be collected under existing law, shall be placed at the disposal of the president, to be used for the government now existing and which may hereafter be established in Puerto Rico and for the aid and relief of the people thereof and for public education, public works and other governmental and public purposes therein until otherwise provided by law; and the revenues herein referred to, already collected and to be collected under existing law, are hereby appropriated for the purposes herein specified, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated."

Discussion of the Puerto Rican government and tariff bill was resumed in the senate yesterday, Mr. Morgan of Alabama presenting a speech dealing with some of the constitutional phases of the measure. He maintained that, as the treaty of Paris was the supreme law of the land, it was impossible for the United States to abandon either Puerto Rico or the Philippines. He held, also, that the constitution extended, to a certain extent, at least, over the acquired territory, and that the inhabitants of Puerto Rico were citizens of the United States.

The house entered upon the consideration of the Loud bill to restrict the character of publications entitled to the 1-cent-per-pound rate as second class matter. The bill has been before congress for several years. Mr. Loud defended the bill in a lengthy speech.

Before the bill was taken up, Mr. Sulzer delivered a denunciation of the administration in connection with his resolution of inquiry, calling upon the war department for information as to what fortifications Great Britain was erecting on the Canadian borders.

The committee on military affairs submitted a reply to Adjutant General Corbin, saying such information was secret, but that Great Britain was erecting no works which threatened our rights.

Mr. Sulzer charged that the administration did nothing without the consent of Downing street; that the recent action of Secretary Hay was taken upon the request of Lord Salisbury, and defeated a concert of the European powers to intervene in South Africa, and charging generally that the English were erecting fortifications along the Canadian border that menaced the peace and welfare of this country.

The committee's motion to lay the resolution on the table was carried—94 to 83. Thereupon Mr. Sulzer demanded the yeas and nays, which were ordered. The resolution was laid on the table, 110 to 97.

Crew of Wrecked Ship Saved.

San Francisco, March 21.—Captain Stone and 26 men of the wrecked British ship City of Florence, which struck on a reef 10 miles south of Point Pedro on Monday night, were picked up by the tug Alert two miles north of Point Pedro late yesterday afternoon and brought to this city.

Double Drowning Accident.

Northampton, Mass., March 21.—Arthur Lloyd and George Bertrand, each aged about 10, lost their lives in the waters of the millpond at Easthampton on Tuesday. The boys were playing on the ice and broke through.

MISSIONARIES' LIVES IN DANGER.

Anti-Foreign Move In China Places Christians In a Deplorable Position.

London, March 21.—The Shanghai correspondent of The Times says: The North China Daily News publishes a dispatch from a correspondent in the province of Shan Tung, who says that, while the Chinese government has not taken active measures to suppress the anti-foreign movement, Governor Yuan has warned the missionaries that the local authorities cannot be held responsible for the safety of those traveling unescorted into the interior. The position of the native Christians is deplorable, and if the anti-foreign movement continues ignored and unchecked serious consequences are inevitable.

Women Sue For Foreclosure.

Chicago, March 21.—Suit to foreclose a trust deed for $400,000 was begun yesterday in the superior court by Julia E. Brooker, Lillian C. Farrell, Adele F. Bryant and Lillian Farrell, all of Ansonia, Conn., who represent themselves to be the holders of a majority of the bonds issued July 1, 1896, by the Young & Farrell Diamond Stone Sawing company for $400,000. It is charged that the Young & Farrell company has defaulted on numerous payments and the appointment of a receiver is asked for.

Mother and Babe In Cell.

New York, March 21.—Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Bisman, said to be well known socially in Baltimore, arrived here yesterday from a European trip. Mrs. Bisman was immediately arrested on the charge of obtaining, under false pretenses, a sealskin sack and muff, valued at $350, from Seigmund & Son of Baltimore. Mrs. Bisman was locked up in a cell at a police station, together with her 2-months-old babe, from whom she refused to separate.

Pemaquid Deed Not Accepted.

Augusta, Me., March 21.—The deed of historical grounds at Pemaquid was returned to the Pemaquid Historical society at the meeting of the governor and council yesterday. The ground was offered by the society to be accepted according to the terms of a special act of the last legislature. This provided that the deed might be accepted if approved by the attorney general. As the deed had not been so approved it was not accepted.

Would Submit It to the People.

Indianapolis, March 21.—General Lew Wallace has written an open letter charging that the administration is attempting to make colonies of Puerto Rico and the Philippines to be governed by the president as a colonial empire. General Wallace proposes a constitutional amendment forbidding jurisdiction or sovereignty over any island, territory or country, now foreign, except with the consent of the people of the United States.

Expansion Policy Endorsed.

Philadelphia, March 21.—The Philadelphia conference of the Methodist Episcopal church adopted a paper in support of the expansion policy of the present administration. The paper is in the form of a call for volunteers to go to the Philippines for evangelical work. In presenting it, Rev. T. B. Neely stated that nothing more providential had occurred in recent years than the acquisition by this country of the Philippines.

Colonel Batchelder Dead.

Peabody, Mass., March 21.—Colonel Cyrus T. Batchelder died last night, aged 75. He was a former commander of post 50, G. A. R. He served in the legislature of 1886-87. He enlisted at Lawrence in 1862. He secured his title as colonel in the New Hampshire militia before his participation in the Civil war. He is survived by a widow, one son and two daughters, and his mother, who is 105 years of age.

Lasters Refused an Increase.

Lynn, Mass., March 21.—The lasters employed in the shoe factory of William D. Sprague & Co. were locked out by the firm on Tuesday, on account of the men asking for an increase of ½ cent a pair on low-cut sandals manufactured by the concern. The men will fight the firm and will put pickets on the factory. Mr. Sprague said he expected to hire other lasters at once.

Socialists Accused of Selling Out.

Vienna, March 21.—The great coal strike in Bohemia and Moravia, in which upward of 60,000 miners were involved, has collapsed, without the men having gained a single concession. The Socialists of Vienna advised the surrender, and are now accused of having sold out to the capitalists.

Favorable Weather Conditions.

Chester, Vt., March 21.—A change in the weather has made local sugar makers confident that the maple sugar harvest will not be delayed, and that sap will flow freely, ensuring a good output. The snow is settling rapidly, and the roads are being broken out to the sugar camps.

Granite State Republicans Meet.

Concord, N. H., March 21.—An ante-campaign meeting of the Republican state committee of New Hampshire was held here last night. It was voted to hold a state convention to elect delegates to the Republican national convention in this city on April 24.

Chamberlain Bundy's Stealings.

Elmira, N. Y., March 21.—The examination of the books of Frank E. Bundy, the defaulting city chamberlain, shows a deficit of $33,000 in one tax roll. It is expected that the total shortage will reach at least $60,000.

Increased Distress In India.

Bombay, March 21. — The distress caused by the famine is increasing in extent and severity. Prices in Bombay have risen to the level of those of 1897, the great famine year, and are still rising.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The storm center has passed beyond the field of observation in the extreme northeast. Temperatures have fallen generally and decidedly. Generally fair and colder weather is indicated for New England, with fresh west to north winds.

HOPED TO ESCAPE.

Youthful Inmates of a Reformatory Attempted to Destroy Building by Fire.

Louisville, March 21.—The stories growing out of the conference between Sergeant F. W. Golden of the Barbourville company of state militia and the attorneys who are managing the investigation of the assassination of Mr. Goebel have caused a sensation throughout the state. Golden will be placed on the stand by the prosecution in the trial of the persons already arrested for alleged complicity in the assassination, but information as to the exact nature of the testimony he is expected to give is lacking.

Specials from Winchester say Golden is at that place in company with his attorney. "I will do all I can for my friends all the time," Golden is reported as saying, "but I must first be true to myself. When the time comes I will tell all I know."

The story is published that Golden has divulged to the attorneys the name of the man who fired the shots that killed Goebel. The person mentioned is a mulatto, who formerly lived at Winchester, was prominent in the French-Eversole feud, and is known as a dead shot. This man is now supposed to be in the wilds of one of the mountain counties. Evidence that he was in Frankfort at the time of the assassination was found among papers taken from W. H. Culton, a clerk in the auditor's office, when the latter was arrested a week or so ago on a warrant charging him with being an accessory to the murder.

Among these papers were receipts for board bills amounting to about $300, incurred by 18 men who were in Frankfort for some time before and at the time Goebel was shot. In one of these receipts the name of the mulatto mentioned is given. The receipt in this case is for money received from John Perkins by Bettina Pittman for the board of three men. Perkins is a porter about the state house.

Two Conventions For McKinley.

Columbia, S. C., March 21.—The Republican state convention met here yesterday and elected four delegates to the national Republican convention. The convention adopted a platform embracing the principles of the Republican party as set forth at St. Louis in 1896. McKinley's administration was endorsed and Bryanism and Democracy were denounced as a menace to prosperity. The delegates were instructed to support McKinley.

Little Rock, March 21.—The Republican state convention adjourned last night after electing delegates to the national convention and declaring for the renomination of President McKinley. The platform adopted endorses the administration of President McKinley and opposes trusts and favors the Nicaragua canal, to be owned and controlled by the American government, and endorses the protective tariff policy.

Should Be Decided by Ballots.

Boston, March 21.—Twelve in favor of the Boston and Albany being leased to the New York Central road and nine against it, and eight for the Fitchburg road being leased to the Boston and Maine road and nine opposed to such action, were the results of two votes taken among members of the executive council of the Massachusetts state board of trade yesterday. These votes were the outcome of a long discussion. Then it was voted, 12 to 6, in favor of submitting the question of both leases to the voters of the state.

Relief For the Needy.

Washington, March 21.—Secretary Root has authorized General Davis, at San Juan, to give employment upon public works to surplus labor in Puerto Rico. The war department had prepared an order to carry out this plan, but it was learned that Secretary Root had telegraphed the instruction to General Davis from Havana.

Woman's Body Found In River.

Newburyport, Mass., March 21.—The body of a woman, about 50 years of age, was found in the Merrimack river. The body is supposed to have been washed down from some up river city. The woman was poorly dressed, and there was nothing upon her person that could lead to her identification.

Returned Without Requisition Papers.

New Haven, March 21.—Jesse H. Bailey, the alleged defaulting assignee of the Spalding & Pepper company of Chicopee Falls, Mass., was yesterday taken back to his former home in custody of an officer of that city. Bailey decided to go to Springfield without requisition papers.

Revolution In Full Swing.

Kingston, Jam., March 21.—The British cruiser Alert has arrived here from Colombian ports. She reports the revolution there is in full swing, and that British subjects are in need of protection. The Alert is coaling hastily and will return to Colombia.

Thousands of Plague Victims.

Calcutta, March 21.—The bubonic plague is fast increasing in Bengal, 4725 deaths having occurred last week. These include 744 in Calcutta and 2044 in Patha.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The town of Wilmore, Pa., suffered a loss of $25,000 by fire. The blaze evidently was of incendiary origin, as many robberies were committed during the progress of the flames.

Lester Small was arraigned at Rockland, Me., and pleaded guilty to three indictments for breaking and entering and larceny. He has not yet been sentenced.

At a meeting of the corporation of Brown university it was voted to accept the fund of $45,000 left by the late Augustus Van Winckle for the erection of an administration building and gate, and it was also decided to appoint Miss Annie Crosby Emery dean of Pembroke hall.

Fire destroyed two large blocks at Red Lodge, Mont., entailing a loss of $150,000. One man was burned to death.

The Flint (Mich.) wagon works were destroyed by fire. Loss over $200,000.

Duncan B. MacDonald has been inaugurated as professor of Semitic languages in Hartford theological seminary.

SPRING FASHIONS.

AN INTERESTING LITTLE STIR IN THE WORLD OF SKIRTS.

Popularity Threatens to Kill the Plaited Skirt—Watteau and Empire Gowns In Favor—Fuller Gathered Skirts Foreshadowed.

A little stir in the stagnation that falls upon the world of clothes while Paris and other authorities are evolving in mystery and silence new fancies for our consideration can but be pleasant, and this comes with the disclosure of the spring modes, some of them tentative, others destined to endure.

A very decided wave of opinion, said to emanate from Paris, is to the effect that, though the plaited skirt holds the tapis at the present moment, it is not likely to do so for very long, its very popularity indicating a speedy decadence. As to its successor, little is definitely known. The petticoat skirt a la watteau, with panniers on the hips,

TUNIC COSTUME FOR FIRST FINE DAYS.

will undoubtedly make its appearance again in evening gowns, for French modistes are already modeling robes after this style.

On the other hand, many trifles, such as the popularity of the fashion for tying a sash ribbon round the bust, with bow and long ends in front, giving a high waisted appearance, point to another encounter with the empire style.

We may make up our minds to the future of draped skirts of some description. The plain skirt has been given the go by except for the most practical and workaday purposes.

Separate silk foundations are again being employed for the new skirts, and that points to a looser and fuller make.

Some lovely Paris gowns for evening wear are gathered on the hip, giving a fullness which is an approach to the watteau pannier, and when autocrats of the mode such as the creators of these confections favor additional fullness in skirts it will be an exception to the general rule if this does not soon establish itself as the fashion. These authorities look with complacence upon the gathered skirt, and a goodly proportion of their new models are fulled into the band.

Of the costumes for earliest spring days the one shown in the first cut is

NEW SPRING GOWN, HAT AND RUCHE.

of creamy brown cloth and exploits the graceful tunic, one of the prettiest of new modes. The second is a princess gown of grayish mauve pastel cloth, with which are worn a soft silk muslin ruche with long loop ends of chenille and a felt picture hat in mauve.

Men's Rings.

Uniquely handsome rings for men are hand carved in gold of yellow, copper, russet or other rich tones, says The Jewelers' Circular. The carving is often in original designs of a minuteness and intricacy that impart an interesting individuality to each ring. The stone is usually a solitaire diamond, ruby, emerald, catseye or the like.

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Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M. and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

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Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

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Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

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Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

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r 7 26 ad		7 45	8 28 cba		8 49 r
r 7 42 abc		8 02	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 7 56 ad		8 15	10 28 cba		10 49 r
r 8 12 abc		8 32	11 28 cba		11 49 r
r 8 26 ad		8 45	12 28 cba		12 49 r
r 8 42 abc		9 02	1 28 cba		1 49 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	2 28 cba		2 49 r
r 10 12 abc		10 32	3 28 cba		3 49 r
r 11 12 abc		11 32	4 28 cba		4 49 r
r 12 12 abc		12 32	4 58 cba		5 19 r
r 1 12 abcd		1 32	5 15 da		5 36 r
r 2 12 abc		2 32	5 28 cba		5 49 r
r 3 12 abc		3 32	5 45 da		6 06 r
r 4 12 abc		4 32	5 58 cba		6 19 r
r 5 12 abc		5 32	6 15 da		6 36 r
r 6 12 abc		6 32	6 28 cba		6 49 r
r 7 12 abcd		7 32	6 58 cba		7 19 r
r 7 39 abcdefghi		8 07	7 28 cba		7 49 r
r 8 08 abcdef		8 32	8 28 fedcba		8 53 r
r 9 12 abc		9 32	9 28 cba		9 49 r
r 9 34 abcdefghi		10 02	10 28 fedcba		10 53 r
r 10 08 abcdef		10 32	10 58 ihgfedcba		11 27 r
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r 9 12 abc		9 32	12 43 cba		1 04 r
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a, Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

LIMITED DUTY PLAN

Finds Favor as a Means of Settling the Puerto Rican Tariff Muddle.

Two-Year Proviso, However, Considered Too Arbitrary.

United States Can Take Hands Off When Permanent Tax System Is Established.

Washington, March 22.—The Puerto Rican cauldron still boils, but with a fitful and uneven bubble. The latest compromise which has been suggested is the levy of a schedule of duties equal to 15 percent of the Dingley rates with proviso that this shall be limited, not to the definite period like two years, for instance, but to such period as may necessarily elapse before the Puerto Ricans can establish a system of international taxation and the machinery for its collection.

The explanation of this change is that the president and the senate leaders feel that: first, an agreement must be reached in some fashion; second, it must not require the humiliation of the Republicans who in the face of opposition at home, have insisted upon a nominal protective tariff between the island and the mainland of the United States; and, third, it must be upon a basis which can clearly be explained upon the stump in the coming campaign.

The limitation of the tariff to two years as hitherto proposed seems to several of the senators too arbitrary. It is asked on all sides: "If only for two years, why impose it at all, why not, instead, go without any tariff, and protect the Republican theory of the right of congress to impose a separate system of duties on the island by adding a declaratory clause to the effect, that this is not to be accepted as a precedent in the case of any of the other territorial acquisitions consequent upon the war with Spain."

The answer given is that the island must have some revenue; that it can obtain this only by internal taxation or by customs duties; that there is no machinery for collecting internal taxes, and that it would take about two years to establish a system. Meanwhile it is argued the island must live. By the time Puerto Rico has set up a tax system of its own the United States can take their hands off, except for supervising the work and the expenditure of the returns.

Upon the authority of the governor of Alaska, Mr. Turner (Wash.) made the statement in the senate yesterday that concessions for gold mining in the bed of the sea near Cape Nome, Alaska, had been granted by the secretary of war, and upon that statement he based a resolution of inquiry. Senator Turner said that if such a grant had been made it was "a shame, a reproach and a scandal." The resolution was agreed to. In a few minutes, and without discussion, the additional urgent deficiency bill was passed.

During the debate in the house on the Loud bill, relating to second-class mail matter, there was a sharp exchange between Mr. McPherson (Rep., Ia.) and Mr. Lentz (Dem., O.), over a charge made by the former that the latter was the attorney of the lobby which is fighting the bill; otherwise the debate was without incident.

Both the friends and opponents of the measure express the belief the vote will be close. Mr. Loud has agreed to accept two amendments, one to increase the number of sample copies which newspapers can send out at second-class rates from 500 to 2000, and the other to limit the provision requiring newspapers to separate their mail to those having in excess of 5000 circulation. These are all the concessions he will make. He says the debate has strengthened the bill, and he believes it will pass.

Issue of Heavy Amount of Bonds.

Fall River, Mass., March 22.—The stockholders of the Shove mills yesterday voted to authorize an issue of bonds to the amount of $450,000, to run 30 years, bearing 5 percent interest, and in consequence of this vote the directors will declare a cash dividend of 25 percent. The company retains the privilege of redeeming the issue within three years' time. The purpose of the bond issue is to give stockholders an opportunity to share all the profits of the business.

Murdered and Burned.

Jefferson, S. C., March 22.—The half charred remains of Cassie Brown, a young woman, were found in the woods near here yesterday. There was evidence that she had been murdered, and Harvey Jackson, John Jackson, J. T. Steen and Ben Jackson, all white, have been arrested as suspects.

On Embezzlement Charge.

Chicopee, Mass., March 22.—Jesse H. Bailey, the alleged embezzling assignee of the Spaulding & Pepper company, pleaded not guilty in the police court on Wednesday, and his case was continued until the 28th, under bonds of $5000.

A War Veteran's Fate.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 22.—John Benson, aged 65, was struck by a train on the Connecticut railroad while crossing the tracks at East Bridgeport, and so badly injured that he died on the way to a hospital. He was a Civil war veteran.

TROUBLE IN THE ORIENT.

Squadrons Off the Chinese Coast Being Augmented by United States and England.

Washington, March 22.—Certain events connected with the eastern situation have led to a belief on the part of many in Washington that trouble is likely to come soon in China. Among the facts noted are the presence of the Oregon and New Orleans off the Chinese coast, the ordering thither of the Wheeling and the sailing of the Newark to Hong Kong to join the Monadnock; the augmentation of the British China squadron; the refusal of Russia, France and Germany to give satisfactory written guarantees to this country pledging the maintenance of the "open door" policy in China; the threat of the empress dowager of China to close the treaty ports of Shanghai, Tien-Tsin and Nieu-Chwang, as a result, apparently, of Russian influence; the continued discussion as to the ability of General Otis to send a portion of the American army from the Philippines into China.

The refusal of Russia, Germany and France to give the desired written guarantees has an important bearing on the present situation, and indicates that so far as Russia and France are concerned they will not bind themselves to maintain the open door until the political map of China has been rearranged.

The specific purpose of the United States at this time, aside from the incidental protection of missionary lives, is to maintain the status quo. This, of course, is the British desire, and Great Britain is probably more interested in the matter than the United States, for while the United States interest is purely commercial, Great Britain's influence is political, in that she does not want Russia to expand any further in China.

Reorganization Is Recommended.

Boston, March 22.—In their annual report, which was transmitted to the legislature yesterday, the state highway commissioners suggest a reorganization of the commission by the designation of two members who shall be practical engineers, at salaries of $5000 each, while the chairman may be a man not necessarily of technical education, and be paid $1000 a year. The number of miles of road finished during the year was approximately 44, making a total of about 250 miles of completed state highways at the close of the year 1899.

Floater Identified.

Newburyport, Mass., March 22.—The body of the woman found in the Merrimack river in this city on Tuesday has been identified as that of Mrs. Margaret Beath of Lawrence, aged 55. Mrs. Beath disappeared from her home on Dec. 22, at about 7 o'clock p. m., to visit a provision store. As her home is located near the bank of the Merrimack river, it is supposed she accidentally fell into the water. She is survived by a husband and four children.

Going to Fill Responsible Position.

Washington, March 22.—Rear Admiral Remey, who will relieve Rear Admiral Watson in command of the naval forces on the Asiatic station, arrived here from Portsmouth, N. H., and had a conference with Secretary Long at the navy department yesterday. He left here today for San Francisco, where he will take a steamer for Manila. Admiral Remey has been succeeded in command of the navy yard at Portsmouth by Rear Admiral Cromwell.

Claim to Have Many Grievances.

Cleveland, March 22.—One hundred and fifty men, the majority being machinists, employed at the Hill Clutch Works, went on strike yesterday for a 9-hour day, with 10 hours' pay. The men state that they went out prior to the proposed general strike here and before it was ordered by the union, because they had a number of minor grievances which they desired to have adjusted.

Play Censor at Cleveland.

Cleveland, March 22.—The engagement of Mrs. Langtry, who was billed to appear here on April 2 in "The Degenerates," has been cancelled. The police authorities announced that a censor would be present at the first performance of "The Degenerates" with full authority to order the curtain rung down should anything objectionable be said or done on the stage.

Celebration of the Eight-Hour Victory.

Boston, March 22.—To celebrate the establishment of the eight-hour day in Boston and other cities of the commonwealth a large meeting was held last night in Faneuil hall under the patronage of the Central Labor union and Building Trades Council of this city. Every trade union in Boston and vicinity was represented at the meeting.

Prospect of a Big Strike.

New York, March 22.—The World says a strike of 30,000 machinists in the New York district, which includes all the towns in this state up to Newburg and in New Jersey as far out as Paterson, may be precipitated in a few days by the organization of the New York and New Jersey Machinery Manufacturers' association for the avowed purpose of fighting the unions.

Not Acceptable to Operatives.

Fall River, Mass., March 22.—Members of the Textile Council believe that it will be impossible to obtain the consent of the operatives to the adoption of the sliding scale submitted them by the Manufacturers' association at this week's conference. The manufacturers are not expected to make concessions from the scale as now outlined.

Henderson's Views on Labor.

Washington, March 22.—Speaker Henderson took occasion, during a recent call by President Gompers and other officials of the Federation of Labor, to say that he had always believed that the product of a man working eight hours a day was much better than that from a man compelled to work longer hours.

LULL IN THE STORM.

War Correspondent Hints That Peace Negotiations Are In Progress.

Reported Scheme For Amalgamation of Republics.

Kruger at Head, Steyn Second, and Joubert Will Be Left Out In the Cold.

London, March 22.—The Cape Town correspondent of The Daily Mail, telegraphing March 20, says: I have just arrived from Bloemfontein, where I learned that no further movement is probable for three weeks, as negotiations are proceeding. I failed to ascertain the nature of the negotiations, or whether Sir Alfred Milner's departure from Cape Town is connected with them, but I should not be surprised if the war collapsed quickly.

A dispatch to The Standard from Bloemfontein, dated Tuesday, says: Four thousand Transvaalers from Colesberg trekked on Sunday to the northeast, going by the way of the Basutoland border. They will probably be caught at one of the passes.

A striking feature of the advance on Bloemfontein was the abandonment of our communications with Poplar Grove. Lord Roberts, confident in the ability of his transports to meet all the immediate needs of the army, deliberately left the enemy at Abraham's kraal to do what they liked. The result fully justified him. The enemy to the south were paralyzed by the boldness and rapidity of the stroke and Generals Clements and Gatacre were enabled to cross the Orange river almost without opposition.

The Cape Town correspondent of The Morning Post says: On the best authority I learn that the real objective of the Fischer-Wolmaran's deputation is Russia. I also hear that they have taken away all the secret incriminating documents from Pretoria, thus making it difficult to implicate Steyn and the Bondites.

The correspondent of The Times at Lourenzo Marquez, telegraphing Tuesday, says: It is reported from Pretoria that a scheme has been arranged for the amalgamation of the Transvaal and the Free State. Kruger will become president of the federated states and Steyn commandant general of the Boer army. The flag will be the same as that of the Transvaal, with an additional orange color.

Although this story is not confirmed, it is not improbable. It is a notorious fact that General Joubert has lost the confidence of the burghers simply because from the first he refused to shut his eyes to the inevitable result of the war. With all the burghers in the field, it might not be difficult to secure a formal endorsement of this rumored scheme.

So far as the military situation is concerned, there is practically no change. Lord Roberts is quietly making preparations for the next move. As necessary to a beginning, Generals Gatacre and Brabant are swiftly moving from point to point in the southern districts of the Free State, dispersing or accepting the surrender of any remaining Boers, thus ensuring the safety of Lord Roberts' communications before starting toward Pretoria.

A correspondent of The Daily News at Springfontein, describing these movements, says: "General Gatacre is sweeping through the country like a cyclone, with flying columns in all directions. His swiftness and strategy have proved of inestimable value to Lord Roberts."

The rebuilding of the railway bridge at Norval's pont will occupy two months. The temporary bridge will be completed in about 10 days. Meanwhile, supplies are transported by an aeriel tramway across the gap. These works necessarily delay the providing of supplies for the advance.

Lord Methuen's movements north of Kimberley are believed to be a prelude to the gathering of a column of 20,000 men with Kimberley as a base, to strike eastward from Fourteen Streams into the Transvaal.

The long and anxiously-awaited news of the relief of Mafeking has not yet been received. The Cape premier has granted the request of the mayor of Cape Town that a public holiday be proclaimed throughout the colony on the relief of Mafeking.

Bay Staters Stick to Gould.

Boston, March 22.—Every command of the Union Veterans' union in this state has declined to obey the order of General Dryenforth, the national commander, which was intended to remove Department Commander Gould. At the meeting of the W. S. Hancock command at Chelsea last night, some of the department officers were present, and resolutions were adopted endorsing the department's position.

Under Metropolitan Control.

New York, March 22.—The Metropolitan Railroad company formally took control of the Third Avenue road yesterday. On demand, the majority of the board of directors of the Third Avenue road tendered their resignations, and members of the Metropolitan syndicate, headed by William C. Whitney, were substituted in their places.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
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To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
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Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

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An Experienced Optician will make examinations free of charge.
GLASSES AT VERY LITTLE COST AT
A. A. LINSCOTT'S,
Opposite Post Office, 154 Hancock Street, Quincy.
Watch, Clock and Jewelry repairing, by first class workmen.
March 17. tf

A Safe Guide

To follow is to follow the crowd. The public are not often wrong in their judgment of stores—especially shoe stores.

You pay nothing for reputation in shoe buying here, for we believe in reasonable profits.

We give you the biggest stock of desirable shoes to select from at the lowest possible prices for reliable goods.

The Leading Shoe Store.
Geo. W. Jones,
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SOME OF THE NEW SPRING GOODS
WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED.

WRAPPERS in the medium and light patterns, that are very pretty and latest styles.
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JOBBING OF ALL KINDS.
PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
Carpets taken up, cleaned by hand and relaid. Residence 9 Bennington street. Orders may be left at Page's Pool Room, Hancock street, and at Freight Office Quincy Adams Depot.
Quincy Aug 26 1p tf

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We will make your shoes and guarantee them to fit perfectly, and be of great comfort and ease to you.
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Administrator's Sale at Public Auction

Of the Household Goods of the late Frederick Souther, will be sold at late residence, Mill street, Quincy, on FRIDAY, March 30, 1900, at 1.30 P. M.

The goods consist in part as follows:

PARLOR. Square Piano, Woolen Carpet, Rug, 7 H. C. Chairs, 2 H. C. Rockers, 1 Plush Rocker, H. C. Sofa, fine large Glass, Music Rack, Music Stool, Pictures, Table.

SITTING ROOM. Stewart Parlor Stove, Woolen Carpet, Eight-day Clock, Large Glass, Bed Lounge, B. Lamp, eight foot Extension Table, 3 Chairs, one Round Chair, lot of Glassware in closet.

KITCHEN. Range, 4 Lamps, Curtains, Table, 4 Chairs, Clothes Horse, Bureau, Bench, Lot Dishes, Mason Jars, Plates, odd, 2 Wash Boilers.

CHAMBER. Antique Secretary, Table, Bedstead, Pillows, Bolster, Straw Matting, Feather Beds, 2 Chairs, Stair Carpet.

SECOND CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, 4 Pillows, Sheets, Comforters, Bureau.

THIRD CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, Commode, Pictures, Straw Matting, 2 Chairs, Rocker.

FOURTH CHAMBER. Antique Mahogany Bureau, Straw Matting, 2 Bureaus, 4 Chairs, H. C. Sofa, What Not, Pictures, Bed Ticking, Maps, Books, 2 Bags, Trunk.

STABLE. Saw, 4 Shovels, 4 Forks, Rakes, Tools, Bench, Chests, Desk, Anvil, Sick Chair, Window Glass, lot of Leather, Ship Carpenter Tools, lot of Wood, and a large variety of goods in both the House and Stable, the accumulation of years.

Sale Positive. Rain or Shine. Terms Cash. Per order.

E. B. SOUTHER, Administrator.
March 20. 9t

SPRING ITEMS!

Spring will soon be here. Get your clothes ready now.

Don't you like the color of them, or are they faded? Have them dyed.

Are they soiled? Have them cleansed.

Are they out of shape? Have them pressed.

Don't they fit you right? Have them altered.

Do they need repairing? A stitch in time etc.

It will pay you to bring your clothes to us and have them done right at the very lowest prices.

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March 14. tf

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A Full Line of Horse Medicines.
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HORSE OWNERS!

We make and repair all kinds of Horse Boots in first class manner.
Also all kinds of Sporting Goods.
HANS HANSON, 10 Granite street.
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If sent by mail, 40 cents.

Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,
A READER

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	31	23	32	56	43
Monday,	55	23	34	46	58
Tuesday,	65	35	33	57	39
Wednesday,	44	45	34	51	52
Thursday,	43	44	35	53	58
Friday,	—	51	37	60	49
Saturday,	—	38	37	45	40

New Advertisements Today.

To Let—Furnished Front Room.
Quincy Real Estate Trust—Stores to let.
C. L. Bliss—Trimmed Hats and Bonnets.

Good Afternoon.

Bishop Potter, who was inclined to be an anti before he visited the Philippines, has come out good and strong for President McKinley's Philippine policy since his return.

If Mr. Sheldon patronizes a press-clipping bureau, he can have no doubt of the adverse opinion of his editorial efforts held by the press of the country. The only thing that Mr. Sheldon gets credit for in any quarter is good intentions.

Drift of Opinion.

The Senate and House conferences have at last come to an agreement on Porto Rico, and the sooner the conference bill is put through both branches of Congress the better for the people of the island and for the United States. If members of Congress were not so afraid of the ghost they call Precedent, legislation might proceed more rapidly.—Lynn Item.

If the liquor interest be wise it will not insist upon the opening of saloons in this commonwealth after the polls close on election day. As one speaker stated in the course of the debate, "Election day belongs to the state quite as much as does the Lord's day to the church." The present law is a good one and should not be amended.—Haverhill Gazette.

The esteemed Republic says of Mayor Hart of Boston: "No oriental tyrant ever set about his work of decapitation with more zest than this ruthless executioner." And this because the padded payrolls of Boston's municipal departments are being scrutinized as they should be, and a pruning knife applied. We know of no reason why the city of Boston should take under its wing all the unemployed within its corporate limits to suit the convenience of the Boston board of strategy. Does the Republic?—Haverhill Gazette.

The Transvaal war has ceased to be a factor of any consequence, now that any apprehension of further disasters to Great Britain are removed. When the war is over, recuperation ought to follow more rapidly than is usual in such cases. South Africa is peopled bo vigorous races, and there will be no lack of British capital ready for developing its resource as soon as peace and order are established. A period of political friction may follow, but the United States will certainly be called upon to supply larger quantities of machinery and food products; and, as British methods of taxation are likely to be less onerous than the Boers', the mining and other industries will receive a stimulus, the benefit of which will be shared on this side of the Atlantic.—Henry Clews.

There is an imperialism which crushes and destroys, and you and your fathers know something of it. There is an imperialism which sucks the life from the people over whom it is exercised, as was the case with the colonies of Spain. But there is an imperialism which lifts up and sets on its feet and starts in the forward march of civilization. It depends on who the imperialist is. And if the imperialist is a nation of 80,000,000 of free men and women, who have drunk in the blessings of liberty from their mothers' breasts, and have lived in the land that has grown great and powerful in the practice of liberty and equal rights, who is afraid that it will exercise its power in destruction, and not in the upbuilding of every people over whom that flag flies?—Attorney General Knowlton.

The girls of the lycees, or higher public schools, of France, are to be given definite instructions in morals in a course prepared for the minister of instruction by Mme. Blanc-Benton. The teaching will consist largely of talks on their duties in life, as individuals, as members of the family, as members of society, and as patriots and law-abiding and helpful citizens. The course will continue into psychology as applied to the early education of little children. Such a course, if sympathetically conducted, must have a broadening and steadying influence, which the women of France, perhaps, need quite as much as any others.—New Bedford Standard.

PARKWAY TAKING.

Plan Filed with the Quincy Park Commissioners.

The Metropolitan Park Commission filed yesterday with the Quincy Park Commissioners the plans of takings for the Quincy Shore reservation from Squantum street to Merry Mount Park, viz:

Beginning at Squantum street and skirting the Quincy bay shore, land of Charles E. Stratton and Hannah C. Pope is taken, and other pieces in order as follows: heirs of Horatio N. Glover, Dana I. McIntyre, Elvira Chase, Robert Disbrow, William T. Weeks, Henry W. Hunt, heirs of J. A. Billings, Wood, Harmon Co., Squantum Yacht club, Eleanor Stuart, Francis B. McNamara, J. E. Moore, Wood, Harmon Co., John F. Grese, Minnie M. Smith, Annie M. Shaw, W. H. Chick, N. G. Nickerson, Lucinda J. Gregg, W. H. Chick, N. G. Nickerson, et als., National Sailors' Home, T. King, trustee, Faxon heirs and R. Lund.

Ladies' Night.

Ladies' night at the Merrymount club of Wollaston proved a great success. Almost all the members with their wives and friends, were present. The musical part of the entertainment consisted of a violin solo by Miss Mollie Fairbanks, a vocal duet by Miss Sprague and Miss Lull, and solos by Mr. Hahn; all very well rendered. Prof. Le Roy, with his magic and slight of hand, did some very clever tricks which was enjoyed by all. It is the intention of the club to entertain the ladies the third Wednesday of every month.

Enumerators Wanted.

The Ledger is informed that there is a deficiency in the number of applications for ennumerators' position in this city in connection with the census soon to be taken. The work begins June 1, and must be finished within two weeks thereafter. The time for filing applications soon expires, and any person who wishes to apply should do so at once. Application blanks with full particulars may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk, or from Mr. Horace G. Wadlin, Supervisor for Massachusetts, State house, Boston. The work requires active persons of good character and courteous address, and who are also good penmen.

Cause For Gladness.

"Say, Janey, ain't youse glad dey reduced de price?"—New York Journal.

—Itlays sanitary precautions are interfering with the jubilee pilgrimages.

—All men are born equal; and no man kan bekum great after he iz born, unless he iz good.—Josh Billings.

—Envelopes were first used for letters in this country in 1839, and postage stamps were first used here in 1847.

—"Mamma, I saw a dog today that had only three legs." "Weren't you awfully sorry for him??" "No; he had one more leg than I have."—Tid Bits.

—Miss Susannah Whitney is the oldest living public school teacher in New York. She began her work in 1836, six years before the Board of Education was established.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

E. J. MURPHY,
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ROASTED ALIVE.

Little Child Lost Its Life at Morning Fire.

Probably Playing with Kerosene and Matches.

Mother and Sister Were Out in the Door Yard.

Rodolfo the three-and-one-half-year old son of Giovani Cislagbi was burned to death this morning at a fire in his father's house off Quarry street, West Quincy. From what could be learned from the family who are Italians the father left home at 7 o'clock to go to work. The mother and daughter left the little fellow playing in the house and were doing some work in the yard when they discovered the house to be on fire. Upon opening the door they saw the boy enveloped in flames. They made frantic efforts to save the little fellow, but the fire had gained such headway that they were unable to reach him. They were pulled out of the house by neighbors, who had arrived, and were probably saved from a similar fate. As it was, both mother and daughter were badly burned about the face and hands. After they were taken out they were with difficulty prevented from rushing into the flames.

An alarm was sounded from Box 445 at 7.12 o'clock, and when the department arrived the building was entirely enveloped in flames. The nearest hydrant was some distance from the fire, and the time water was put on, the house had been guttered and before the flames were extinguished the building, which was a small one, had been practically destroyed, nothing but one wall being saved.

When Chief Williams arrived, and learned that there was a child in the building, he jumped through a window into the building to save it. Engineer Rooney also entered the building through a door.

They located the body, but as it was then dead and horribly burned, and could not be gotten out without great danger to themselves, they made a hasty exit. Water was however kept on the spot so that it would not burn any more.

The firemen removed the body as soon as possible. Both legs below the knee had been burned off, as were also both hands, and the body was so badly burned as to be almost unrecognizable. Medical Examiner Jones was notified, and the body removed to Hall's undertaking rooms.

From what could be learned it would appear that the fire was accidental. The little fellow is supposed to have obtained possession of a can of kerosene oil, and a number of matches, and while laying with them set fire to the oil. When the fire reached the can, which he held in his hand, it exploded, and he was immediately enveloped in flames. He tried to get to the door but was unable to do so, and was literally roasted alive.

Jeremiah Lyons, driver of Hose 3, received a painful injury to the knee while at the fire. He was running down the hill to couple a hose, when he stepped on a rolling stone and fell upon another stone, cutting a gash several inches long in his knee.

The loss on the building and contents will not be far from $600.

MARRIED.

NEWCOMB—DUNHAM—In Quincy, March 14, by Rev. Frank W. Pratt, Mr. Edward W. Newcomb of Dorchester, to Miss Lillian L. Dunham of Quincy.

DIED.

LOVELOCK—In Quincy, March 21, Mrs. Susan, wife of Mr. Olliss Lovelock of Quincy avenue, aged 79 years.

NUTTING—In Quincy, March 21, Mrs. Sarah C., wife of Mr. John D. Nutting of Douglas street, aged 63 years, 7 months and 8 days.

A Cordial Invitation to all
TO ATTEND THE
EASTER OPENING
— OF —
TRIMMED HATS and BONNETS,
Tuesday and Wednesday,
APRIL 10 and 11.
— AT —
C. L. BLISS',
No. 186 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.
ORDER WORK A SPECIALTY.
March 22. 3w

LARGELY ATTENDED.

Funeral of Chas. A. Foster from First Church.

The funeral of Charles A. Foster was held Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 from the chapel of the First church. The services were largely attended, many representatives from the several orders with which he was affiliated being present to pay the last tribute to their brother who had gone before. The casket containing the remains was placed in front of the platform and was surrounded with many floral pieces.

The services were simple and impressive and were conducted by Rev. Ellery C. Butler. After the reading of the Scriptures, the pastor spoke feelingly of him who was silently before him. It must come home with force to some of us as we gaze upon that silent form, that the familiar things are passing away. How many of us can look back, only a little way, and remember those who were with us here in flesh who have passed away. They are gone, and as I walk day after day in this old church it seems to me I can hear the echo of voices I loved so well. How easy it is to know those who were good to us, were really our friends. It is not necessary for them to say very much. Most of these do not, but put out the hand and as years pass, reinforce that hand grasp and you come to know you have a friend. Not friends for a day, month or year, but friends forever. It was a good thing to have such a friend as that. Friendship like that does not see your faults.

He never liked to hear of his virtues. It is not necessary for me to tell you anything about him. He had a life abounding in romantic episodes, yet through it all he retained that sterling quality of manhood. When last I saw him, he said, will you do the best you can for me when the time comes? It will not be long. It is not necessary for me to do my best. Life is short to us who have come to be fifty. He has discovered that unknown country, but we shall not be long in following him.

I do not care much about the detail of future life as long as I know we are all going there. I do not believe it will be a strange place. If it is so much different from this, our experience here would be for naught. I think we will be surprised to find how much like our home it is. All will be there to welcome us. I do not feel much doubt or care. We will go when He sees fit to send for us. Let us go in as manly and womanly fashion as our friend here.

At the close of Rev. Mr. Butler's remarks, an opportunity was given for a last look of him who had gone before.

The bearers were, Edmund Griffiths and William Michaels from Rural lodge of Masons, Edward M. Roberts and Charles H. Hersey from the Knights of Honor, Horace Totman and W. H. Cobb from the Knights and Ladies of Honor.

Among the society representatives present were: G. A. D., W. J. Batison; G. R., E. Granville Pratt; G. T., George E. Richardson and G. C., Emery M. Jones, representing the Knights of Honor. G. P., C. V. Blanchard; G. S., Samuel Hathaway; G. C., Mrs. M. E. Hoyt; S. R. L., C. Tibbits; P. P., J. F. White and G. S. Mrs. J. M. Barteaux, representing the K. & L. of H.

The floral tributes were many and beautiful, among them being:

A massive badge of roses, pansies and laurel, inscribed "39 Inspectors, U. S. Customs."

A triangle of yellow roses, carnations and immortelles from the Grand Lodge, K. & L. of H.

A wreath of English violets from the family.

Bouquet of white roses and laurel from the Grand lodge, K. of H.

Triangle of roses, laurel, carnations and ferns from Maple lodge, K. & L. of H.

A star with monogram of the order, from Merrymount lodge, K. of H.

Cross of roses and smilax from Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lewis.

Wreath of roses, carnations and ferns from Quincy Letter Carriers Association.

Pillow of roses, ferns and calla lilies, from Rural lodge F. and A. M.

Bouquet of calla lilies and pinks from Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kincaide.

Mound of carnations and roses from Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Pettengill.

Wreath of passion flowers from Miss Malvina Field.

The burial which was private was at Mount Wollaston cemetery.

TODAY'S COURT.

Lawrence R. Shaw was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Thomas H. Dean and Lloyd Chase were arraigned for breaking glass at Weymouth.

—Artemisha Hoig and Lizzie Scelebetka were two last week's brides.

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Receipts at Wollaston Have Been $13,000.

Wollaston Will Continue to Have Station and Good Service.

Representative Naphen has introduced a bill into Congress to consolidate the Quincy and Wollaston post-offices. This bill, which has been anticipated for some time, gives Wollaston and Norfolk Downs free delivery. For several years this matter has been agitated in those two places. The changing of the Wollaston office to a free delivery station will not affect the number of mails at that place, the department having intimated that there will be nine each way, daily, and Sunday mail will be continued as heretofore.

The office will become a postal station with a superintendent and three carriers. Postmaster Burns receives a salary of about $2,200, the superintendent of the new station will receive about $900. There will be three deliveries daily.

The business at the Wollaston office the past year amounted to about $13,000.

This sum which will now be added to the receipts of the Quincy office will add materially towards securing a government building for this city.

Postmaster Burns is to be congratulated on the efficient manner in which he has administered the affairs of the Wollaston postoffice. He has brought the receipts up from $7,000 to $13,000, and has had a number of new mails put on and several hundred boxes added.

AN EXPERT OPINION.

Fire at Music Hall Not Caused by Electricity.

To Mr. E. S. Beckford, Quincy, Mass.:—

Dear Sir,—I have today made an inspection of the Quincy Music hall, with reference to the cause of the fire which occurred on the morning of March 18, 1900, to determine if possible whether said fire was due to defective electric wiring in the building. The results of the inspection. I beg to report as follows:

According to all reports the fire started in the rear of the hall, in the room under the balcony used as the men's toilet and coat room. A careful examination of this part of the hall shows that this was evidently the case, and the condition of the floor, ceiling, and framing exposed, points to the corner of the room where the radiator was located as the probable starting point of the fire. This was the only place where the floor was burned through, and as some of the wiring in the concealed space beneath the floor was in proximity to the steam pipes supplying the two radiators one in toilet and one in hall it was thought that these wires might be the cause of the fire.

I found only two wires, a pair of No. 4 feeders in the same bay with the steam pipes, and these were originally and properly supported on porcelain insulators, as indicated by their present conditions. At no point could they have been in contact with the pipes to make a ground, and start a fire by arcing, nor did they cross themselves and cause the same result. To make sure, both the wire (now bare, the insulation having been burned off, and the pipes, wherever they were in proximity were carefully examined, and on neither was there any evidence of any arcing having taken place between them.

As these are the only wires near the point where the fire evidently started I feel very little hesitation in concluding that they were in no way responsible for it. The only other wires in the room in question came to a ceiling outlet, and were supported on knobs under the balcony. That the fire did not start there is very evident.

To all appearances it started in the toilet room, burned through the floor, then ran through the bays under the floor to the stage, coming up again near the switchboard it also burned through the partition between the toilet room and hall, working up into the space under the balcony, and then by a flue like space in the corner of the building reached the attic, where it spread, and joined the fire which had travelled by the first route at the stage end of the hall.

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HOW MANY ARE IN?

Officers of Syndicate Claim More Than Enumerated.

Say They Have Hitchcock and Dell Quarries.

The Plans of the Company Not Yet Announced.

There is but little additional news today of the granite syndicate, which have obtained control of a number of the quarries. As it will take some days to complete the preliminaries, the quarries will not be worked much for some time.

Those interested state, that in the reports of the syndicate published Wednesday, some of the quarries acquired were not mentioned. Two of these are said to be those of George H. Hitchcock & Co. and Lewis Dell. The names of the quarries taken, were obtained from the mortgage filed with the City Clerk, and in this the names of the two above-mentioned firms did not appear. It is explained that these quarries are owned by the Adams Temple and School Fund, and were leased to the above firms. The name of the Adams Temple and School fund appeared in the list, and that may have included these firms and possibly several more small quarries.

Those directly interested in the new company are not ready to talk much about their plans, but promise more definite information when the company is ready to commence operations.

Supper at Wollaston Park.

The Ladies' Aid supper and entertainment held at the Park and Downs Congregational church, on Hamillton street, Wednesday evening, was a great success. There being about 150 present. The first part of the evening was devoted to the supper and social, after which came a short but interesting program. It was opened with a piano solo by Miss Mira Brown and followed by a reading by Miss Olive Morrill; mandolin solo, by Mr. Lawence Loring; Swedish solo by Miss Agnes Hedman; vocal solo by Prof. L. W. Titus. The program closed with some interesting selections on the graphophone operated by Miss Mille Hirtle. If you missed this entertainment, don't miss the next.

The Cochato Club.

The executive committee met at the club house last week Wednesday and elected the following new members to the club:

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Roberts.
Mr. Laurens Maynard.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert T. Drake.
" " Herbert A. Vinton.
Miss Marjory White.
Mr. Frank B. Pennington.

At the meeting last week the following new members were elected:

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Clapp.
" " W. H. Leonard.
" " Frank W. Grogan.
" " Amos W. Blanchard.
" " F. Eugene Dyer.
" " James B. Jones.
" " J. B. Reed.
Mrs. Hattie B. Bachelder,
" Ella C. Richards.
" Rose E. T. Harkins.
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CUFFERS AND CASKETS.

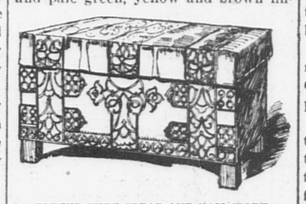
Picturesque Guises of the Ubiquitous and Ever Useful Box.

The present may safely be called the day of the box, so many and picturesque are the guises under which this essentially utilitarian object presents itself. We find boxes figuring as window seats, hall seats and dressing table seats when of considerable size. In other instances they are fitted out as receptacles for shoes, coats, dress skirts, etc., or they may hold treasures of ribbons, laces, gloves and the like. In the case of the sterner sex tobacco, keys and other masculine impedimenta are safely sheltered therein. Indeed there appears no end to the popularity and utility of boxes in all sizes, but most imposing as a decorative feature are those which recall the historic coffers and caskets.

Whatever we may say of the perfection of our nineteenth century genius and methods, much is still to be learned from the study of the productions of bygone ages, and this remark is especially true for the decorative worker, who seeks inspiration for the embellishment of the ever needful article already mentioned.

From the most remote ages the box has been the object of decoration, and, coming much nearer our own times, on the Italian "caponi" and on the old German and Flemish marriage chests, appear every variety of massive and solid ornamentation.

A unique old German linen chest furnishes a notable example of the union of textile fabrics with materials of more solid and durable nature. In it the woodwork plainly shows between ornamented bands of leather, while the whole surface of these bands is covered with small pieces of red velvet and pale green, yellow and brown lin-



COFFER WITH STRAP AND NAIL WORK.

en, symmetrically arranged in patterns and constituting a veritable patchwork. The raw edges of the textile fabrics are concealed and secured and the design is duly emphasized by thin strips of metal, kept in place by stud nails.

A modern adaptation of this idea could be easily carried out with thin sheets of copper such as are used in copper modeling, the required strips being cut from the metal with scissors and fastened down with small copper boat nails. The sole necessary precaution is to see that the woodwork of the box is of sufficient thickness to admit of the nails being driven in. Should the patchwork effect of the original not appeal to the taste of today's amateur, the wide bands could be of one color and material, and that not necessarily textile. A most suitable ground under the metal would be, for instance, undressed leather; the soft, velvety surface and the variety of color obtainable in suede making it particularly desirable for the purpose.

Another variety of decoration is "strap and nail" work, or, more appropriately speaking, leather applique, in which small pieces of leather in various colors are used to fill out a design previously drawn upon the wood, the leather being held by little brass headed studs or nails. The box may be first covered with rich colored velvet or cloth.

Still another way to get unique effects is with pyrography or poker work. The result, when the wood is stained to a rich deep brown and brushed over with two or three coats of French polish, will be remarkably old world and handsome. A miniature coffer in this style is just the thing for holding photographs, crayons, etc.

The Popular Fichu.

Fichus have great vogue and in these individual taste is permitted to run a lively riot. One may be of large assertive character, cascading its way to the waist, and from there declaring its presence in the guise of long ends, or the merest apology for folds is termed a fichu, such serving merely as a foundation to a double frill of old lace, mostly caught up on the side of the corsage.

Fashion's Echoes.

The earliest styles in plain gowns from best London tailors show a distinct lengthening of the jacket and larger lapels. The front is either a single breasted fly or double breasted with two rows of buttons.

Tucked taffeta silk makes pretty shirt waist belts.

Feather boas in the flat instead of the round shapes are the correct thing, especially in the mother of pearl shades of marabou mixed with ostrich feathers.

A black cloth gown from Paris is piped everywhere with white, with little tabs of the same color ornamenting the revers.

Silk canvases are being employed for evening high gowns as well as low gowns, and they last and look well as long as any of the material remains.

There is nothing more fashionable than black cloth gowns trimmed with black silk applique.

Close stitchings on the hip and a tunic trimming sometimes replace the actual tunic.

The latest wrinkle is no gloves for either bride or groom at the wedding ceremony. As the bride's long pointed cuff or fall of lace at the wrist nearly covers the hand it is a matter of little moment to her.

Netted chenille fringe looks well over satin.

The most gossamer of gowns will be the summer vogue.

THEIR ULTIMATUM.

Cutters Willing to Accept $2.80 Now.

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Manufacturers Likely to Reopen Their Yards.

Meetings of the South Quincy and West Quincy branches of the Granite Cutters' Union were held Wednesday night and this morning to consider the proposition made by the manufacturers at the conference held Monday evening.

Both meetings were lengthy ones and no authentic report was given out of what action was taken. From some of the cutters seen after the meeting, it was learned that the branches voted not to accept the offers of the manufacturers, whichwas practically a minimum price of $2.52 for eight hours.

It is also understood that the cutters voted to insist on their demand for a minimum price of $2.80 for eight hours, and to give the manufacturers until 12 o'clock midnight, Saturday, to accept, and if not accepted by that time to insist on and accept nothing less than $3 for eight hours.

Another conference of the two committees will be held tonight, when the Cutters' Committee will make their report.

Manufacturers seen today, say that the offer will not be accepted, and that they will open their yards Monday and try to get men. Several of the manufacturers report that a number of their men have made applicaiton to return to work and they do not anticipate much difficulty in getting men.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Quincy's fires this year have been rather disastrious as a rule.

The City Council Committee on Streets will meet Friday night.

John Q. A. Field, who has been ill for several weeks, is reported as very much better.

Mr. George E. Thomas of Wollaston is at Stark, Florida, attending his father who is dangerously ill.

Chief Engineer Peter J. Williams, who has been quite ill with a throat trouble, is able to be out again.

Joseph C. Morse and Benjamin J. Weeks captured the prizes at the Granite City Club whist on Wednesday night.

The Ladies of the Universalist church served an excellent supper to a large number Wednesday evening. After which games, music and a social good time were enjoyed.

A horse owned by J. J. McAnarney escaped from his stable this morning, and for several hours the police and others were searching for him. Dr. Abele found the animal in his yard this noon and thus ended the search.

Miss Kate Ryan, the old Boston Museum favorite, will give a recital at at Association hall, corner Boylston and Berkeley streets, Boston, next Wednesday evening, March 28, at eight o'clock. Miss Bertie Turner of West Quincy will take three prominent parts.

Mr. James T. Penniman, who has been housed up for several months, having a painful time of it with a large carbuncle on the back of his neck was able one day this week to ride out and is gradually recovering his general good health. His pleasant countenance has been greatly missed on our streets.

Unreasonable.

"Move forward, there!"

It was the hoarse voice of the conductor.

"We can't move forward any farther," gasped a suffocating passenger near the front platform, "without disturbing the coal teamster just ahead."

—One third of the United States is yet vacant public land.

HIS CLOSEST CALL.

AND AFTER ALL IT TURNED TO BE NO CALL AT ALL.

The Reformed Poacher, However, Is of the Opinion That There Is Little Difference Between Being Killed and Being Scared to Death.

The closest call I ever had, remarked the reformed poacher, turned out to be no call at all, but for a time I was sure old Gabriel had his trumpet tuned up for me, and, after all, there ain't a mighty sight of difference between getting killed and getting scared to death. And that's about what happened to me. It was in the early eighties, the first winter I trapped in Allegash waters, and, although up to the 1st of February there wasn't six inches of snow in the woods, I had salted down in my shack the prettiest lot of furs I've seen before or since. And out of 200 skins, something like 70 were otter.

Funny thing, too, that run of otter. I took every one of them from a short line of traps set back of a small stream of dead water. The other traps took everything that came along, beaver, fisher, mink and ermine, but these half dozen, somehow or other, would spring only on to the leg of an otter. And I didn't kick a bit, for the skins were worth then just $15 apiece.

Well, come the 1st of February and about time for a big snowstorm, I got uneasy, as trappers will; wanted something more exciting, I guess, and one fine morning I bundled my furs on to a big sled and set out for Kineo. There wasn't any snow to speak of on the river, and I made pretty good time up Churchill lake and about dark reached the thoroughfare into Eagle lake, where I built a fire and got a bit of supper. It was a fine night, but a little breezy, and a big circle around the moon told me of snow, and lots of it, not far away. So I figured 'twould be a good idea to get to the settlement about as soon as I could, and, packing up again, I set out down the lake.

The wind was at my back and just boosted me along, but the sled traveled faster and kept bumping into my feet. Says I to myself, Why don't you use the wind? And I did. Running ashore, I cut a stout pole and two crosspieces and soon had a first class sail set and was flying down the middle of Eagle lake, a-smoking my pipe as happy as any old salt coming into port before a fair wind. There wasn't anything for me to do but steer clear of Pillsbury Island—not a hard job—so I burrowed under the furs and sort of dozed off, thinking of the good times those otter skins were going to bring me.

The wind kept rising, but the old sled kept right along with it. That didn't worry me any, however, for there was no danger, and the faster we went the better I liked it. Well, we were drawing under the head of the island when the sled struck a wrinkle that sort of jarred some life into me and, rousing up, I looked about to get my bearings.

Gee whiz! What I saw drove all the day dreams out of me. Right ahead, not 1,000 yards away, was a stretch of black, open water reaching clear across the lake, and the sled rushing right into it as fast as half a gale could drive it. Throwing myself forward on my knees, I grabbed the mast to unship it, but I had done too good a job putting it up to be undone in a minute. I pulled and pushed with all my strength but it wouldn't give an inch. Then I tackled the ropes that held the blanket, but they were drawn so tight you couldn't start them, although my nails were torn off to the quick. And all this time the sled was driving and swaying along at race horse speed toward the awful, black gulf, yawning ahead. I could almost hear the waves breaking along the ice front. Every moment I expected to go through never to come up.

"Cut the ropes," came to me, and like a flash my hand sought my belt. But the sheath was empty. I had used the knife to cut tobacco, and it was somewhere beneath me among the skins. Too late to hunt for it, too late even to jump for safety, for at that instant the white ice at my side faded away into blackness, and throwing myself forward on my face among my precious otter skins I awaited the fatal plunge.

How long I lay there I don't know. It seemed hours, but it was only seconds. I began to wonder if I had really gone to the bottom and never knew it. If I was really drowned—why, I was not cold and wet and strangling. Then came a sudden shock—a crash and I was hurled, more dead than alive, from the sled.

For a time I knew nothing. I was too near dead from fright to think. Then I mustered courage to look around. No, I wasn't at the bottom of the lake or floating on the icy waters, but I was lying mighty well bruised and shaken up on the rocky shores of Pillsbury island.

It wasn't open water after all—that awful black space. It was simply black ice across the channel that had formed after the other and since the last fall of snow. But it fooled me terribly. And this is my closest call—no call at all, you see. But I tell you there is mighty little choice between being killed and being scared to death. —Bangor Whig and Courier.

Has His Advantages.

Pilson—I don't believe there is much difference between genius and insanity.

Dilson—Oh, yes, there is a heap. The lunatic is sure of his board and clothes.—Columbus (O.) State Journal.

More to His Advantage.

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Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
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Gravel suitable for cementing, concreting and roofing for sale.
Fifty loads of loam for sale.
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Quincy, March 13, 1900. 1m

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Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage of personal property given by John Milton and his wife, Jessie Milton, both of Quincy, Massachusetts, to Sylvester R. Briggs, of Somerville, Massachusetts, dated March 8, 1899, and recorded in the Records of Mortgages of Personal Property in the Clerk's office of the City of Quincy, Book 16, page 561, which mortgage was duly assigned to Charles M. Moore, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, at the store of Napoleon B. Furnald, 70 Washington street, Quincy, Mass., on WEDNESDAY, March 28, 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the property described in said mortgage, namely:

One (1) plush parlor set of seven (7) pieces, two (2) rattan rockers, gilt stand, piano lamp and stand, three (3) mats, fur rug, fifteen (15) pictures, twenty-five (25) yards tapestry carpet, twenty (20) yards wool carpet, one (1) easel, mt. centre table, hanging lamp, "Premium" parlor stove, three (3) pairs lace curtains, oak table, "Glenwood" range and ware, cane seat rocker, one (1) pair portieres, eight (8) kitchen chairs, "Singer" sewing machine, pine table, Walker & Pratt range and ware, five (5) iron bedsteads, five (5) springs, mattresses and bedding for each, four (4) oak bedsteads, four (4) springs, mattresses and bedding for each, oak commode, twelve (12) H. W. chairs, black walnut desk, oak wardrobe, one (1) mirror, oak dressing case, black walnut cabinet, toilet stand, also one (1) Middleby portable oven with all pans and cooking utensils, bread closet, two (2) round front show cases, one (1) square show case, one (1) round upright show case, one (1) Italian soda fountain, three (3) counters, four (4) oak bench tables, five (5) lunch stools, one (1) covered baker's wagon, one (1) carryall, one (1) pung, one (1) express wagon, one (1) bay horse, two (2) sets of harness, also all crockery, glassware, tin, iron and plated ware, and each and every article of personal property on premises occupied by us at Houghs Neck in Quincy, Mass., except one (1) piano.

Said property will be sold subject to all liens or claims against the same existing at the time of the giving of said mortgage.

Terms cash.

CHARLES M. MOORE,
Assignee and Present Holder of Said Mortgage.
W. W. JENNESS, Att'y.
17 Milk street, Boston, Mass.
March 14, 1900. 15-22-26

Administratrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administratrix of the estate of

JOHN CALLAHAN,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

CATHERINE CALLAHAN, Adm'x.
(Address) CATHERINE CALLAHAN,
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Dec. 20, A. D. 1899. Mar. 8-3t--8-15-22

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A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
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ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
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WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1 6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
First Quarter	8 0:34 a.m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a.m.
New Moon	30 3:30 p.m.			

Up to Date Mendicancy.

"Please, sir, won't you give something to a poor father of a family?"

"Give something? What's that photographic apparatus for?"

"I'm an amateur photographer, sir, and I'm collecting the pictures of all the people who give me money."—Der Floh.

Colored Man Put to Sleep.

Elmira, N. Y., March 22.—Jack McDonough of St. Paul knocked out Lon Beckwith, colored, of Cleveland in the third round of what was to have been a 25-round bout here last night.

Australia Has the Plague.

Melbourne, March 22.—Sydney, capital of New South Wales, and Adelaide, capital of South Australia, have been declared infected with the bubonic plague.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

George Gray of Small Point, Me., took his life by hanging from the limb of a tree. He had been in ill health.

A prospective lodger at the Salvation Army lodging rooms at Botson, James Wallace, 55 years old, of Medfield, Mass., fell down a flight of stairs, while going up to his room, and received injuries from which he died.

Announcement is made of the election of John S. Hoyt of New York as treasurer of the Eastern Shipbuilding company of New London, Conn.

The lifeless body of Dwight W. Clark, an insurance agent, was found on a street a short distance from where Mr. Clark lived at New London, Conn. Death was due to apoplexy.

Darius Colombani, a widely known designer of altars and church ornaments, died at New York. He was born in Italy in 1850.

Former President Cleveland has returned from his two weeks' hunting and fishing trip in Florida. Mr Cleveland appeared to be in very good health.

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Mayor Sustained by Court.

Chicopee, Mass., March 21.—The removal of License Commissioners Higgins, Canty and Harris by Mayor Murphy has been affirmed by Judge Maynard of

Parsons' Pills

Doctors recommend them for Biliousness, Sick Headache, Constipation, all Liver and Bowel Complaints. They cleanse the blood of all impurities. Mild in their action. Of great benefit to delicate women. One pill is a dose. Thirty pills in a bottle enclosed in wood—25 cents; six bottles, $1.00. Sold everywhere or sent post-paid.
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CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

Ex-Detective of Watch and Ward Society Attempted Blackmail.

Had Been Out of Work and Was Short of Funds.

An Educated Young Fellow Known as an Author, Poet and Playwright.

Boston, March 22.—What is believed to have been a deliberately planned attempt to blackmail the various clubs and sporting houses in this city was nipped in the bud last night by the arrest of Frank O. Lambert, 24 years old, upon the charge of obtaining money from an up-town club by false pretenses, the prisoner having, it is alleged, promised to guarantee the club police protection.

Lambert, who is well educated and an extremely affable young man, is said to have come originally from Worcester, and in addition to having been employed as a bell-boy and waiter in one of the leading hotels of that city, says that he was for seven weeks in the service of the Watch and Ward society in its crusade against low resorts. The police say that it was upon evidence furnished by Lambert that the proprietor of one of the North End dance halls and his manager were recently convicted and given terms in the house of correction.

A day or two since Lambert called upon the manager of one of the up-town clubs and offered, upon payment of $25, to guarantee the club protection, not only from the headquarters and precinct police, but from the Watch and Ward society as well, for six weeks, or for $40 the protection would be extended to three months.

The manager, appearing to think favorably of the offer, requested Lambert to call again last night, as he wished to confer with his "partner." Meantime the police were notified, and when Lambert called last evening to close the bargain, the "partner" was present in the person of a special officer. Other officers were secreted where they could witness all that transpired, and when the $25 was handed over to Lambert he was at once placed under arrest. He was taken to police headquarters, where he confessed his guilt, but said this was his first offense. This, however, the police are inclined to doubt.

In his pocket was found a list of all the principal clubs and sporting houses in the city, and the police are confident that if his first venture had proved successful Lambert would have attempted to obtain money by similar representations from others of those whose names were on his list.

Lambert said that he was alone in the affair. He said that he was out of work and that desperation drove him to commit the crime, as his circumstances were straitened in the extreme. He further said that he had found out "different things" while employed as a detective by the Watch and Ward society, and as he had but 15 cents to his name he took desperate measures to obtain money to live on.

Young Lambert is well read, speaks French fluently, and at one time went to England, Ireland, Scotland and France as travelling companion for a Boston gentleman.

Besides his other accomplishments, he has written poetry, short stories and several plays, some of the poems having been printed in the Boston papers.

Deaths Viewed With Suspicion.

Machias, Me., March 22.—Horace T. Gardner of this place and Clinton Gardner were at the lumber camp of Clark & Gardiner on the Machias river, 35 miles from here, Monday, and were taken ill. Medical aid could not be obtained quickly, and after suffering intensely for several hours both men died. Their bodies were sent here and at the inquest the viscera were removed and forwarded to Bowdoin college for examination.

Precautions Against the Plague.

San Francisco, March 22.—Although there has been no authentic case of plague discovered in San Francisco, the municipal department is taking every precaution to guard against its introduction to the city, and yesterday a large force of men was set to work to hunt out disease-breeding spots and have them cleansed. Three deaths among Chinese are being investigated.

"Investment Company" Goes Under.

Chicago, March 22.—After considerable bitter opposition from creditors, a trustee was yesterday appointed for the bankrupt Combination Investment company, an alleged "get rich quick" concern which failed recently, and which is said to have swindled people all over the country. The liabilities of the concern are about $300,000 and the assets about $26,000.

Attributed to Despondency.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 22.—Miss Carrie Perhson, 36 years old, committed suicide last night at the home of her brother by cutting her throat with a bread knife. The cause of the deed was probably despondency. Miss Perhson was ill with typhoid fever several years ago, and had since been subject to constant, severe pains.

Increase In Internal Revenue.

Washington, March 22.—Internal revenue receipts for February aggregated $20,809,665, an increase as compared with the same month in 1899 of $1,160,659. During the last eight months the total receipts were $195,608,878, an increase over the corresponding period of last year of $16,825,184.

Liabilities of Nearly Half a Million.

Boston, March 22.—S. M. Breed & Co., lumber dealers of Lynn, filed a petition in bankruptcy on Wednesday. Besides the firm's schedule each of its members, Stephen E., James F. and Albert H. Breed, submitted individual petitions. The firm's liabilities are $430,224.23.

OSLEN IS CHAMPION WRESTLER.

Roeber Unable to Respond to the Call of Time After the Second Fall.

New York, March 22.—Beck Olsen of Copenhagen won from Ernest Roeber of Germany in the heavyweight championship wrestling match last night. Each man got a fall, but Roeber was unable to come to time at the end of the second bout.

Roeber gained the first fall in 24 minutes and 25 seconds by a half-Nelson hold. The Dane secured the next fall, which proved to be the last, by a front body hold and throw. Roeber was unable to come to the center at the call of time after a 10-minute intermission and Olsen therefore was given the match and honors.

Roeber claimed to have been hurt in the same spot on the right side where he was injured in the Yousouf fiasco some time ago, when he backed off the elevated stage in evading the big Turk. The physicians who examined him, however, failed to discover any fractured ribs, but refused to permit the German to continue, fearing that he had been injured internally.

The big garden was filled to overflowing and intense excitement followed the announcement of the referee's verdict, and as the crowd surged out of the several exits the doors and glass work were severely damaged. Many persons, among whom were several women, were crushed and bruised, but none seriously.

Schroeder to Succeed Leary.

Washington, March 22.—The navy department expects a great future for Guam in a commercial way. Besides being a naval station, all the Pacific army transports are expected hereafter to touch at the island, to and from Manila; the projected Pacific cable will have a station there; a mercantile coaling station will, it is thought, soon be established, and this will attract merchant vessels, so that Guam will become a regular port of call for the shipping in the eastern seas. Captain Leary is coming home, and Lieutenant Commander Schroeder is to be governor of Guam.

"The American Girl" Successfully Cast.

New York, March 22.—The gold statue of "The American Girl," which is to be exhibited at the Paris exposition, was successfully cast yesterday at the works of the Henry-Bonnard Bronze company. The work of making the model consumed several months and the labor of 25 skilled artisans. Miss Maude Adams, the actress, was the model, and Mrs. Bessie Potter Vaughn was the sculptor. The statue mounted on its base will be six feet in height, the figure being Miss Adams' own height. It weighs 712 pounds, and the bullion used is valued at $187,000.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 22.—An order requesting information of the president of the New York Central railroad, in connection with the Boston and Albany lease, was passed by the house yesterday without discussion.

The house also passed a bill compelling street railways to carry school children to and from school at half fare. The bill specifically exempts the Boston Elevated road, since the legislature has fixed its fare at 5 cents for 25 years.

An adverse report was received on the bill taxing department stores.

May Be Kept Out of Court.

Atlantic City, N. J., March 22.—The conference held here between the rival interests in the Carnegie Steel company has probably resulted in an agreement of settlement of the controversy of some months. The only fact given out was that a settlement had been reached agreeable to the Carnegie interests, and that the suit in court would be withdrawn if Frick himself confirmed the agreement made. The entire party went to New York last evening.

Chicago Children Won't Study English History.

Chicago, March 22.—Histories of England were dropped from the lists of supplementary reading for the public schools by the board of education yesterday. Books were adopted for all grades at a cost of thousands of dollars, but none of the histories will contain a mention of England, except as an incident in connection with the war of independence. Nothing but American history will now be included in the supplementary reading.

Settled Without Resort to Law.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 22.—The Shelton Street Railway company has settled the last of the claims resulting from the disaster at Peck's millpond last August. Heirs of Irving Dorus of this city received about $3000, and Miss M. Farrell of Brooklyn, who lost a leg, received about $10,000. In all 40 claims have been settled without resort to the courts.

Death Will Shorten His Sentence.

Providence, March 22.—William O'Brien, who broke into the house of Bishop Clark, was sentenced to state prison for 10 years by Judge Wilbur. The prisoner is in the last stages of consumption, and during the past eight days he had nine hemorrhages from the lungs He is 20 years of age.

Searched For Missing Freighter.

New York, March 22.—Freighter Alexandre Bixio arrived here yesterday from Havre. Captain Lemoine reported that he had spent four days out of his course, with extra lookouts, looking for the missing freighter Pauillac. He said he had found no signs of her, nor had he seen any wreckage.

Accepted Employer's Offer.

Hallowell, Me., March 22.—Fourteen men of the crew of granite cutters who have been in the employ of George Lord yesterday began work, according to the offer made by him a few days since, of $3 for an 8-hour day, pending a general settlement of the strike.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

In the east and south temperatures have fallen 4 to 24 degrees. There has been no precipitation except light showers. Clear weather is general except in the southwest. Generally fair weather is indicated today and Friday in New England districts. It will be warmer. On the New England coast winds will be fresh west to north.

GIVEN A SOUTHERN WELCOME.

Admiral and Mrs. Dewey the Recipients of Hospitality in the Cracker State.

Savannah, March 22.—Fifty thousand persons on the streets here yesterday gave Admiral Dewey an enthusiastic welcome. The admiral took part in the military parade and review, and as he rode through the streets with Mrs. Dewey at his side ringing cheers rent the air and waving colors enlivened the scene. Seventeen out of town military organizations were in the parade. Adding the local militia there were nearly 4000 men in line.

The review took place in the park extension, where an admiral's salute was fired by the Chatham artillery from brass pieces presented to the organization by President Washington. Business was suspended from noon in honor of Admiral Dewey.

The climax of the occasion occurred at the banquet at the De Soto hotel last night, where the admiral was presented with a beautiful silver vase on behalf of the city of Savannah. The vase is elegantly engraved and stands nearly three feet high on a marble base.

At the banquet table General Nelson A. Miles, who arrived in the city last evening too late for the military feature, sat next to Admiral Dewey. While the main function was in progress 50 ladies entertained Mrs. Dewey at a banquet in an annex adjoining the banquet hall. Upon the conclusion of the dinner the ladies were accommodated with chairs in the main room that they might hear the speeches. Among the speakers were Judge Emory Speer of the United States court, Surgeon General Wyman, Congressman Brantley of Georgia, ex-Attorney General M. O. Smith of Hawaii and others.

In speaking to the toast, "The President of the United States," Judge Speer paid a high tribute to President McKinley and expressed expansionist sentiments.

Antagonistic to Trades Unionism.

Chicago, March 22.—The sub-committee of the congressional industrial commission spent several hours yesterday in listening to the testimony of James L. Board, a metal working machinery manufacturer. Mr. Board was emphatic in his opinion that the manufacturing interests of Chicago were being greatly retarded by labor unionism. He said that he had asked for police protection for his plant and workmen, but had been refused; that in his opinion the police courts generally were intimidated by the strike spirit that prevails among the labor unions. He also said that he considered that trade unionism placed a premium on inefficiency.

Means Much to Alabama.

New Orleans, March 22.—An English syndicate of coal dealers is said to have closed a deal by which 2,000,000 tons of Alabama coal are to be delivered at New Orleans for exportation within two years. The purchase price agreed upon in the contract is said to be 75 cents a ton at the mouth of the coal pits. Fifty cents a ton is to be allowed for transportation to New Orleans. The syndicate will run its own line of steamers direct to New Orleans. This is one of the most important financial transactions in the south in recent years.

Is Golden Hedging?

Lexington, Ky., March 22.—F. W. Golden is the cynosure of all eyes in the Goebel murder investigation. He slipped into Lexington Tuesday night, kept himself hidden, and was under the surveillance of detectives all day. He left last evening by buggy, presumably for Winchester, accompanied by a detective. According to two of his friends, who are here, Golden denies having told a portion of what is attributed to him. He explained that he probably was drinking and talked too much.

Has a Million Exposition Tickets.

Chicago, March 22.—J. F. Allen of New Orleans, who recently bought 1,000,000 admission tickets from the authorities of the Paris exposition, arrived here yesterday. Allen is on his way to Paris. He secured the tickets at half price. A million tickets at the regular price would cost about $300,000, but Allen secured them for $150,000, and is confident he can clean up nearly $100,000 in the venture. He will scatter men in uniforms about the exposition city.

Badly Battered by Tempest.

Norfolk, March 22.—The Spanish steamship Minerva, which had been given up for lost, after three separate attempts to search for her on the high seas, and was finally picked up by a German tramp steamer and towed into Bermuda, came into port yesterday, with a story of two months of tempest, starvation and helpless drifting at sea. She showed plainly the battering she had received in a number of successive tempests.

Jackson's Fighting Days Have Ended.

San Francisco, March 22.—Peter Jackson, ex-champion heavyweight pugilist, sailed for his old home in Australia last night on the steamer Mariposa. Jackson, through ill health, is but a shadow of his former self, and goes back to Australia with the expectation that the change of climate will prolong his life, and possibly restore him to robust health.

Alleged Wrong Doing of a State Official.

Buffalo, March 22.—The Express says: Asa L. Twitchell, assistant commissioner of agriculture, is charged with having appropriated to his own use about $2600 of state funds. It is alleged that the shortage was discovered by Commissioner Weiting, who suspended Twitchell, and placed the matter in the hands of the district attorney.

Brothers Charged With Fraud.

Chicago, March 22.—Theophile and Gunstave Dreyfus, brothers, said to have been formerly in the wholesale tobacco business in New York and to be under indictment there on the charge of defrauding their creditors out of $50,000 in a failure, were arrested here yesterday.

House Leaves the Penitentiary.

Harrisburg, March 22.—The board of pardons yesterday granted a pardon to William H. House, former assistant city attorney of Pittsburg, serving 22 months in the western penitentiary, for embezzlement of city funds.

THE STOPPING PLACE.

When the Citizen Got to It, He Stopped Real Hard.

There is a wealthy but very hard headed citizen of Detroit who has no hesitancy in telling this story on himself:

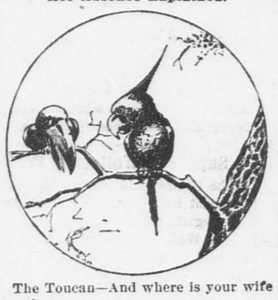
"If there's anything on earth grinds me, it is to plunge into the social swim. I'd far rather plunge into an ice cold bath. One of these here steel pen coats makes me want to go out and hide in the hayloft, and a standin collar puts me into a grouch for a week after I've worn it.

"But you know how women are. They'll stand right by you when livin is up hill work, skimp, hustle and save, but once they get money they want a show for it, and the bigger the show the better. Things sorter come my way in pine, and I cleaned up a neat little pile. I just grinned at carriages, horses, a coachman, a lot of servants a-snookin round the house, receptions, theater parties and all that sort of thing.

"But when they rung in a genuine butler on me I had a warm conversation with mamma and the girls. It didn't do a mite of good. They talked me clean off my feet, and the butler came. I could have got away passably with the president of the United States, but that fellow, stiff backed, high headed, lookin superiorlike and never smilin 'less it was to stab you, riled me awful. One day while sittin in the library I heard him tell one of the maids he was goin to resign. 'What for?' she asked. 'The last lady as called took me for the barbarian'—that's me.

"For years I dealt with raftsmen and lumbermen. I paid his bill for six weeks in the hospital and his wages too. We keep no butler."—Detroit Free Press.

Her Absence Explained.



The Toucan—And where is your wife now?

The Parrot—Oh, she's trimming a hat for some society woman.—Types.

But She Had It.

"Do you know, madam," said the old chiropodist, "that these excessively high heeled shoes which throw so much weight on the toes originated in desert countries from people trying to keep their feet up out of the hot sands?"

"I am not surprised to hear it," responded the brisk young woman with the corns. "It takes a lot of sand to wear them in this country."—Chicago Tribune.

Took the Prescription.

Poor Patient (after an examination)—Doctor, is there much the matter with me?

Doctor—Nothing but the effects of care and worry. You must reduce your expenses so as to live within your income.

Patient—I'll begin now. Here's 10 cents. Good day.—New York Weekly.

At the Boarding House Table.

"Some of that Brazilian infected coffee, isn't it, Mrs. Hashem?"

"What do you mean by that, Mr. Chuckles?"

"I mean it's so wet."

"Wet?"

"Yes. I'm sure they must have turned the doctor's hose on it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Due to Ignorance.

"He thinks he's famous."

"Well, he never was much of a man for acquiring knowledge."

"What has that to do with it?"

"Why, he probably never has consulted the dictionary and learned the difference between fame and notoriety."—Chicago Post.

A Worked Out Mine.

"I am the gas meter inspector," announced the caller.

"Come in," replied the man of the house, "but I don't think you'll find much left. The plumber has just left, and we were visited by burglars during the night."—Philadelphia North American.

Proving a Case.

He—Women are very illogical.

She—Why do you say that?

He—They think clothes are better if they cost a lot, and yet they always think clothes are better if they get them at a bargain.—Chicago Record.

His Finish In Sight.

"He's a finished musician, don't you think so?"

"He will be if I can get a chance at him."—New York Journal.

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"Words fail to express what I suffered for three years, with cold chills, palpitation of heart, shortness of breath, and low spirits," writes Mrs. A. C. Jones, of Walterboro, Colleton Co., S. C. "I could not sleep and really thought I would soon die. Had a peculiar roaring through my head all the time. Was so emaciated and weak I could not feed myself. My aunt induced me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which I did, only to please her, and *six bottles cured me.* To-day am sound and well. During the three years I was sick I had five different physicians."

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Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

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r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r,
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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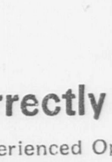

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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

HIGHEST GOOD SENSE.

Secretary Long Says President Has Displayed It In Every Exigency.

Serious Problems Arise From Territorial Acquisitions.

"New People" Will Not Be Deprived of Great Fundamental Civil Rights.

Boston, March 23.—Secretary of the Navy John D. Long came on from Washington yesterday to be a guest at the "veterans' night" of the Middlesex Republican club, held at the American House last evening.

To a company in which mirth and fun reigned supreme, as is always the case on veterans' night, after contributing his share of the wit of the evening, Secretary Long delivered a speech which, as a general defense of the administration of President McKinley, touched upon a variety of topics, including the course of the administration in the Philippines, the commercial relations of the United States with its territorial possessions, with special reference to the Puerto Rican tariff bill, and the Macrum incident.

Secretary Long began by reference to the tendency of political affairs to prevent the ordinary man from forming a correct opinion on the issues at stake. Then he said:

"Take the essential things embodied in the Republican platform of four years ago. That the principles of that platform have been executed, goes without saying. The tariff has been wisely adjusted, revenue has been ample, industrial interests were never so prosperous, and labor was never so well rewarded. The question of the currency and the money standard has been settled, and settled right, and the whole country breathes with a sense of relief and content. The indebtedness of the Pacific and other railroads—the despair of former administrations—has been collected and paid into the treasury. Honesty, efficiency and thoroughness have been the rule in every department. The Spanish war was precipitated upon us, and never was a victory achieved in a righteous cause more swiftly and surely and effectively.

"It is no use to shut our eyes to the fact that a fight is on. It is no use to deny that the opposition is strong, and has grown stronger, as it always grows stronger, on the eve on an election. It is almost amusing to run over the list of rockets which they have fired, and which have exploded, only to come down again as sticks. Secretary Gage has carried out the beneficent policy of keeping the money of the country in circulation, and thus averting financial panic. An incompetent at Pretoria is called home by Secretary Hay, and never has given to the state department any reason for his conduct. The administration of General Otis has been vituperated with the bitterest virulence, and now the American people are assured that his administration has been one of great ability, under the most exacting and trying circumstances. The president is censured because some of our soldiers suffer from the temptations of a time of war. But those who assail him forget that he has issued every possible order to meet the situation. The president is held up as a recreant to freedom because he does not intervene in the South African war. Even while the clamor is loudest, it appears that he has, at the request of the Boer government, conveyed to England his tender of good offices in aid of peace, which, by the way, is more than any other nation has been willing to do. In this, as in every other exigency, the president has acted with the highest good sense.

"In dealing with our new island territories, the interesting question has arisen whether the limitations of the constitution extend by its own force to them, or whether congress has full power over them. For myself, I have never doubted that they are subject to legislation by congress. Let no man fear that this interpretation of the constitution will deprive these new people of any of the great fundamental civil rights which will go to them.

"What it constitutionally true of the Philippines is true also, of course, of Puerto Rico. The vital principle at stake is the constitutional one. All the rest is a question of what is the wisest and best thing to do in the way of legislation.

"I confess that I am not forcibly struck with the objection that it is dangerous and inequitable that some of the administrative laws applying to our new possessions, like Puerto Rico, should differ from those which apply in the states. The nation has endured for over a century with one law for men, another for women, and another for children; the laws of one state have been contrary to those of another; even in the same state, our own for instance, there is rum for everybody in one town, and rum for nobody in the adjoining town. It is not only the part of wisdom, but this neither an infringement on fair dealing nor an exception to the custom of our own nation to have commercial statutory provisions or regulations in the new islands differing from our own, but adapted to the new circumstances.

Commander Smith of the Grand Army spoke to the toast, "The Veterans," and urged upon the members of the club the fact that the order of the Sons of Veterans is the worthy successor of the Grand Army, and he bespoke for them their assistance.

Rear Admiral Belknap, for "The Loyal Legion," referred to the fact that his son, Lieutenant Belknap, had returned from service only yesterday and started at midnight for Manila as flag lieutenant to Admiral Remey at Manila. Samuel J. Elder, for "The Law," told many humorous stories, while Rev. E. A. Horton spoke for the American flag. The last speakers were Vice Commander Barton and General Blackmer, and the meeting closed with all singing "We Old Boys."

MET DEMOCRATIC TAUNT.

Republican Senators Offered to Vote on Puerto Rican Tariff at Once.

Washington, March 23.—Almost the entire session of the senate yesterday was spent in the discussion of the conference report upon the Puerto Rican appropriation bill.

The Democratic senators manifested a disposition to criticise the restoration of the house provision covering future collections of revenue, professing to find in this action a desire to continue the Dingley tariff.

Speeches were made on these lines by Messrs. Bacon, Cockrell, Jones (Ark.), Berry and Allen. The Republicans met the taunt with a proposition to take a vote upon the house Puerto Rican tariff bill, and it looked at one time as if the unanimous consent would be secured for a vote on the tariff measure today. Senator Proctor objected, however, on behalf of the Republican free traders, and when he indicated a willingness to agree to a vote next week, Senator Pettus put an end to the proceedings by calling for the regular order of business.

After a spirited discussion extending over three days the Loud bill relating to second-class mail matter was recommitted by the house yesterday to the committee on postoffices. The majority in favor of the motion to recommit was so decisive that it is regarded as unlikely that the measure will appear again during the present congress. Mr. Loud, after the vote was announced, said that this was the third time and out, so far as he was concerned. The vote on the motion was 148 to 96, with 16 present and not voting.

Carnegie Company to Be Reorganized.

Pittsburg, March 23.—The differences between H. C. Frick and Andrew Carnegie have been settled, the parties interested having agreed upon a plan of reorganization of the Carnegie Steel company. The effect of the proposed reorganization will be to terminate all equity proceedings now pending. The stock and bonds of the new corporation are to be taken by the present owners themselves, and not offered to the public as once contemplated. Mr. Schwab will continue as the executive head of the new company.

Awarded $55,500 For Injuries Received.

Scranton, Pa., March 23.—John T. Martin of Easton, in the United States district court, was awarded damages of $55,500 against the Delaware and Hudson railroad company. The case grew out of permanent injuries received by Martin. A train on which he was a passenger crashed through another train at a grade crossing in this city, and Martin, among others, was severely injured. It is stated that the company will take an appeal.

Big Inducements For Trotters.

Terre Haute, March 23.—The Terre Haute Trotting association last night decided to hang up three $10,000 purses for colts. The futurities are one for 2-year-old trotters, a second for 3-year-old trotters, and a third for 2-year-old pacers, all nominations to be made this year, and the races to come off during the fall meeting of 1902. The purses will be in addition to the regular purses hung up by the association.

The Fastest Yet.

Boston, March 23.—According to a message received here by bicycle men, C. S. Bolton of Providence reduced the world's straightaway cycle record to 1:12 2-5 on Wednesday, on a road near New Orleans. The former record was 1:16 1-5, made by Joe Downey last summer.

Iowa Sentiment on House Bill.

Des Moines, March 23.—A resolution was unanimously adopted by the lower house of the legislature yesterday declaring "that the people of Iowa are unalterably opposed to the Puerto Rican tariff bill passed by the lower house of congress."

Charter Won't Be Revised.

New York, March 23.—Mayor Van Wyck has vetoed the charter revision bill. The bill empowered the governor to appoint a commission to revise the Greater New York charter.

Oh, Such a One!

"Please, sir, I'm not a turkey."

"No, but you're such a goose!"—Punch.

Case of Smallpox at Columbia.

New York, March 23.—A case of smallpox has developed at Columbia university and health department officials visited the law department yesterday and subjected every student to vaccination. The sick man is a student in that department.

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PRESIDENTS AT ODDS.

Extremely Bitter Feeling Said to Exist Between Kruger and Steyn.

Renewal of Rumors of the Relief of Mafeking.

London Standard Indulges Hope That Boers May Yet Become British Soldiers.

London, March 23.—The Daily News has the following from Bloemfontein, dated Wednesday: It is rumored that Mr. Kruger and Mr. Steyn will meet at Kroostadt, in the Orange Free State, on April 4, to discuss the future program. The feeling between the Transvaal and the Free State is very bitter.

A special correspondent of The Times at Bloemfontein, telegraphing Thursday, says: Yesterday Mr. Kruger issued a proclamation annexing the Free State to the Transvaal. Mr. Steyn immediately issued a counter proclamation, declaring the Free State intact.

Again there is a persistent rumor that Mafeking has been relieved. It is even asserted that the war office has received a dispatch positively announcing the relief, but that publication of it is withheld because of the form of the message admits the possibility of mistake. The war office, however, declarers that there is no confirmation of the rumor, and that no further news on the subject is at hand.

It seems certain that Mafeking's only chance lies in relief by the column supposed to be advancing from the south, or in the possibility that Colonel Baden-Powell is still strong enough to attempt a sortie with a view of capturing the Boer guns, at a time when Commandant Snyman has withdrawn his men to oppose Colonel Plumer's advance.

All the reports regard the British operations in the Free State as most satisfactory.

Nothing has developed regarding General Buller's intentions, but it seems hard to believe the report that he is again embarking General Warren's division.

It is reported from Lourenzo Marquez that Pretoria is prepared to stand a siege of two years, and that the Boer women, frantic at the reverses to the Boer arms, are entreating to be allowed to shoot the British officers imprisoned at Pretoria. It is also another report that the Italian government has declined to intervene.

There was a smart artillery duel near Warrenton Wednesday morning. A battery under Major Blowitt, supported by the Kimberley light horse, located the Boers, who employed four guns, two of which used cordite, but ineffectively. The British battery replied with effect and silenced the Boer fire. The Boers sent two shells near the railway station, which was not damaged.

A scouting party got too close to the bank of the river and encountered a hot fire. The men were unable to get away and it was impossible to relieve them without loss, the party being obliged to wait for darkness in order to escape. The reconnaissance succeeded and Major Blowitt retired with only one wounded.

Yesterday morning brisk firing was resumed with Warrenton about 6:30, but it afterward slackened up.

A detachment of fusiliers has arrived. Two Vryburg inhabitants, who had been imprisoned by the Boers, were sent in to Warrenton under a white flag after being taken from laager to laager around the district. They say that the big gun from Kimberley has been taken through Christiana to Pretoria. There are women and children in nearly every laager. Trains now run within eight miles of Warrenton.

It is supposed that the Boer forces have retired from Norvals Pont, Bethulie and Stormberg on their way north.

The government officers are taking observations at the present moment. Paramount Chief Lerothodi has arrived at Maseru with a large following and is conferring with the British agent, Sir Godfrey Lagden.

The Standard, in its principal editorial today, indulges the hope that many Boers may yet become British soldiers. It says: "The Boers are proved to have a remarkable turn for soldiering, and there must be many Boers who will be reluctant to return to humdrum pastoral life after the excitements of campaigning. If they are willing to adopt a military career, we can find room for them in safer and more satisfactory enterprises than armed rebellion. We may yet hope to see some future Cronje or Joubert leading British troops on the battlefield, side by side with generals of Irish, Canadian and Australian origin. Army commissions are to be given to Australians. Similar privileges must be granted to other colonies, including those of South Africa."

By a Large Majority.

Boston, March 23.—The proposed lease of the Fitchburg railroad to the Boston and Maine was ratified at yesterday's meeting of the stockholders of the former road by an overwhelming vote. In favor of the lease 52,265 shares of the common and 93,412 shares of the preferred stock were recorded, while the opposition was represented by 28,447 shares of preferred stock.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
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To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

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To follow is to follow the crowd. The public are not often wrong in their judgment of stores—especially shoe stores.

You pay nothing for reputation in shoe buying here, for we believe in reasonable profits.

We give you the biggest stock of desirable shoes to select from at the lowest possible prices for reliable goods.

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Swansdown Flour

BY THE BAG OR BARREL AT BOSTON PRICES.

2,000 POUNDS OF MOCHA AND JAVA COFFEE.

At the old prices and its the finest lot ever offered by us.

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And Courteous treatment of all at our store has made our business what it is.

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Quincy Aug 26 1p tf

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Quincy, March 12. tf

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Administrator's Sale at Public Auction

Of the Household Goods of the late Frederick Souther, will be sold at late residence, Mill street, Quincy, on FRIDAY, March 30, 1900, at 1.30 P. M.

The goods consist in part as follows:

PARLOR. Square Piano, Woolen Carpet, Rug, 7 H. C. Chairs, 2 H. C. Rockers, 1 Plush Rocker, H. C. Sofa, fine large Glass, Music Rack, Music Stool, Pictures, Table.

SITTING ROOM. Stewart Parlor Stove, Woolen Carpet, Eight-day Clock, Large Glass, Bed Lounge, B. Lamp, eight foot Extension Table, 3 Chairs, one Round Chair, lot of Glassware in closet.

KITCHEN. Range, 4 Lamps, Curtains, Table, 4 Chairs, Clothes Horse, Bureau, Bench, Lot Dishes, Mason Jars, Plates, odd, 2 Wash Boilers.

CHAMBER. Antique Secretary, Table, Bedstead, Pillows, Bolster, Straw Matting, Feather Beds, 2 Chairs, Stair Carpet.

SECOND CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, 4 Pillows, Sheets, Comforters, Bureau.

THIRD CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, Commode, Pictures, Straw Matting, 2 Chairs, Rocker.

FOURTH CHAMBER. Antique Mahogany Bureau, Straw Matting, 2 Bureaus, 4 Chairs, H. C. Sofa, What Not, Pictures, Bed Ticking, Maps, Books, 2 Bags, Trunk.

STABLE. Saw, 4 Shovels, 4 Forks, Rakes, Tools, Bench, Chests, Desk, Anvil, Sick Chair, Window Glass, lot of Leather, Ship Carpenter Tools, lot of Wood, and a large variety of goods in both the House and Stable, the accumulation of years.

Sale Positive. Rain or Shine. Terms Cash.

Per order,
E. B. SOUTHER, Administrator.
March 20. 9t

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Spring will soon be here. Get your clothes ready now.

Don't you like the color of them, or are they faded? Have them dyed.
Are they soiled? Have them cleansed.
Are they out of shape? Have them pressed.
Don't they fit you right? Have them altered.
Do they need repairing? A stitch in time etc.
It will pay you to bring your clothes to us and have them done right at the very lowest prices.

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L. WARSHAW, - Proprietor.
March 14. tf

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The Quincy New and Second-Hand Variety Co.,
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Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

I was a martyr to Dyspepsia and Constipation and tried everything in vain. In despair I bought a ten cent package of the U. S. Army & Navy Tablets, 17 East 14th St., New York, and in three days I felt better and afterwards I bought a twenty-five cent package and now I am completely cured. Your druggist *can* and *must* get it for you.

Yours truly,
A READER

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	31	23	32	55	43
Monday,	55	23	34	46	58
Tuesday,	65	35	33	57	39
Wednesday,	44	45	34	51	52
Thursday,	43	44	35	53	58
Friday,	58	51	37	60	49
Saturday,	—	38	37	45	40

New Advertisements Today.

Thayer Academy—"Sewing Wild Oats."

Good Afternoon.

New York's grand jury seems to be several laps ahead of the Tammany police force when it comes to fighting the dives and disreputable places in that town.

Ground is to be broken for New York's $35,000,000 rapid transit tunnel with a silver shovel, but Tammany will only need an ordinary shovel to scoop up a goodly portion of those millions.

Gen. Otis would be fully justified in using extreme measures in dealing with those Filipinos who engage in plots against American authority. The execution of a few plotters might serve as an effective warning.

Commander Driggs, of the navy, has perfected a six-pound cannon that severe tests have shown to be the best of its kind in the world. It fires seventy-five shots a minute, each weighing six pounds. Orders for fifty-one of the new guns, to be mounted on the new gun-boats now being built, have been placed by the Navy Department.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ There were men who said Mr. Seward was trying to destroy the country by the purchase of Alaska, but they have long been forgotten.—Milford Journal.

☞ The fact that the committee on agriculture has been directed by the state senate to inquire whether there has been any diminuation of song birds and insectivorous bird and report at this session, with necessary recommendations, shows that the legislature is awakening to the need of protection in this direction.—Brockton Times.

☞ There is and always has been a great deal of loose talk about poor government And this talk is noticeably true in our own land.. Men seem to forget that if public affairs are badly managed that it is simply their own fault and a reflection upon themselves. In a republic a goverment is just as weak and no weaker than the people who live in it.—Beverly Times.

☞ As against $40,000 we have contributed to help British soldiers not one cent have we applied to needy homes for our soldiers absent in the Philippines. Will some one carry this fact to London and give a tea and while one band plays "Dixie" and another the "Star-spangled Banner," will a few American ladies pass the hat for several thousand "boys in blue?"—Harper's Bazar.

☞ An Idaho tramp has his ideas of others' responsibilities pretty well developed. He has sued a railroad company for damages for injuries received while stealing a ride charging the employes with negligence since they knew where he was and did not put him off. The Idaho tramp represents the goodly number in every community who consider themselves alone exempt from responsibility.—New Bedford Standard.

☞ It is rather late in the reign of Victoria to make another visit to Ireland, where she spent a grand total of 12 days thus far in the 63 years since her coronation. The reason for the visit is eagerly sought, but nothing tremendous in international significance can be attached to it. The queen probably hopes to stimulate Irish loyalty by her venerable presence after an absence of about 40 years from the island, and, at the same time express her appreciation for the work of the Irish soldiers in the war. If she can sweeten the feeling between Irish and English by the trip it will be greatly to her credit.—Springfield Republican.

☞ Rev. Mr. Sheldon does not publish stock markets, theatrical news, news of the ring, or ragged police news. Says an exchange: It is, editorially, for reforms in which he is mainly interested. Such a newspaper, of course, would be short lived. Reformers do not take reform newspapers. They know, or think they do, all about reform and they peruse newspapers to find out what is going on in the world. The newspaper that ties to a particular reform usually has a mission without subscribers.—Nashua Press.

☞ While some tramps may not be to blame for their condition, we see no reason why they should not be compelled to work for the food and shelter given them. If they are tramps because they can find no employment they will be willing to earn their way, and it will make them respect themselves to do so. If they are tramps because they are lazy and shiftless they ought to be made to work for they have no just claim on charity. In any case the tramp who is able to work ought to work when there is any to be done.—Taunton Herald.

☞ Numerous states which have legislated against department stores are unanimous in their bad fortune. Get one of the anti-department laws before a court, and the decision every time has been "unconstitutional." Missouri is the latest state to find it out. Last year that state enacted a law taxing department stores $500 on each class of goods sold in them, and now that state's supreme court has declared it unconstitutional and void. It evidently will require something besides a taxation scheme to kill the menace to the smaller shopkeepers.—Nashua Telegraph.

Stole Wire.

Officers McKay and Goodhue did a good piece of work this morning, when they overhauled a team on Hancock street which contained ten thousand feet of covered iron wire, which afterward proved to have been stolen from the car barn of the Brockton street railway at Belmont.

The hour was about 1.30, and the two officers were trying to locate parties who had been acting suspiciously, when they came upon a team driving toward Boston. They overhauled the fellow, who at first said he had a load of junk. He was about to drive on when Officer Goodhue took the horse by the head and prevented the fellow from getting away, and Officer Mackay examined the contents of the team and found instead of old junk it contained coils of wire. Then the fellow said he purchased the wire.

He was brought to Quincy and locked up. Here it was that the wire was more carefully examined and found to contain tags which showed that the wire came from the Washburn & Moen Co., and was marked for the Brockton Street Railway Co. The fellow gave his name as George W. Redam, and his residence as Jamaica Plain.

The Brockton Company was communicated with, and from them it was learned that wire had been stolen.

The fellow was arraigned in court this morning, when the case was continued until Saturday morning.

Debate on Trusts.

At the regular weekly debate of the Seniors of the Quincy High school on Thursday the question was:

Resolved, That trusts should be abolished.

The affirmative was taken by Miss Norma Lowe and John Duggan, Jr.

The negative by Miss Nan Woy, Miss Alice Hultman and Miss Catherine Pendergast.

The presiding officer was Brooks Keyes, and the critic, Lawrence Loring.

Both the merit of the debate and the merits, of the question were decided in the affirmative.

Subject of next Debate:—Resolved that Greek should be taught in High schools.

The subject of the Junior debate was:

Resolved, That the United States was right in annexing Hawaii.

Affirmative—Miss Jennie Saunders, and Miss Olive Sherman.

Negative — Miss Mary McCormick, Miss Margaret Reilly and Mr. Dennis Sweeney.

Decided in favor of the negative.

Funeral of Mr. H. A. Jones.

Funeral services over the remains of the late Henry A. Jones were held from the residence of his son, Mr. Charles W. Jones, Grand View avenue, Wollaston, on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. There was a large number of relatives and friends present. The Rev. Preston Gurney, the pastor of the First Baptist society, read selections from the scriptures. The casket was buried beneath cut flowers. The body was interred in the family lot at Mt. Wollaston.

—No more are they "hanging men and women for the wearing of the green" in Ireland. The shamrock has received the royal favor; but Ireland is not yet happy.—Boston Beacon.

QUINCY GRANITE

It Will Be Boomed by the New Syndicate.

City Will Probably Feel Good Effects Soon.

Rumors of Radical Improvement in Shipping.

It is understood that the Quincy Quarries Granite Co. are in full possession of the several quarries acquired in Quincy, and they are now being worked by them.

The New York men in the new company arrived in town Thursday and are at work upon the books closing them up.

The new company as announced in Wednesday's Ledger, has obtained a majority of the stock of the Quincy Quarry Co. the Blue Hill Granite Co., and the Lyons Granite Co., which leaves a vacancy in the board of directors of each of these companies, and meetings of the three will be held Saturday night, at which the vacancies will be filled.

From what can be learned, there are two companies interested in the new deal. That which owns and operates the quarries, organized under the laws of New Jersey, and known as the Quincy Quarries Granite Co. And second, a New York Company which is known as the Quincy Commercial Granite Co., which will be the selling agents.

It is not known that the board of directors of the Quincy Quarries Company has elected, but it is understood that it will be composed of thirteen. Those stated for the board are: John Swithin, Marshall P. Wright, George H. Hitchcock, Andrew Milne, James Thompson, J. W. McAnarney, Thomas Swithin, John K. Hayward, Barnabas Clark, Mr. Ferdinand, Mr. Nulty and two men from New York.

John Swithin will be president and John K. Hayward treasurer.

It is also understood that John Cashman will be general superintendent of the company, and that he has already commenced his duties as such.

There are many rumors as to what the new company intend to do, and perhaps the most important of these is to acquire the property known as Brackett's wharf as a shipping point.

To build an electric railway from the wharf to connect with the tracks of the Quincy & Boston street railway, and also to build lines to connect the present tracks with the quarries. The object of shipping by water is evidently to save expense for it is well known that the rates by water are much cheaper than by rail.

In order to run cars over these tracks it will be necessary to get a special act from the legislature and it is understood that this will be done, possibly this year.

Under the Faxon Law.

Through the efforts of the police, one Quincy expressman, whom they have been watching for some time, has gone out of business.

The expressman referred to is Clement Patriarca, who was arrested by liquor Officer Ferguson last Friday, upon a warrant charging him with the illegal sale of liquor at Quincy. The case never came to trial but was continued until this moning, when it was placed on file. When first arraigned Patriacra secured counsel and pleaded not guilty, but when the case was called this morning by an arrangement between counsel for the defendant and counsel for the government, it was announce that Patriarca had gone out of the express business He then withdrew his plea of not guilty, and pleaded guilty, and the case was placed on file.

The arrest was made under the Faxon law, the claim being, that Patriarca, while acting as an expressman, had in his possession certain liquors marked for G. Comis, and that they were not delivered to the person to whom they were consigned, but to Juilo Lancisi. Under the Faxon law this constitutes a sale and the case as disposed of practically means a conviction.

The law provides that whoever delivers liquors to any other person than the one to whom they are addressed, or at any other place than that directed shall be guilty of a sale.

DIED.

ABBOTT—In Quincy, March 22, Mr. Henry F. Abbott, aged 66 years, 1 month and 7 days.
Funeral services, 10 A. M., Saturday at 251 Washington street.
BRADY—In Randolph, March 21, Mrs. Frances J., wife of Mr. John P. Brady, and daughter of Mr. Thomas Powderly, aged 33 years.
COPELAND—In East Milton, March 21, Mr. Frederick W. Copeland, of Otis street, aged 51 years and 11 months.
TOWER—In Cohasset, Mar. 20, Gen. Zealous Tower, U. S. A., aged 81 years.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

A meeting of the Board of Health was held last evening.

And now the Quincy granite quarries have flown to New Jersey.—Herald.

The Assessors' bill for Quincy was engrossed in the Senate on Wednesday.

A meeting of the City Council Committee on finance will be held Saturday night.

Mr. James T. Burchested of Wollaston has been confined to his house with sciatica the past week.

The new carpet on the floor of Commissioner Knowlton's office at City Hall is a great improvement.

Rev. Theodore I. Reese of St. Michael's church Milton will give a Litany sermon at Christ's church tonight.

The alarm from Box 42 at 7.30 Thursday night was for a fire in the chimney of officer Bradley's house on Arthur street.

The Unitarian church will give an entertainment in the chapel at 4.30 this afternoon for the children, to be followed by a supper.

The regular meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held Thursday March 29, at 3 P. M., in Bethany Chapel. Directors are requested to meet at 2.30 P. M.

Thayer Alumni will be interested in the class of 1900's class play "Sowing Wild Oats," to be presented in the South Braintree Town Hall, Saturday Evening, March 24. 2t

A Wollaston man writes: The three tiny houses which have recently been built near the Norfolk Downs depot are hardly in keeping with a city which aspires to be a model city with a great boulevard, park and playground and is also the home of two Presidents. It is rumored that a considerable number of these buildings are to be erected in that locality.

At 8.30 A. M., Thursday, George W. Prescott & Son received the last of the copy for the City Book, and it was so situated that fifty pages remained to be printed. If any one wants to time the printers on the completion of the book, now is the time to begin. It is a book of over 400 pages, and must be sent to a bindery in Boston when printed.

Free Delivery.

A despatch from Washington to the Transcript says Congreseman Naphen introduced on Thursday bill authorizing postmaster general to consolidate the post offices of Quincy and Wollaston in the Quincy office, and providing for the establishment of free delivery in the Wollaston district under the direction of the postmaster at Quincy.

The bill introduced by Representative Naphen is said to be a safe guard to ensure the extention of the free postal delivery at Wollaston.

It is understood that when this appropriation bill comes up in Congress that Senator Lodge will move an amendment to provide for the extention of the free delivery system at Wollaston. As it is possible some question on rules relating to the amendment may arise, the bill introduced by Representative Naphen will prevent the matter being killed. It is believed that Wollaston will have free postal delivery this summer.

TODAY'S COURT.

Joseph McCarthy was sent to the State farm at Bridgewater for drunkenness at Quincy.

The continued cases of Patrick H. Hand and Thomas Mullens, ior drunkenness, were called. Hand's case was continued until May 23, and Mullen's case for two weeks.

George W. Redam was arraigned for the larcency of wire valued at $40. Case continued until Saturday.

The continued case of Clemintani Patriarchi, for the illegal transportation of liquor at Quincy was called. Patriarchi retracted his plea of not guilty and entered one of guilty, and the case was placed on file.

John M. Long was arraigned for using an unlicensed wagon for collection of junk at Quincy; discharged.

Tae continued case of George E. Hatch, who was arrested some time ago upon complaint of James P. Clare for criminal libel up this morning and was again continued for one month.

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TO OPEN YARDS.

Granite Manufacturers to Resume Business.

Will Endeavor to Get Help Where they Can.

The Final Conference of Committees Last Night.

Another conference of two committees representing the Granite Manufacturers' Association and Cutters' Union was held Thursday evening, but as anticipated it was without result.

The Cutters' Committee informed the Manufacturers' Committee that the Unions had voted not to accept the proposition submitted by the Manufacturers at Monday night's conference.

The meeting did not immediately adjourn, but the two committees remained in conference some time. During this conference the Manufacturers informed the Cutters that they had reached their limit, and would not increase their offer, and that the rejection of the offer would result in the Manufacturers opening their yards.

The meeting adjourned without date.

Agreement at Concord.

A despatch in the telegraphic column of today's Ledger, says a compromise has been reached by the granite manufacturers and cutters at Concord, N. H.

A morning paper in a dispatch from Concord, says a complete termination of the differences has been effected and the new bill has been signed by all parties with the exception of one company.

The tool sharpeners demands have not as yet been settled but will be taken up today, and the belief favors an early settlement.

This will prevent the cutters returning to work today and it will probably be Monday before work is resumed.

The terms of settlement are said to be an eight-hour day, and a minimum price of 35 cents per hour. This is an an increase of 13 1-2 per cent. on the piece bill.

It makes Quincy people feel anything but pleased to read of settlements in other granite centres, and the business men are asking, when will the Quincy Manfacturers and Cutters reach a settlement?

To the layman the situation seems easy: if other granite centres can settle at 35 cents per hour, minimum, why can not Quincy do the same?

Quincy cutters are willing to settle at that basis, but the manufacturers claim that they can not see their way clear to grant more than they have already offered.

It is reported that a western dealer was in town this week trying to place an order for a $9,000 monument that must be cut of Quincy granite but was unsuccessful in placing it.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.
TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
EMILY S. LEE,
late of Bradford, Vermont, having estate in said County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate.
Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Carrie E. Lee of Quincy without giving a surety on her bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day in least before said Court.
Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.
JONATHAN COBB, Register.
March 17 3t 17-23-30

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT
TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of
CAROLINE LARY,
late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.
Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Emery L. Crane of Quincy, or to some other suitable person.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.
And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.
Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.
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Clare vs. Hatch.

The celebrated case of George E. Hatch, who was arrested some time ago upon a warrant sworn to by James P. Clare, charging him with criminal libel, came up in the district court by continuance this morning. Boardman Hall, Esq., counsel for the government asked for a further continuance, which was opposed by Mr. Lyman, counsel for Mr. Hatch.

A lengthy argument followed, during which it was brought out that certain important books had mysteriously disappeared. The books were in possession of Mr. Clare, and it was argued that a messenger appeared at Mr. Clare's house, during his absence, and represented to Mrs. Clare that he has been sent out from Mr. Hall's office for the books, which were delivered to him. Mr. Hall denied sending for the books, and up to the present time they have not been recovered.

There was an hour's sharp sparring between the counsel, after which the case was continued for another month.

That Canal to Fall River.

A "Seaman," in writing to the Herald, says:

"Your editorial comment on Mr. Chandler's scheme of a canal from the Weymouth Fore river to Fall River shows plainly the foolishness of such a plan. According to Mr. Chandler's figures, the distance to Point Judith would be 75 miles. This could not be made in less than 10 hours, allowing an average rate of speed of 7 1-2 knots for the entire distance, both in canal and in the rivers and bay, with no time out at either entrance.

"Allowing this, it would save only about three hours for a 12-knot ship from Boston to Point Judith. A 15-knot ship—a steamer making the speed of the older of the Sound passenger ships—would, on these figures, make no saving at all, and a 16 or 17 knot ship would lose time by using the canal. There is the same trouble about the Cape Cod ship canal. It saves perhaps 60 miles, but this to a 12-knot ship would only mean five hours, allowing for an even speed by both routes, an amount of time that might easily be expended in the canal itself.

"On the trip from Boston to New York, 83 miles has to be made in dangerous water, from Race point to Gay Head. Barges in tow, schooners and steamers could not afford to use a canal except in bad weather mostly in the winter time when as you say the canal would doubtless be frozen and it would hardly pay to dig a canal for the heavy weather days. A harbor of refuge at Chatham would be in my opinion of more benefit to the coastwise trade than would any canal across the Cape."

Wollaston Unity Club.

The regular meeting of the club occurs this evening and is in charge of Mr. Geo. H. Collyer.

The subject "Leather" will be treated in an interesting manner by the the following essayist.

"Hides and Sole Leather," G. H. Collyer.

"Upper Leather and Patent Tannage," Geo. E. Bright.

"Shoes and Shoe Making," J. E. Tibbetts of the Regal Shoe Co.

Various samples of finished products will be on exhibition.

The music will consist of selections from the compositions of Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter, who has charge of this part of the program.

A Supper With Toasts.

The members of the Memorial Congregational church held a very pleasant supper and a social gathering at the church, Wednesday evening. The supper was private being for the members only; Mr. W. F. Blake was toast master and speeches were made by Mr. E. R. Wade, Mr. H. A. Abercrombie, Mrs. W. N. Ware, Mr. George A. Todd, Miss Helen Bemis, Mr. W. F. Cummings, Mrs. Bemis, Rev. J. H. Whitaker and Dr. Drew. The occasion was marked by cordial good feeling and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. A vote of thanks was given to the committee who had the arrangements in charge: Rev. J. H. Whitaker, Mrs. W. F. Cummings, Mrs. Ellis Smith and Mrs. T. D. Borst.

Over 150 Play Whist.

There was an unusually large attendance Thursday evening at the whist party at Odd Fellows hall, thirty-eight tables being required to accommodate all who desired to play. At the conclusion of play prizes for the best scores were awarded to ladies as follows: china chocolate set to Mrs. Harry W. Tirrell; a fern to Mrs. M. Pitts; syrup pitcher to Mrs. George Merry; salad dish to Mrs. J. F. McLoud. To the gentlemen, punch bowl to F. A. Skinner; shaving mirror George T. Magee; tooth powder holder. W. D. Kelly; pack of cards J. F. McLoud. Another party will be held next Thursday evening.

Grows Larger and Larger.

Elmira, N. Y., March 22.—The amount of the shortage of Frank E. Bundy, the defaulting city chamberlain, is placed at between $55,000 and $60,000. It is now expected that he will be arrested as soon as he will be able to leave his bed.

TALES FROM THE FRONT

Correspondents Tell of Incidents In the Anglo-Boer War.

HOW GEN. CRONJE SURRENDERED.

March of His Motley Band Across the Veldt—Tommy Atkins' Reverence For the Queen's Chocolate Boxes. Love and the Life Belt—Deeds of a Gallant Duke.

Bennet Burleigh, war correspondent for the London Daily Telegraph, who is now with Lord Roberts' forces, sent from Osfontein a dispatch describing General Cronje's surrender. He says in part:

Never was there a stranger array than Cronje's men marching under guard across the veldt. They were a motley garbed, tatterdemalion crew of all ages between 60 and 16. Some were mounted upon ponies. Most of them went afoot, bearing burdens of clothing, blankets and pots and pans, their Boer lares and penates, from which they would not be separated. Many of them carried umbrellas of West African kingship spread and hue, others dandy ginghams little bigger than parasols.

A sore vexed, silent, tobacco smoking multitude, they plodded along toward Modder river between a line upon either side of British soldiers. The column had space enough, for the guardian troops were 70 yards apart, but there was a small body in front as well as in rear, with outlying mounted vedettes. But the Boers had no heart to attempt to bolt in that weary, thirsty land. Besides, not a few professed satisfaction at having been captured. Our soldiers chatted with the Boers, and the prisoners were occasionally colloquial and friendly, as I found myself. There appears to be little doubt that the Transvaalers and Free Staters are not on the best of terms.

In the front marched the Buffs as an advance guard, and two half battalions of the guards went with them to Jacobsdal. From there General Wavell provided another escort into Modder River. Halts were made during the day and at sundown, when the Boers had their rations issued. At night the troops took care not to let any of the prisoners escape. Lord Roberts treated the leaders with great courtesy, and the headquarters staff found breakfast and lunch for all of them, which the prisoners apparently thoroughly relished.

Cronje is an elderly man of by no means striking appearance. When he was escorted to the headquarters camp at Paardeberg, Lord Roberts shook hands with him, saying, "I am glad to have the opportunity of shaking hands with so brave a man." After a few more words the field marshal observed, "It must be an unconditional surrender," and Cronje, after hesitating a moment, replied, "Ja." Cronje, with his wife, grandson, another lady, his secretary (Mr. Relz), Commandants Albrecht and Wolmarans and the other leaders went ahead seven hours before the main body started. They, however, rode in the same day into Modder River and entrained for Simon's Town.

A vast number of Martini rifles were found in General Cronje's laager. This at first led us to believe that the Boers were running short of Mausers, but many of the Boer prisoners declare that they prefer the old arm, to which their men are more accustomed. The Boer guns, four Krupps and one "pom pom," which were captured, have all had their breech parts removed and thrown away. In more than one instance the damage was inflicted by the Boers after the white flags were hoisted. It is believed that the breech blocks of the cannon and many of the enemy's rifles were thrown into the river. The small arms captured include Mausers, Martinis and Lee-Metfords. The rifle ammunition numbers over 100,000 rounds, besides many shells. The "pom pom's" casing had been broken by a shrapnel.

At the Orange river the London News' correspondent has recently been making determined attempts to buy one of the queen's chocolate boxes. He remarked casually to a gunner of the Horse artillery that the box he was carrying was a pretty one. The gunner admitted it was a very pretty box, and, "wot's more, it ain't for sale."

A corporal of the Essex regiment, asked what he wanted for his box, treated the question with silent contempt. The correspondent then offered one of the Buffs £2 for his treasure. But sentiment once more prevailed. "I'm sendin it 'ome," said our Buff. "I promised the ole woman"—he was a reservist—"'tain't because I couldn't do with the blimey thick uns, an—no, it's the ole lady's gift, an I might be buried without gittin a medal an I've got this, an any'ow, guv'nor, hopin there's no offense, I'll send it 'ome."

At the same time, it seems, the queen is to have back the box she sent to Private Humphrey. It has a Boer bullet imbedded in it, and was the means of saving his life.

A story of the gallantry of the Duke of Roxburghe in an engagement at Rensburg is contained in a letter from a private in the Blues to his sister at Farnham, which is printed in the London Daily News. He says: "General French ordered one squadron of the Blues to go out on reconnoissance to find the enemy. Well, after some time we did find them, but they were in too strong a position, and we only numbered 80. The bullets began to whistle round, and the shells to drop, and our position became dangerous. We had the order to retire, which took a little time, as we were all dismounted on top of a big hill, and the horses were a little way off. By the time we had reached the bottom of the hill some one had galloped off with my horse, so I was left without a mount. The firing was getting rather thick, and I thought my last day had come, for I had no chance of getting away alone. But the Duke of Roxburghe came back for me, and I got up on his horse behind him, and he carried me in safety away from the fire. So I owe my life to him."

Love laughs at locksmiths. The adage is illustrated by an interesting fact which has just been disclosed in connection with the attempted escape of Boer prisoners from the British warship in Simon's bay, says The Westminster Gazette. Three young men tried to get ashore by swimming, assisted by swimming belts. How did they come by these articles? They were not the big, cumbersome life belts found aboard ships, but small patent things which can be carried in an unexpanded condition in the pocket. The secret is explained by the circumstance that one of the three prisoners had a sweetheart. This young lady happened to come to Cape Town with her father before the war broke out in order to make a pleasure trip to Europe. When her lover was captured at the front and brought a prisoner to the Penelope, she naturally went to see him. In point of fact, she went to see him several times. Voila tout!

The London Daily News' correspondent tells the following interesting incident of Macdonald's arduous march to Koodoosberg: "The colonel of the Black Watch noticed a youngster in his regiment toiling along under his heavy equipment, showing evident signs of weakness. He gave him some whisky and water, which was drunk with avidity, but when he offered to carry his rifle for him on his horse the boy answered sturdily that if he could not get to the end with his rifle he was no use and wouldn't come at all. He did not fall out, but arrived with the rest, although rather done."

NEW MAILING MACHINE.

Topeka Man Invents a Device Useful to Newspaper Publishers.

Robert Maxwell, the Topeka Capital's pressman, has perfected a new mailing machine and received his patent papers from the patent offices of the United States and foreign countries. The machine is a rapid addressing machine to be attached to perfecting presses. It will address the papers as fast as the perfecting press to which it is attached will run.

Mr. Maxwell has been working on the design of the machine about two years. He has been in the newspaper business for 20 years, during which time there have been radical improvements in every form of machinery except mailing apparatus around a printing office, and this fact set him to studying out his design.

The new mailing machine is a belt of steel links in each of which a specially prepared linotype slug is inserted. The belt runs on a wheel over which the paper passes. An arm strikes each linotype slug, printing the address on the paper, the ink being furnished by a roller which runs between the belt and the paper. The machine is attached to the press in such a way that the paper is addressed while it is being folded the third time.

The belts are made up in routes and wound on a reel similar to a roll of paper. These are so arranged that the routes can be changed without stopping the press. In case the paper should break a lever is thrown, and the mailing machine is stopped immediately.

The total weight of the machine is less than 25 pounds. As it will run as fast as a perfecting press it will increase the rapidity of mailing about fourfold, the present mailing process of pasting labels on the margin of papers being limited to about 5,000 per hour.

Mr. Maxwell has been the pressman of The Capital for 12 years. He has kept his plans a secret during the two years he has been studying out his design, as many attempts to perfect mailing machines have been made in the past, though with no success. There is a fortune in his new machine if it proves a success, as no doubt it will, as one of the machines has been attached to The Capital press and has given satisfaction.

A Novel Church Scheme.

A novel method of securing a fund of $108,000 for the Baptist temple in Philadelphia has been undertaken by the Rev. Russell H. Conwell, the pastor, and a committee of prominent members of the congregation. The plan, according to the Philadelphia Review, is to place in artistic panel designs on the inside walls of the upper temple 108,000 glazed tiles, most of them 2 by 4 inches in size, upon which will be indented the name of the person contributing. The little bricks or tiles are to vary in value from $1 to $100 each. There will be 100,000 tiles of a creamy color and 8,000 of a larger and darker tint. The latter will be used to fashion pretty borders for the tiles of lighter hue. The pulpit will be constructed of the same material and given as a memorial. The walls in the rear of the pulpit will also be ornamented with the tiling.

Dangerous Enemy.

St. Helena may not be the pleasantest abiding place for General Cronje, says the Baltimore American, but it tells more forcibly than words how dangerous an enemy the British esteem him.

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MILTON.

The Episcopal Mission will hold Lenten services every Friday evening in the small hall in the Ellsworth building.

Frank, the eleven-year-old son of John Ford was taken to the hospital Sunday to be operated upon for appendicitis. The operation was successful and he is reported as recovering.

The Democratic caucus held Wednesday evening nominated Mr. Brooks of Canton for representative to the General Court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George R. R. Rivers.

Dr. P. K. Brown has moved from Mechanics street to Bryant avenue.

Rev. A. H. Mulnix's subject on Sunday evening in his course on the closing events in the life of Christ will be "The Last Supper."

Mr. Osgood of Granite avenue who has reached an adavnced age is quite feeble.

Several East Milton Odd Fellows went to Providence Tuesday night to witness an exemplification of the work.

There was a large attendance at the ladies' night of the Unquity club on Wednesday evening. The ladies participated in games and listened to vocal selections by Miss Emily Baxter and Mr. Whitcomb. Mr. E. E. Carlton was accompanist. Refreshments were served.

The alarm from Box 63 last Saturday noon was for a fire in the play house on the John C. Cobb estate.

The Good Templars hold a basket party at Washington hall tonight.

The Thursday Evening club defeated the Oakland club of Mattapan last week by twenty-five points.

Christopher Graham who has been laid up with the grip for a week is about again.

A special election will be held April 3 to elect a representative to the General Court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George R. R. Rivers.

The Junior Endeavor league of the Baptist church holds a yellow festival tonight.

The Metropolitan sewer commission are making soundings through East Milton.

Real Estate Sales.

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Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the District Court next Tuesday.

45—Lyons vs. Barry.
307—Hunt vs. Buttimer.
308—Hanson vs. Buttimer.
309—Owens vs. Buttimer.
310—Mosher vs. Buttimer.
28—Miller vs. Stewart.

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

A shortage of about $250 in the accounts of the town of Bucksport, Me., has been discovered by the newly elected board of selectmen.

J. A. Porter, secretary to the president, has returned to Washington from a trip through the south for the benefit of his health, which is greatly improved by the outing.

Rev. O. H. Brant, associated rector of St. Stephen's Episcopal church, Boston, has declined the position of dean of St. Paul's cathedral, Cincinnati, to which he was recently elected.

The First Baptist church of Brookline, Mass., has issued a call to Rev. Avery A. Shaw of Windsor, N. S., to become the pastor of the church.

An order from Washington received at Boston navy yard directs that the detail of 30 marines, which was to start for Mare island, San Francisco, be detained until further orders.

Three farm barns, owned by A. H. Holden, near South Londonderry, Vt., were burned, together with 70 sheep, one cow and 40 tons of hay.

Dayrell E. H. Crackenthorpe has been appointed third secretary of the British embassy in Washington and will shortly enter upon the discharge of his new duties.

The navy department has issued orders for the repair of the cruiser Boston, now at the Mare island navy yard, the cost of which will be about $300,000.

German imports of canned beef from Australia are rapidly increasing, being now 30 percent of such imports, as against practically nothing in 1897. It is claimed at Berlin that the Australian output is better than the American, and is supplanting the latter.

At a boxing exhibition at Stamford, Conn., Joe Walker was given the decision on a foul over "Dutch" Monahan in the second round of a scheduled 15-round bout.

The amount of bonds so far presented at the treasury department for exchange for the new 2 percents is $122,385,400, of which $10,520,450 has been received from individuals and institutions other than national banks.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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—It would be right, perhaps, to have a United States warship take the members of the Boston common council to Paris, if it would only leave them there forever.—Somerville Journal.

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Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. 1-4 the price of coffee. 15c. and 25 cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

ON BECKHAM'S ORDER.

Court House and Jail at Frankfort In Possession of State Troops.

Each Man of Lexington Company Carries Two Guns.

Governor Says Troops Are Strictly Under Control of Civil Authorities.

Frankfort, Ky., March 23. — State troops recognizing Democratic Governor Beckham are in possession of the county courthouse and jail and will do military duty here under orders from Governor Beckham during the examining trials of Republican Secretary of State Caleb Powers, Captain John W. Davis and W. H. Culton, which are set for hearing before Judge Moore. The military is also reinforced by 75 special deputy sheriffs.

The Lexington company of 70 men, under Captain Longmire, arrived here at 6:15 o'clock last evening and marched to the courthouse.

The sidewalks were well filled with people and the troops were cheered at various points. The line of march did not pass the state house square, where Governor Taylor's soldiers are quartered. Longmire marched at the head of his company, carrying a revolver, while each of the men carried two guns. It is understood that practically the entire contents of the Lexington armory were brought here.

The indications are that the trial of some one of the defendants will be begun at once. County Judge Moore has issued an order to Sheriff Suter directing him to exclude everybody from the courthouse except attorneys, witnesses and members of the press.

The rumor that armed bodies of citizens from the mountain section are coming to Frankfort is not generally credited.

Governor Beckham issued an address last night, explaining his action in calling out troops. The address, in part, says: "The civil authorities of Franklin county have presented to me a statement of facts which shows that a condition of lawlessness is threatened here with which they are unable to deal, and they have called upon me for assistance. I have, in compliance with their call, ordered here certain state troops to place themselves completely under the authority of the sheriff of the county. These troops shall be strictly under the control of the civil authorities in preserving order and protecting the dignity of the court, that justice may be done to all parties."

"Sapho" Scathingly Denounced.

New York, March 23.—The grand jury reported to Recorder Goff, filing an indictment against Ogla Nethersole, Theodore Moss, Marcus Mayer and Hamilton Revelle. The charge is offending public decency in connection with the production of "Sapho." They are charged with "scandalously exhibiting indecent, lewd, filthy, bawdy and obscene representations, practices, performances and evil conversation," which are declared to be too disgusting for particular description.

A Dying Woman's Confession.

New York, March 23.—Police Captain Doherty was dismissed from the New York force in 1894 on a charge made by Mrs. Augusta Thurow before an investigating committee. Mrs. Thurow, who is now dying in Brooklyn, has made an affidavit, in which she says that her testimony before the committee was perjured; that she concocted her accusations of bribery against Doherty in revenge for his efforts to close her house.

School Law Not Sustained.

Boston, March 23.—A case under the school law, tried in the lower court with a verdict against the defendant and appealed to a jury, was heard in the superior court yesterday and the defendant acquitted. John B. McAleer was charged with not sending his 13-year-old boy to school. The defense was that the boy was not properly taught in school and so was educated at home.

Concord Cutters Will Resume Work.

Concord, N. H., March 23.—A formal compromise has been reached between the granite manufacturers and cutters in this section, and the strike has practically ended, as the men have decided to begin work at their old places. The tool sharpeners remain to be dealt with as yet, but no trouble is anticipated from them.

Chinese Reformer Located.

London, March 23.—The Singapore correspondent of The Times says: Kang Yu Wei, the Chinese reformer, who was reported a month ago to have sailed for London, returned here secretly in a pilot boat, and has lived in Singapore ever since. The discovery has greatly excited the local Chinese.

Must Make Thirty Knots an Hour.

Washington, March 23.—The Harlan & Hollingsworth company has notified the navy department that the torpedo boat Stringham has had a satisfactory private trial, and will be ready for her official trial on March 31. She is required to make not less than 30 knots per hour.

Conversation Was "Purely Personal."

Washington, March 23.—Montagu White, the Boer agent in this country, called at the state department yesterday and spent some time in conversation with Secretary Hay. It was intimated that the subject of the conversation was purely personal in character.

But Two Buildings Left.

Vancouver, B. C., March 23.—A special from Sirdar states that the town of Kuskano, on Kootenay lake, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Only two buildings were left, and the people are destitute. The town had a population of 2000.

GYPSY MOTH BUGABOO.

Investigating Committee Finds That There Has Been Much Needless Expenditure.

Boston, March 23.—After having given 17 public hearings on the subject, the special committee on the gypsy moth investigation made its report to the house of representatives yesterday. The committee says:

The system of scouting, necessary under the policy of extermination, is an expensive feature of the work, and in its practical operation barren of positive and justifiable results, and as ordinarily carried on a manifest waste of money. The office force is altogether too large, and the requirements from those employed are cumbersome and uncalled for; help eats up large sums of money which might be better employed in necessary field work.

The evidence satisfies us that the activity of employes in interviewing local representatives in the legislature is fostered and encouraged by high officials. We do not believe that any work that is carried on because of its merits needs to be or should be supported by such methods.

There is no conclusive evidence that, as a result of the work of the past 10 years, the insect has been exterminated in any city or town of the infested district. We feel that much good work has been done, and that much has been learned. We, therefore, do not believe it advisable to wholly abandon the work.

The committee recommends: An abandonment of the theory of extermination and a repeal of the present law; a continuance of the work by the cities and towns interested, with authority to impose such obligations on the citizens as seem proper and reasonable; a substitution of the policy of suppression and of preventing the spread of the insect in place of the plan abandoned; such assistance from the commonwealth in the form of reimbursement of a portion of the money expended by the municipality as to the legislature seems just and fair; the imposition on certain city or town officers of the general charge and oversight of the work in their respective communities; a proper safeguarding of the state's interest in the public reservations.

The committee recommends the cutting down of the appropriation from $200,000 to $80,000.

After a debate occupying nearly two day sessions, the house yesterday passed to a third reading the bill to provide for the formation and disbursement of a public school teachers' retirement fund in the city of Boston, by a vote of 102 to 78.

Family of Six Murdered.

Raleigh, March 23.—At Gamers yesterday, Tom Jones, colored, murdered Lilla Jones and her oldest daughter, Ida, and then set fire to the beds in which were the bodies of the murdered victims and four others, all children, ranging in age from 1 month old to 5 years. The murderer, according to 7-year-old Laura Jones, who escaped with her younger sister, struck the mother four times with an ax and the oldest child twice. The house was destroyed by fire and the bodies of the dead were also burned. The dead are: Ella Jones, the mother; Ida Jones, 13; Jesse Jones, 5; Nancy Jones, 3; Clever Jones, 2, and an unnamed baby 1 month old. Jones denies the murder, but admits that he was intimate with Ella Jones, who was not related to him. He says that they had quarrelled about her charging him with the paternity of her month old child.

Vice Again Flourishes.

New York, March 23.—The Press says: True to the tip sent out on Wednesday all the big gamblers in New York opened yesterday. The places opened quietly. Regular players found no difficulty in getting in, but the stranger did. Last night all the games that were not of the mushroom order were open. It was said that few pool rooms had opened upon the old scale.

Lived and Died Alone.

Augusta, Me., March 23.—After being dead two days Miss Mary Lovering, aged 72, was found at her home in Manchester, where she lived the life of a hermit. A few days ago a note was put under her door. As the note was undisturbed an investigation was made. She was known to be a woman of some property.

Students All Sent Home.

Princeton, N. J., March 23.—Diphtheria has broken out at Griswold House, Lawrenceville academy, near here. Head Master McPherson has sent the 32 students from there to their homes for three weeks to prevent the spread of the disease. A student who has the disease was sent to a Trenton hospital.

Cleveland In American League.

Cleveland, March 23.—President Johnson of the American league states that an agreement has been reached with Mr. Robison whereby the National league baseball park here will pass into the hands of his organization. He declines to name the consideration involved in the transaction.

Assault May Result Fatally.

Dover, N. H., March 23.—George Young, 25 years old, it is claimed, entered the residence of Nathaniel Eaton on the Toland road, and assaulted Miss Adeline Eaton, 55 years old. The condition of Miss Eaton is critical. Young made good his escape to the woods, near by.

Not Yet Straightened Out.

St. John's, March 23.—The Bond-Morris ministry is finding considerable difficulty in placating the various factions to which it looks for support, and the leaders are at their wits end to devise some way of avoiding complications.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Except in southern portions of the west gulf states and in the extreme northwest, temperatures have risen generally and decidedly, and are from 3 to 22 degrees above the seasonal average. Although the future movement of a Texas disturbance is rendered doubtful by a low pressure to the northwestward, yet it is probable that it will move northeast and cause rain in southern New England, and that there will be rain or snow in Maine. On the New England coast the wind will be fresh south to west.

LIABILITIES OF $1,110,000.

Great Publishing House of D. Appleton & Co. Is Financially Embarrassed.

New York, March 23.—Justice Bishoff of the supreme court yesterday appointed J. H. Dougherty receiver for D. Appleton & Co., publishers, on the application of Daniel Pritchard, a stockholder. The liabilities are $1,110,000. The assets consist of stock and outstanding accounts.

The house of D. Appleton & Co. is one of the oldest publishing firms in this country. It began in 1825 in connection with a dry goods business, which the founder, Daniel Appleton, had developed in Boston. The house was first established here in 1830. In 1835 William H. Appleton, the eldest son of the founder, opened its London branch. The first publication was a Master's Table, and it is said that the outlay on this was $75.

Other members of the Appleton family developed the business, and it continued its growth for many years. One of its chief enterprises was the publication of the American encyclopaedia. The expenditure involved in this, said to have been $25,000 per volume, was at the time regarded as remarkable. Latterly the firm has published a very large number of miscellaneous works, as well as several scientific and technical periodicals. The officers of the corporation at present, as well as the directors, are all members of the Appleton family. William H. Appleton, who had been president of the corporation, died last October, at the age of 85.

Succeeded In Killing Himself.

Woonsocket, R. I., March 23.—John O'Connor boarded with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith at 90 Summer street, and had been requested to find a new living quarters. He returned to his room Thursday evening with Mr. Smith's daughter, Etta, to whom he had been paying attention. After reaching the house he tried to fire three shots at Mrs. Smith, but the cartridges failed to discharge. He then turned the weapon on Miss Smith, firing one shot, the effect being a slight wound in the breast. Turning the revolver upon himself he succeeded in ending his existence. He had been separated from his wife some time, and she resides with her two children in New Bedford, Mass.

Steamer Master Shot Sailors.

Galveston, March 23.—Michael Mellegin, boatswain's mate of the United States gunboat Machias, was shot and killed here last night. His brother, Edward, fireman of the cruiser New York, was shot in the lip. M. H. Ward is under arrest. The "jackies" were entertained at an oyster roast. When they returned to the dock the tug which brought them ashore was not there to take them back to their vessel, so they attempted to negotiate with the steamer Lawrence to take them, but Master Ward declined because of the heavy fog and rough sea. He claims that about 25 of them attempted to take possession of the steamer, and that this resulted in the shooting.

Sanitary Appropriations Exhausted.

San Francisco, March 23.—The correspondent of the Associated Press at Honolulu, writing March 15, says: But one case of plague has developed during the last 11 days. Passengers have been allowed to depart for the first time in many weeks. Reports from both Mauidkmaui and Hawaii are to the effect that both of the islands are clean again. The expense of sanitary work has used up all the appropriations and $250,000 additional must be asked for. There is great destitution among the natives.

Germany's Latest War Engine.

Berlin, March 23.—The German cruiser Prinz Heinrich was launched yesterday at Kiel. She is belt-armored, has an indicated horse power of 15,000 and triple expansion engines, and is capable of 20½ knots an hour. She carries two 24-centimeter guns, 10 15-centimeter guns and numerous smaller guns, together with four torpedo tubes. Her displacement is 8800 tons.

A Record Breaker.

Brockton, Mass., March 23.—All previous records were broken at the factory of Field, Hazard & Co., in Montello, when a pair of No. 7 laced shoes were made from the rough leather and were packed ready for shipment in 29 minutes, 30 seconds. During the various processes of manufacture the shoes passed through the hands of 116 different operatives.

Stabbing Results In Death.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 23.—Joseph Wargo, who, it is alleged, was stabbed by Joseph Silvasi, died yesterday. He was 27 years old, and leaves no relatives. The men were friends and fellow workmen and had been drinking together. Wargo claimed he gave no provocation for the assault. Silvasi is in jail awaiting trial.

Thief's Experience With American Woman.

Naples, March 23.—A thief attempted yesterday to rob two American ladies, Mrs. and Miss Burgess of Boston, who were leaving a shop. He seized the purse of Miss Burgess whereupon she seized him by the throat, threw him to the ground, recovered her purse and then calmly requested him to be off.

Has But Light Assets.

Boston, March 23.—A petition in bankruptcy was filed by Ederton R. Williams of Brookline, clerk. His liabilities are $95,428.93, consisting wholly of unsecured claims. His assets are $50.

Rebels Surrender.

Buenos Ayres, March 23.—The rebellion which recently broke out in the province of Entre Rios has collapsed, and the rebels have surrendered their arms.

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—Up to Tuesday the British had lost over 16,000 men in their war with the Boers. That is at a rate of over 100 men daily in the past five months.—Old Colony Memorial.

HE ADVISES MATRIMONY.

Priest Who Says Young Men Are Too Bashful and Too Stingy to Marry.

A unique campaign is in progress in South Bethlehem, Pa. It is a campaign of marriage. It was started by Rev. Father Philip McEnroe of the Church of the Holy Infancy. Father McEnroe preached a sermon in which he deplored the lack of marriages among the young people of his flock. He further declared that there were 500 young women in his parish and that it was high time the young men were asking them to become wives.

Not only has this sermon aroused much interest among the young bachelors of South Bethlehem, but it has attracted attention in all parts of the country. Father McEnroe has receiv-

FATHER M'ENROE AND SOME OF HIS FAIR PARISHIONERS.

ed a great many letters from distant bachelors asking him to pick out wives for them. Most of them sent specifications.

Father McEnroe is quite amazed at the wide interest taken in his sermon. "I had no thought when I spoke to the people of my parish that my words would reach so far," says Father McEnroe. "However, now that the newspapers have spread my advice to young men broadcast, I am glad that it is so. I feel in my heart that young men everywhere are too bashful and too avaricious.

"They hesitate and hesitate and hesitate instead of coming out strong and asking the girl straight off. I am quite enthusiastic in this matter and determined, now that I have entered on my crusade, to keep it up. When I have married the 500 single young women in my parish to good Catholic husbands, I will be willing to rest and not before.

"I may say that I am more than ever encouraged, for I have learned much that gratifies me. About these things I do not care to speak."

SHE HAS AMBITIONS.

Mrs. Woodruff, Whose Husband Wants to Be Vice President.

Mrs. Timothy L. Woodruff, whose husband is ambitious to become the Republican candidate for vice president, is a handsome woman who has ambitions herself. Mr. Woodruff is just now lieutenant governor of the state of New York, and Mrs. Woodruff is the social leader of Albany society. She thinks she would like four years or more of Washington society, and it may be that Mr. Woodruff's vice presidential hopes are due in a measure to his wife's social aspirations.

Mrs. Woodruff is one of that rare type of women who are born to be the consorts of great men, who are an in-

MRS. TIMOTHY L. WOODRUFF.

centive for their ambitions, an unconscious guide in the vital moments of their careers, and who advance step by step with their husband's progress.

Her maiden name was Miss Cora Eastman, and she was a belle of Poughkeepsie before her marriage to the handsome young statesman who makes his home in Brooklyn and who is the delight of the New York cartoonists because he wears fancy vests of striking pattern.

Mrs. Woodruff recently made a tour of the west with her husband, and she was highly delighted by the many courtesies she received from the women of western cities. She has one son, who is 19 years old and a student at Yale.

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M., 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.30 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

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r *6 12	abc	6 32	*5 53	ihgfedcba	6 22 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
9 33	a	9 51	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32			

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

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Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

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On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 30 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 8.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for East Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or Penny Square. From Braintree to Weymouth at Quincy avenue or City Square. From other points at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

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7 56	ad	8 15		10 28	cba	10 49 r
8 12	abc	8 32		11 28	cba	11 49 r
8 26	ad	8 45		12 28	cba	12 49 r
8 42	abc	9 02		1 28	cba	1 49 r
9 12	abc	9 32		2 28	cba	2 49 r
10 12	abc	10 32		3 28	cba	3 49 r
11 12	abc	11 32		4 28	cba	4 49 r
12 12	abc	12 32		4 58	cba	5 19 r
12 12	abcd	1 32		5 15	da	5 36 r
12 12	abc	2 32		5 28	cba	5 49 r
12 12	abc	3 32		5 45	da	6 06 r
12 12	abc	4 32		5 58	cba	6 19 r
12 12	abc	5 32		6 15	da	6 36 r
12 12	abc	6 32		6 28	cba	6 49 r
12 12	abcd	7 32		6 58	cba	7 19 r
12 39	abcdefghi	8 07		7 28	cba	7 49 r
12 08	abcdef	8 32		8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
12 12	abc	9 32		9 28	cba	9 49 r
12 34	abcdefghi	10 02		10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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The letters in the same line as the figures for different stations and indicate that stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, f, Harrison Square.
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March 17. tf

The Social Realm.

Sometimes a breath floats by me,
An odor from dreamland sent,
That makes the ghost seem nigh me,
Of a splender that came and went;
Of a life lived somewhere,—I know not
In what diviner sphere,—
Of memories that stay not and go not,
Like music heard once by an ear
That cannot forget or reclaim it.

—Lowell.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Fannie Manson of Framingham and Mr. Harry L. Rice of Quincy. Miss Manson has often been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. B. Packard and is well known here and her friends will be glad to welcome her to Quincy permanently. Mr. Rice having a beautiful home on Adams street.

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The illness of many is a drawback to several social times planned for the next few weeks.

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Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. George E. Holmes of Elm avenue, Wollaston, for the wedding reception of their daughter, Miss Caroline Jordan Holmes and Mr. Walter Everett Simmons, Jr., on Monday evening, April 9.

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The Literary club of Braintree met Monday evening, with Miss Norris in place of the regular meeting, the members listened to an address by Prof. Harmus of Harvard, who proved most interesting. Music was furnished by Mr. Crooker, piano: Mr. Bird, violin; Mr. Norris, flute; and Mrs. Norris, vocal selections. Before leaving the members and friends enjoyed a pleasant half hour in the dining room. The next regular meeting of the club is postponed for three weeks—notice of the meeting will be given later.

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Miss Mattie A. Clapp of Scituate will spend the spring recess of Boston University with Quincy and Bridgwater friends.

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There was a large attendance at the regular fortnightly meeting of the Unity club which was held in the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church last evening. The subject was "Leather," Mr. George H. Collyer being in charge. Mr. Collyer read a paper on "hides and sole leather;" Mr. George H. Bright, on "Upper leather and patent tannage" and Mr. J. E. Tibbetts of the Regal Shoe Co. on "shoes." The music was in charge of Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter.

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Owing to the death of a near relative Miss Randall will be unable to give her talk at the Unitarian chapel on Monday afternoon.

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Councilman and Mrs. Nichols of Wollaston entertained at lunch on Saturday evening Mayor Hall, Ex-Mayor Sears, Tax Collector Baker, Mr. H. T. Whitman, Mr. W. S. Pinkham, Mr. C. W. Jones and Mr. J. S. Whiting.

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The meeting of the Massasoit Whist Club was held at the home of Charles Cummings on Washington street Brain-last evening.

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Last week's meeting of the Friday Club was with Mrs. Hayward. The committee in charge was Mrs. Welch, and the occasion was most interesting. The subject was "Charles II. and the Dramatists—Dryden, Otway, Wycherly, Etheridge, Congreve, Mrs. Aphra Behn." The next session of the club will be with Mrs J. O. Hall, Jr., instead of with Mrs. Ilsley.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Burton of Hyde Park are at St. Augustine, Florida with Mr. and Mrs. Bainard and daughter.

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Mrs. Charles Farrington of Charles Street entertained Miss Whitney and Miss Dinnie, teachers at the Quincy School, and Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Thompson at dinner, Thursday evening.

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Miss Ethel Marion Williams of Braintree gave a party to about fifty of her young friends in the Cochato club hall Saturday evening. It was a very pretty gathering.

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Preparation is being made for the formal installation of Rev. Merrill C. Ward as pastor of the Universalist church, Wednesday, April 4, 7.20 P.M.

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Mr. Ross Turner has an exhibit until April 4th of water color drawings of New England and Mexican views at the gallery of Doll and Richards, Park street, Boston.

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Mrs. Clara B. Vaughan of Hyde Park and Mr. Dwight C. Sturges, one of the most promising of Boston's black-and-white artists, were married on Monday evening at Malden.

Next Friday afternoon the Friday club meets with Mrs. John O. Hall of Merrymount road. and Mrs. John O. Hall, Jr., and Mrs. D. E. Wadsworth are the committee on entertainment. James II and the Controversial Literature will further continue the interesting papers on English history.

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The committee from the Braintree club have chosen this evening as a members' night. Whist will be played.

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Miss Floretta Vining has returned from New York and will spend the spring at one of her small cottages at Hull, until she goes abroad for the summer.

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Mr. William Palmer Tanner returned this morning from a three months' business trip through the west.

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Mr. and Mrs. John McPhee of Braintree are entertaining Miss Lula Collins of New York city at their home on Hall avenue.

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Miss Thompson's reading on Tuesday afternoon will be on "A Bell Branch: Old Irish Romances."

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis of Hyde Park have left Cuba and gone to Honolulu, where Mr. Davis' firm have large interests.

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Mrs. Helen I. Wyckoff of Asbury Park, N. J., better known to many of our readers as Nellie Arey, who formerly lived on South street in this city, has a letter in today's Patriot expressing her appreciation of the Patriot Souvenir which was sent her by Miss Annie Marsh.

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The dance given Saturday evening at Colonial hall by several well known young ladies was a great success. It was on the assembly plan but everything else was exactly opposite to what is usual at such parties. There were no matrons but there were two patrons, Mr. Charles A. Price and Mr. Edward H. Angier. All the men were introduced to the patrons after which dancing was enjoyed until half-past eleven. The men were asked to dance by the ladies and it is said there was more dancing than promenading and at the close of the dance the men were much fatigued. Bunches of violets were given as favors and the inspiring music was by Mrs. Rideout. It is rumored that the men are to give a return dance in April.

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The Whist club met with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sproul on Wednesday evening.

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There is a dance tonight at the Cochato club hall, Braintree.

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An interesting lecture on Japan was given by Miss Shed for the benefit of Christ church, at the home of Mrs. Howe, Goffe street, on Tuesday afternoon.

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Mrs. George H. Higgins of Quincy Point is spending a few days at Holbrook with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Bussell.

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Mrs. Hugh Fitzpatrick of Lynn is spending a few days with relatives in Atlantic.

Vesper Music.

Music for Vespers at Wollaston Unitarian church at 4 o'clock.

"It is the Lord's own day." Krentzer
"All glory, land and honor," Schuman
"Nearer My God to Thee," Herbert Johnson
{ Tenor solo with violin
{ "Peace I leave with you," Gurney
Response, violin.

MALE QUARTETTE.

A. C. Prescott, 1st tenor; Weber Quartette.
Prof. J. H. Mahan, 2d tenor.
E. Walter Arnold, baritone.
J. E. Davison, basso.
Violinist, Miss Thomas.
Organist, Mr. Nickerson.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of George W. Redam, the man caught by Officers McKay and Goodhue with stolen wire in his possession, came up. The complaint against him was placed on file and Redam turned over to an officer from Brockton, who had a warrant for the fellow for breaking and entering and larceny.

John E. and Cosmos Schutzl were arraigned for assault on George Eckles at Quincy. John E. was fined $5, and Cosmos discharged.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents

SEEKING WORK.

Granite Manufacturers Expect Help Next Week.

The Granite Manufacturers will probably open their yards and resume business on Monday, April 2. The men employed will be paid according to the last offer made by the Manufacturers' Committee to the conference held last Monday evening, as follows:

"Eight hours to constitute a day's work 6 days in the week, as already agreed to: the pay to be same as paid for 9 hours in the bill of 1899, with an eleven per cent. increase in the piece price list of 1899. This agreement to remain in force to March 1st, 1905."

The Manufacturers report that they have already had applications from some of their men to return to work, and think it will not be long before they have all the men the want.

There has been more or less work in all of the yards since the first of March, but what work has been done has been by the Manufacturers themselves and apprentices. It has been no uncommon occurrance during the past few weeks to see members of granite firms with their aprons on, hard at work finishing up some job.

Weymouth Was Ready.

Weymouth's heart is in the right spot, as the town is lamenting because it did not render aid at the Quincy fire on Sunday. The Gazette says:

"It would be a good idea to have the fire chiefs of Weymouth connected with the public telephone service and would cost the town but about $125 a year. Last Sunday morning Quincy had a bad fire and wanted assistance. They tried to telephone our drug stores but it was early and no one was in the stores. Quincy, failing to secure aid from Weymouth, finally got it from Boston and Milton. Quincy has responded nobly to calls from Weymouth in several cases in the past and has rendered valuable aid in severe fires, notably the great wharf fire and Bourk's barn fire. A telephone service would be of value not only to outside towns to whom we are under obligation but to our local department as well."

Lunches at School.

Nearly all the parents and pupils of the High school have requested Mr. Ewart, the principal, to endeavor to have some arrangement made by which suitable lunches at the moderate cost of perhaps five cents, per pupil may be provided at the school. Mr. Ewart brought it before the committee at its last meeting, and expressed this desire of the parents. The committee took no action but it is understood that they will give the matter careful consideration and report later. Those parents and pupils who desire to see such lunches provided will do well to speak with individual members of the committee when opportunity offers.

The providing of suitable lunches at school for the nominal price of five cents is no new thing. Twenty-three schools in and about Boston at the present time provide such lunches, and the excellent results in the health, vitality and power of the pupils is so apparent that they are heartily indorsed wherever provided.

In the High schools of Boston the matter of providing lunches is left in the hands of the New England Kitchen. In order to give an idea of the nature of the lunches provided we can do no better than to mention what is provided in Boston for example for five cents, a pupil can buy a cup of hot cocoa together with any one of the following: an apple, an orange, banana bread, roll, crackers, of various kinds, etc. If a pupil does not care for cocoa he may have instead a glass of milk. On certain days hot soups or chowders are prepared and served with soda crackers for the same price as before mentioned. Of course it will be seen that in the preparation of these various articles the one in charge must be well informed as to the best method of cooking in order that no unhealthful product may be placed before the pupils, this is very ably managed for Boston by the New Enlgand Kitchen.

Prize Drill.

At a prize drill under the auspices of Co. A, 5th infantry, M. V. M., at Charlestown last evening, the prizes of gold, silver and bronze medals were won by Sergt. W. J. Lutes of Malden, company L. 5th infantry; Corp. Herbert L. Smith of Cambridge, battery B, 1st heavy artillery, and Sergt. C. P. Green of Natick, of company I 9th infantry. Dancing followed the award of the prizes. Sergt. Albert A. Leonard was floor director.

—New York is not considered slow, but it still has eight thousand street-car horses. If it were Philadelphia one might not be surprised; but New York!—Boston Beacon.

BRITISH SUCCESS.

It Means Progress and Justice in South Africa.

A paper on the above subject was read, Thursday evening by Mr. A. Grassick to the Quincy Band Literary Society.

In the valley of the Nile, he said, we first find a civil government and political institutions established. There is however, no evidences to show that this civilization penetrated to the millions of people to the south and west. That the commercial possibilities of this vast country presented great opportunities and engendered more bitter rivalries than even at the present time, is well attested by the fact that the Phoenicians, a nation of traders, established a colony on the north coast, from which arose the great city of Carthage. Their trade and prosperity extended to many parts, which was practically a monopoly, and excited the envy of Greece and Rome, causing wars that finally brought destruction to the republic.

To the student of history the question may suggest itself. Is history about to repeat itself in the case of Great Britain? While the two cases have some features in common there is no general similarity. Great Britain exercises no monopoly of trade nor exact special privileges. The territory she opens is free to the commerce of the world, subject only to the rules necessary for the maintenance of law and order.

In view of British possession and commerce in the east, it is not surprising that when the opportunity offered on the adjustment of the relation of the European powers, after the fall of Napoleon, she came into possession of Cape Colony with its important seaport, on her direct line of commerce with the east.

Africa now is mostly partitioned off among the European nations, and is therefore an important subject of their colonial policy. Britain however, is the dominating factor on account of her more extended influence there and elsewhere.

Since British occupation of South Africa, she has had to wage many wars for the purpose of shielding those under her protection, and to punish her enemies. On the other side of the continent, her policy, since 1869, when the Suez canal was completed, has been one of aggression and rule. That she has been successful, no one will gainsay who has watched the establishment and progress of law, order and sound financiering in Egypt and the Soudan.

Her work there puts her in the very forefront of nations as an empire builder.

But perhaps the most interesting, certainly the most perplexing problem for British statesmen, is the government of her possessions in South Africa. The various governments there have proved anything but a peaceful aggregation, and today Britain is pouring forth blood and treasure for the purpose of subjugating a race, who have in turn fought her and craved her protection from the savages of that country. No doubt both sides are somewhat accountable for the conditions now existing, but that Britain will finally overcome and establish a rule, which will be more in harmony with progress and justice to all, probably few doubts, as the love and loyalty of her widely scattered colonies emphatically attest.

The paper was an exceptionally long one and covered the whole history of British interest in all parts of Africa.

The large attendance of members commented very freely and favorably on Mr. Grassick's views of the subject, and his award at the conclusion was a hearty vote of thanks.

Next Thursday evening, Mr. R. C. Allan will give a paper on "The pursuit of knowledge."

Beautiful Model.

Herbert W. Beattie, the sculptor, is modelling a portrait statue of Master Freddie Ulley, the boy soprano of Montreal, Canada. As a boy of delightful manners and great promise, his sudden death which occurred the night following his masterful singing of the solo "Where is Heaven," was a sad bereavement to all acquainted with him and his art. In the statue he is represented as resting easily with his arm against a doric column, with the head well posed, and holding in his hand his last piece, "Where is Heaven." It is a beautiful piece of modelling, and Mr. Beattie has added another masterpiece to his long list of beautiful models.

—Thirty-eight members of the present congress have at some time or other been connected with newspapers. How they have happened to sink so low since then has not been stated.—Boston Globe.

LABOR.

War not on him! His dread artillery
Doth lie in idle arm and rusting tool.
And, lo, he sets his ruthless legions free
When once he lets his sullen anvils cool!
—Arthur Stringer in Harper's Magazine.

IN A THUNDERSTORM

Showing That It Is Dangerous to Kiss a Sleeping Beauty.

There are some curious people at Bessing-on-Sea, and they entertain peculiar ideas as to what is the safest thing to do in a thunderstorm. My experience of their quaintness in this respect was a very brief one, but my recollections of it are remarkably vivid and distinct.

I went down to Bessing to spend a fortnight's vacation with my Aunt Esther, and the thunderstorm took place on the morning after my somewhat sudden arrival. Immediately after breakfast the atmosphere became hushed and sullen, while clouds of a heavy bluish complexion gathered overhead. My aunt viewed these omens with manifest uneasiness, natural, I thought, in a nervous old lady. Presently she left me to myself, and I retired to my own room to write a letter or two. This took me about an hour, and the storm was still gathering when I had finished.

The hush which prevailed without seemed to have found its way to the inmost quarters of my aunt's household, for there was not a sound to be heard anywhere. After some trouble I discovered Aunt Esther in the library, seated in an easy chair, with her eyes fast closed. The expression she wore was one of intense pain.

"Good gracious, aunt?" I cried. "What on earth is the matter?"

She opened her eyes suddenly. "Dear me, Harold," she said mildly, "how you startled me! There is nothing the matter. It is the thunderstorm."

"The thunderstorm?"

"Yes. I am very nervous about thunder, and I have found that the best thing to do is to try to forget it. I sit down with my eyes closed and try to concentrate my thoughts upon something else. Indeed I have found this plan most successful."

"Really?" I asked. "And are all your servants doing the same?"

"Yes," answered the old lady gravely. "I have ordered them to do so."

This accounted for the prevailing silence. The cook, the housemaid and probably the gardener were all sitting down in the kitchen with their eyes closed trying hard to concentrate their thoughts on anything but the storm. Before I had quite realized this Aunt Esther went on:

"I am not so foolish as some people about thunder. I know one person who refuses to stay in the house at such times because there are so many steel articles about her. Mine, however, is a good plan, and I give my servants the full benefit of it. I think, Harold"—

In another moment she might have ordered me to follow the general example, so I left the room hastily. I sat down in the hall for a few moments, to enjoy the vision which her words had suggested, then I took my traveling cap from the stand and went into the garden.

Aunt Esther's garden, which I had not seen for some ten years, was an extensive and old fashioned one, with wide walks and the privacy secured by high stone walls. On reaching the farther end I found that the house behind me was quite hidden from view by the abundance of foliage. Before me was the wall, covered by peach and pear trees, and against the wall stood a light hand ladder. The gardener had left it there when he had been called in to concentrate his thoughts upon something else.

I felt an idle curiosity to know what was on the other side of the wall. Probably I should find a field, or perhaps another garden. With cautious steps I began to mount the ladder.

Slowly my head rose above the wall. It was a large garden that came into view, with a house half concealed among the trees. Everything was very still, and there seemed to be nobody about. I raised myself another step, to make a closer scrutiny.

Then I gave a start and for a moment drew back. It was only for a moment, for then, with increasing boldness, I was peering down at the scene which had startled me.

Just below, built against the wall, was a kind of rustic summer house. It was a wooden erection, covered with the ornamental bark so frequently used for flower boxes. There was no door, but it was open at the end, and within I could see a couple of tall carpet chairs and a wicker table. On the table lay two books, one of them open, and in one of the chairs sat a lady. The first glance told me that she was fast asleep; the second, that she was young and charming—quite young and decidedly charming!

For some seconds I could only gaze helplessly. She sat leaning back, with her face turned in my direction and a Tam O'Shanter cap set daintily upon her head. Her gloveless hands were delightfully white and small.

When I had observed all these points, I mounted a step higher!

Let me say here that I am shockingly susceptible and exceedingly romantic. The sound of a girl's voice, the very rustle of her skirts, can always set my pulse in rapid motion, while I am prepared to read the opening of a romance in a simple chance meeting or in the commonest everyday remark. As a rule, I am shy and reserved; but, like some other men of this character, I can occasionally act in an absolutely reckless and daredevil way. These facts must be taken in explanation of my further conduct.

I gazed upon that picture for another minute. Then I mounted another step. Again I gazed for a space, and then I found myself seated astride the wall. By this time the spirit of adventure was in me, and I was capable of any madness. A thousand foolish and romantic fancies came rushing to my brain. I was already in love!

Who and what the sleeper was, her name, nature and station—all these had nothing to do with the matter. Happy chance and a providential thunderstorm no doubt had sent her to sleep with the book open before her.

I looked the ground carefully over, but there was no sign of life. While I was doing this I thought I heard the sleeper stir, but when I glanced quickly down she was as still as ever. With perfect caution I lifted the ladder over and let it down on the other side. A moment later I was in the entrance to the summer house.

Save for the breathing of the sleeper the stillness was almost painful. It occurred to me once to wonder what she would say if she found me there, but I did not trouble to answer the question. I had read of similar cases before, and everything always came out nicely. Of course she would see at once the romance and beauty of the situation. I felt quite sure of this when I saw that the book before her was a volume of Tennyson, open at "The Coming of Arthur." My own name is Arthur—Harold Arthur Simpson.

She was absolutely charming. Beneath the rakish cap stray curls of dark, glossy hair wandered down to the graceful little ears and about the ivory temples. The cheeks were rather pale, and the lips were closed just a trifle too firmly for perfect repose, but—but all that only seemed to increase the charm. I did not gaze too earnestly, fearing to disturb her, and presently took up the other book which lay on the table. It was a morocco bound autograph album, with the majority of the leaves empty. I turned them silently to read a number of unfamiliar names and commonplace quotations. While I was doing this a bright idea came to me, full of the spirit of romance. I would write something in the album!

As I searched for my pencil I decided what this something should be. Finding a vacant page, I quickly drew upon it the outline of a heart. Within this I wrote the name "Arthur." When she awoke after I had gone, she would find this symbol and know that her prince had been with her. I would leave the book open at that place.

Prince! As I laid the book down another thought flashed to my mind. It made my heart beat madly and sent the hot blood rushing to my cheeks. Here was the sleeping beauty—here was the prince. There was one thing wanting to make the story whole—one thing.

Somehow I felt that it would not waken her; otherwise perhaps I should not have dared. But her slumber was sound, and I was strung to the highest pitch of reckless excitement. No, it would not waken her. It would be but a touch.

With intense caution I drew nearer. There was no difficulty whatever, for her face was turned toward me. I trembled as I bent down; the fragrance of her breath was in my face, and then—it was just a touch, and nothing more.

But it sent a tremor through her frame as from a shock. For a breathless moment I stood still behind her chair, and then I saw the madness, the utter folly, of what I had done. I had a vague thought of police, and turned cold with fear.

But she did not wake, and I passed out like a shadow. Some instinct impelled me to close that awful album as I turned away. In another three seconds, it seemed, I had climbed the waiting ladder, drawn it up after me and placed it in its first position. I was back in Aunt Esther's garden, tremulous with mingled dread and triumph.

"Good heavens!" I said to myself. "That was the maddest thing a man ever did."

I walked twice around the garden to quiet my nerves and then went indoors. With the relief of my sudden panic came the desire to know more about my sleeping beauty. The romance had begun well, and now it should move forward. I had some 12 days in which to work it out.

Naturally I had forgotten all about the thunderstorm, but now I found that it had passed over without breaking. The skies were clearer, and my aunt had gone to the kitchen to make arrangements for luncheon. As soon as she came back I opened the subject.

"Aunt Esther," I said, "whose is the garden next to yours? When I looked over the wall, I saw a young woman sitting in a little summer house, fast asleep."

My aunt seemed surprised. "Asleep?" she said. "That is strange. But it must have been Mrs. Portingdale."

"Mrs. Portingdale!" I gasped. "Mrs."—

"Yes," said Aunt Esther quietly. "She is the person I was about to tell you of this morning. When there is thunder about, she dare not stay in the house, because there are so many steel articles in it. She goes to that ridiculous little summer house until the storm is over. But she could hardly have gone to sleep there. She would be too nervous."

I felt a horrible sensation of bewilderment.

"But—but," I cried helplessly, "this was quite a young girl. She was not 20"—

"Mrs. Portingdale," said my aunt, nodding, "is just 20. She was married six months ago. There is no other young woman there."

These measured words struck me with dumbness. Aunt Esther looked at my face with increasing surprise and seemed just about to ask a question when a noisy interruption took place. The front door bell was rung with an alarming clang, clang, clang, eloquent of haste and urgency. We heard the housemaid running to the door, and then there was a sound of voices. We listened and waited, my aunt in surprise, myself in growing guilt and fear.

In a moment the housemaid knocked and entered. "If you please, ma'am," she said excitedly, "Mr. Portingdale's compliments, and can you run over to see Mrs. Portingdale? She has had a fright in the garden and fainted!"

My aunt rose in agitation, but she was not the one to delay a kindness for the sake of asking questions.

"Dear me, dear me!" she said in distress. "It must have been the thunder. Ask the girl to wait, Mary, and I'll go back with her."

The messenger was taken to the kitchen, to tell her story at greater length, while Aunt Esther hurried up stairs for her bonnet and mantle. Five minutes later she came down again and left the house with the girl. As soon as she had disappeared I went to find the housemaid.

"Mary," I said hastily, "what did the girl tell you? What is wrong with Mrs. Portingdale?"

And Mary told me, pleased to find an interested listener. The first part of the story was exactly as I expected to find it. Mrs. Portingdale had gone to the summer house because of the thunderstorm and had taken a couple of books with her. The heaviness of the air had given her a headache, and she had closed her eyes for awhile to rest them. Presently a slight sound had disturbed her, and, looking up, she had seen a most terrifying sight.

"It was a lunatic, sir," said Mary, "sitting on the wall and looking around the garden so eager and fierce-like it made the poor lady's blood run cold to see him. She knew at once that he must have escaped from the Bessing asylum, because his was a strange face, and such things are happening continually. So she shut her eyes fast, knowing that her only chance was to pretend to be asleep. Then he got down off the wall and came and stared at her for ever so long, she almost dying of fear. It must have been awful! Then she peeped again between her eyelashes, and there was the madman grinning, sillylike, over her books. After that he was still so long that she expected every second that he would spring at her, but he didn't. What do you think he did, sir?"

"Who knows?" I gasped, falsely and painfully.

"Well, sir, he—he kissed her!" Mary blushed at that point, even in her excitement. "Fancy being kissed by a lunatic! It sent cold shivers all through the poor woman, and indeed it must have been a horrible feeling, but she didn't stir a finger. Then there was quiet so long that she made bold to peep again, and, lo and behold, he was clean gone! Then she fainted right away and didn't come to until her husband found her, and after she had told them all about it she had another faint. So Mr. Portingdale sent around for our mistress to go there at once. And that's all I know about it, sir."

It was quite sufficient. I dismissed Mary and sat down in a state of mind which it is impossible to describe. A married woman! I pondered it hastily. I had been a lunatic indeed! Perhaps at that very moment the poor woman was giving a full and accurate description of my person to an inspector of police and to my appalled Aunt Esther!

I sprang from the chair and rushed to my room. I have packed quickly on various occasions, but never so quickly as I did this time. An omnibus passed the door once in every half hour, and I watched from my window for its appearance at the head of the road. When it came in sight, I ran down stairs with my bag in my hand.

Mary was the only one to see me go. I left her with a confused impression that an urgent telegram had come for me and that a strike had taken place in my department at the general post-office. Before she could utter a question I had passed the outer gates and hailed the omnibus. Twenty minutes later I was at the railway station.

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As I have already said, there are people at Bessing-on-Sea who have curious ideas as to what is the best thing to do in a thunderstorm. It is to their quaintness in this respect that I owe the vivid and painful experience related above.

I had not the courage to write to my aunt, but in a few days received a note from her. The affair had not developed to any great extent after all. As no patient had escaped from the local asylum and as Mrs. Portingdale had only very vague ideas as to the stranger's appearance, people soon began to believe that she had fallen asleep in the summer house and that her constant dread of lunatics had produced a kind of nightmare. In a few days she was persuaded to adopt the same impression herself. Curiously enough, Aunt Esther was able to set her last doubt at rest by secondhand evidence. Her dear nephew Harold, from London, who had only arrived the previous evening and who had been called back to town almost immediately, had been walking in the garden that morning and had chanced to look over the boundary wall. There he had seen Mrs. Portingdale fast asleep and probably at that very moment in the throes of her awful dream.

My aunt closed her letter with the hope that the strike—which she would read up in the daily paper as soon as she could find the place—would soon be over, so that I might run down again to complete my holiday.

I have no intention of going. Though I may object to being called a nightmare, I cannot help seeing that Mrs. Portingdale's last impression of her adventure is a very satisfactory one. She may revise it when she comes to examine her album, but in the meantime I have no wish to disturb it by introducing her to the lunatic in person.—Chambers' Journal.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For Week Beginning March 25—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—The glory of obedience.—Math. xxi, 28-32.

The topic is illustrated by the parable of the two sons, in which Christ leads the fault finding Jews to condemn themselves and pay a tribute to the obedience of the gentiles.

THE PARABLE.

"A certain man had two sons, and he came to the first and said, 'Son, go work today in my vineyard.' He answered and said, 'I will not,' but afterward he repented and went. And he came to the second and said likewise. And he answered and said, 'I go, sir,' and he went not. Whether of the twain did the will of his father?"

THE INTERPRETATION.

The father is God. The first son represents the gentiles, the second the Jews. The vineyard is the church. The gentiles represent the unregenerate sinner, who makes no pretension, at the first call, to serve God; but, then, after thought and consideration, he repents and does serve him. The Jews, on the other hand, pretended to serve God, but were hypocritical in their pretenses. They said, "I go, sir," but went not. Of the two classes, the former, of course, came nearer to doing the will of God.

THE APPLICATION.

Though Christ spoke this parable for the benefit of the chief priests and elders who were trying to entrap Him, yet it has a universal application. The representatives of these two types of people have been in the world in all ages and are here today. The first makes no pretension of serving God and often boasts of the fact that they are not hypocrities at least, but this does not relieve them of the sin of disobedience. The man who shamelessly and boastfully proclaims his disobedience does not thereby relieve himself of it. It is not the confession of the boaster, but the confession of the penitent, that brings forgiveness and pardon. It was only when this son repented and obeyed his father that he was worthy of praise, and, therefore, how much better it would have been had he willingly obeyed from the first call. And what a risk he ran in disobeying for a time! The opportunity to repent and to do his father's will might never have come to him again. It is only by comparison with the other class that glory is attached to his obedience. The noblest glory shines round our obedience when at the first command, "Go work," we answer, "I go, sir," and then go.

The second class represents those whose religion is only a hypocritical pretense. They profess to be doing God's will while they are not doing it. They say, "I go," and go not. They have the form of godliness, but not the power. They have a name to live, but are dead. Let us guard ourselves against the error of this class. If we have said, "I go," let us go; let us willingly obey, at any cost or sacrifice, for if we do not obey God we shall come short of the glory of God. "Obedience is better than sacrifice," for without obedience no sacrifice is acceptable unto God.

THE PRAYER MEETING.

Have a Bible class meeting. Let the leader have a Bible in his hand as he opens the topic, passing it to another when he closes, as a signal for him to take part, and he to another, until all have taken part.

Bible Readings.—Ex. xix, 5, 6; xxiii, 20-22; Lev. xxvi, 1-7; Deut. xxviii, 1-11; I Sam. xv, 22; Isa. i, 18-20; Jer. vii, 23; xxvi, 12, 13; xxxviii, 17-20; Acts v, 29; Rom. v, 19; Phil. ii, 5-12; Heb. xi, 8-10; Rev. xxii, 14.

The Rush of Modern Times.

The dire effect of the present driving rate at which life is forced along is beginning to show itself in two important directions. First, while the average of life is longer because of the improved condition of child life, the life of men and women, but especially men, is growing shorter. The pressure to go fast is making men old before their time and is laying many of them in the grave. Good John Woolman, the American Quaker of last century, used to say that God never meant men to toil and moil as they generally do for a living, and, somehow, we shall have to be brought to the conclusion "that man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God." This rush all day long is lot life. Second, with this rapidity of pace we are told that originality is becoming rarer every year and "a casual type of mind" is being developed. The pleasures of the mind are being sacrificed notwithstanding the diffusion of a certain type of education. We are starving ourselves in order to live. The quieter and more meditative way suggested by Scripture profits both soul and body.—Christian.

To Those Who Hesitate.

In every man's life there come moments when he is called to decide whether to go forward or to stand still. Timidity says, "Hesitate." Prudence says: "Be not too hasty. Take aim." Self interest says: "You may hurt yourself. You may run risks. You may injure your prospects of worldly success." But conscience says: "The hour has come. Go and do your duty." And everything generous and noble in the heart responds and says, "Amen!"—Christian Uplook.

Protestantism In Austria.

From official reports of Protestant pastors in Austria for the period Jan. 1 to June 30, 1899, we learn that 1,876 men, 912 women and 536 children, or 3,275 in all, during that time left the Catholic church to become Protestants. In previous years the average accessions from all sources for the same period to Protestant churches were only 656. Among the converts is Alois Walch, formerly priest of the Servite order.—Exchange.

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SHOOTING OF GOEBEL.

Warden Lillard Thinks Fatal Shot Was Fired Fr m Powers' Office.

Sergeant Golden Likely to Go on the Witness Stand.

Prosecution Claims to Have Sufficient Evidence to Hold Secretary of State.

Frankfort, Ky., March 24.—A squad of 70 extra police and deputy sheriffs guarded the outer entrance to the court-house yesterday, while a file of soldiers stood at the doors and passed on the credentials of persons entering the room, when the hearing of the men charged with complicity in the murder of Governor Goebel was called. The general public was excluded by an order of Judge Moore, only attorneys, relatives of the accused, witnesses and officers of the court being admitted. Those admitted, however, soon filled the court-house on the second floor of the building. The Lexington and Winchester companies, armed with Winchesters, were stationed through various rooms. Not much more than the ordinary crowd was on the streets, and there was no excitement.

The witnesses yesterday included Warden Eph Lillard, Detective Armstrong, Sheriff Bosworth of Fayette county, who arrested Secretary Powers and Captain Davis, and Silas Jones, who is now under bonds, charged with complicity in the murder.

Ex-Governor Brown read the warrant against Powers, charging him with being an accessory to the murder of William Goebel, and asked dismissal of the defendant on the ground that the warrant was fatally defective in not alleging that the crime was committed in Franklin county, and did not even show the offense to have been committed in Kentucky. Judge Moore overruled the objection to the form of the warrant.

Eph Lillard, warden of the Frankfort penitentiary, was the first witness sworn. He testified that he was with Senator Goebel when the latter was shot. He walked ahead of Senator Goebel and was just entering the state house when the shot was fired. He turned back from the state house steps and saw what had happened. He looked toward the executive building and saw that the second window of the corner room was slightly raised. This was the office of the secretary of state. He thought the shot had been fired from this room. There were several other shots, but, he said, they did not come from the same place. The first shot was evidently from a rifle, while the others seemed to be from pistols.

Policeman Thompson testified that as the crowd was carrying Senator Goebel out of the yard he saw armed men at the entrance to the executive building and recognized John Davis and Perry Howard among them.

The strongest evidence, perhaps, was given by Silas Jones, who was in Governor Taylor's ante-room when the shooting took place. No evidence was adduced tending to show that the defendant was implicated in any conspiracy, but in one of the frequent wordy disputes between the attorneys for the defense and the commonwealth the fact was brought out that Sergeant E. W. Golden, who is said to have made a confession, will be put on the witness stand before the hearing ends.

The testimony tended to show that the shots came from that section of the executive building in which Secretary Powers' office is located, although no one swore that the shots were from the secretary's office.

Prosecuting Attorney Potsgrove said that sufficient evidence had already been heard to warrant holding Powers, but that the case would be much stronger before he was through. Former Governor Brown, for the defense, expressed himself as well pleased with the situation, regarding the evidence so far as decidedly weak. It is probable that all of the witnesses for the prosecution will be heard by this afternoon.

An incident occurred during the afternoon that showed the feeling and also how the people are prepared for emergencies. A soldier in the rear courtyard dropped his revolver on the stone flagging and it exploded. In an instant every man in the crowded courtroom was on his feet, fully a third of them with their hands to their rear pockets.

May Go In Eastern Circuit.

New York, March 24.—Whether Baltimore and Washington, the eastern cities deserted by the National league, will become a part of the Eastern league circuit now rests entirely with the minor leaguers themselves, an agreement having been reached by which the Eastern league can include both Washington and Baltimore in its circuit. What the terms of the agreement are could not be learned, but they are said to be satisfactory to both organizations.

Captain Ward Held In $5000.

Galveston, March 24.—Captain Ward of the steamer Lawrence has been given a preliminary hearing on a charge of murder in the shooting of Michael Mellingen, boatswain's mate on the gunboat Machias, now in port with the battleships Texas and New York. The court held Ward to answer to the charge in $5000 bond.

VOTE ON PARTY LINES.

Puerto R can Appropriation Bill Passed by the Senate, 35 to 15.

Washington, March 24.—The senate yesterday adopted the conference report on the Puerto Rican relief bill, by a vote of 35 to 15, practically a strict party expression. No Democrat voted for the report, but Mr. Stewart (Nev.) voted with the Republicans.

The time of discussion was consumed principally by Mr. Tillman (Dem., S. C.), who made a fiery attack upon the measure as agreed upon in conference, and accused the Republican senators and the Republican party of indirection, hypocrisy and "dirty work." His speech was quite characteristic, and was listened to with interest by his colleagues on the floor and the people in the galleries.

Mr. Gallinger (Rep., N. H.) followed with a temperate statement of those who not only favored the report, but the passage of a Puerto Rican tariff bill.

Mr. Spooner (Rep., Wis.) closed the debate with a forceful statement in opposition to Mr. Tillman's speech, in the course of which he took occasion sharply to criticise the South Carolina senator for dragging the measure into politics. His colloquial tilts with Mr. Tillman were immensely enjoyed by the auditors.

The house gave the day to private pension bills, passing 142 of these measures. Late in the day Mr. Talbert raised a point of no quorum, and as the attendance was small a quorum was secured only after a call of the house and some delay. The conference report on the Puerto Rican relief bill was presented and 1 p. m. today set as the time for voting on it.

Public Ownership of Monopolies.

Springfield, Mass., March 24.—Governor Pingree of Michigan, President Harris of Amherst college, Lieutenant Governor Bates of Massachusetts and ex-Mayor Field of Northampton, were the guests and principal speakers at the 11th annual banquet of the board of trade held in this city last night. After the recognition of the commonwealth by Lieutenant Governor Bates, Governor Pingree gave an exhaustive address on the problems of municipal government as seen in Detroit. He argued for public ownership of all necessary monopolies, speaking along his familiar lines. President Harris explained the immense superiority of educated men in business, and of the necessity for the business men to send their sons to college.

Fell Into Cannibals' Hands.

Vancouver, B. C., March 24.—The steamer Warrimoo brings from Dutch New Guiana the account of the devouring of three officers of the steamer General Pell by cannibals, who caught them while on shore taking photographs. Ernest Wiegan, one of the party, was wounded by arrows, and while hiding saw the barbarians tie his three companions to trees, cut off portions of their living flesh and finally roast and devour them. The Dutch man-of-war Sumarta is reported as prepared to avenge the atrocities.

Lynching More Than Likely.

Richmond, March 24.—A negro named Cotton, who escaped from the Portsmouth, Va., jail some months ago, while under sentence of death, and who, with a white man, was concerned in the killing of Justice of the Peace Saunders and Mr. Welton, at Skippers, was, after an all night chase, captured at Stony creek yesterday. He confessed to shooting Saunders and Welton and to several robberies. He was taken to the jail at Emporia, where it is feared there will be a lynching.

No Reduction In Price of Milk.

Boston, March 24.—The price of milk in this neighborhood for the summer will remain at the same figure as during the winter months, this being a departure from the existing rule, it being represented as an argument on behalf of the farmers that the cost of cows' feed and labor had advanced for the past year, so that a reduction or price to last summer's level could not be made without putting the price below the cost of production.

Six Got Away.

Fall River, Mass., March 24.—A. L. Gray, wearing an overcoat with a Boston firm's mark on it, was taken into custody last night, suspected of being mixed up in a series of robberies at Brockton and Taunton. Seven men came to this city and were detected thieving in a local store. Inspector Medley caught Gray with a roll of goods, but the six others escaped, taking different routes.

Three College Presidents Present.

Boston, March 24.—The Cornell men of New England gave a dinner last night in honor of President Schurman, and had an opportunity to fraternize with the heads of two big educational institutions of Massachusetts, President Eliot of Harvard and President Crafts of the Massachusetts institute of technology. The three presidents addressed the gathering afterward.

Three Men Killed and One Dying.

Muncie, Ind., March 24.—The James Nickum saw mill, six miles southwest of Muncie, was destroyed by an explosion last evening. Three men are dead, one more will die, and three others were injured. The explosion resulted from the water pump becoming broken when the boiler had on a full head of steam.

Jones Out of the Race.

Little Rock, March 24. — Governor Jones announces his withdrawal from the senatorial race, leaving the field clear to Senator Berry, who is seeking re-election.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.

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ADVANCE NOT HURRIED

Methuen Will Push Aside Opposition "When the Proper Time Comes."

Roberts' Main Army Is Still Waiting at Bloemfontein.

Will Soon Have Seventy Thousand Men at His Disposal at the Front.

London, March 24.—A dispatch to The Daily News from Warrenton, dated Thursday, describing Lord Methuen's position there, says: A small flanking force, sent through Boshof, secured an important crossing, where the pont, or ferry, had been destroyed, but, foreseeing this, Lord Methuen had another pont built which is ready to be sent thither when an advance is considered opportune. The cavalry and infantry column is en route for this point. Thus the position of the Boers at Fourteen Streams is formidably threatened.

Lord Methuen's advance has not been hurried to the relief of Mafeking, where the pressure apparently has been relaxed as a result of operations elsewhere; but he is confident of his ability to push aside the opposition on the Vaal river when the proper time comes.

Lord Roberts' main army continues waiting at Bloemfontein. No very important movement on the part of the British seems likely until the supply depots have replenished to meet the requirements of the large bodies of troops being assembled at the principal centers of operations; while the Boers, with the exception of those around Mafeking, are carrying out a policy of concentration and retreat.

The sentimental interest in the fate of Mafeking has intensified with Colonel Plumer's forced retirement to Crocodile Pools, where he was two months ago. Relief from the north now dwindles to improbabilities.

General French's cavalry and mounted infantry, according to a rumor, are fighting somewhere east of Bloemfontein. This suggests more Boer bad news, as Commandant Olivier's commando, with 2000 wagons, is reported on the Basutoland frontier, toiling northward toward Kroonstadt, via Ladybrand. This enormous wagon train is supposed to be moving 25 miles a day. General French's cavalry posts stretch from Bloemfontein eastward to the mountains.

General Buller has not yet moved in Natal. The eighth division will go direct to Bloemfontein. Lord Roberts' effective disposal at the front 10 days hence will be, it is estimated, 70,000 men, with the easy possibility of moving eastward, forcing the Boers to evacuate the Biggarsberg range, and joining hands with General Buller before continuing the promenade to Pretoria.

The absence of any reply from either the French or Russian governments to the recent appeal of the two presidents, while responses have been received from all the others, is causing comment at the Transvaal capital, and apparently raising hopes that some kind of help may come from that quarter.

Nothing seems yet to have been decided as to whether the mines of Johannesburg shall be destroyed on the approach of the British. In the meantime Lord Roberts reports numerous submissions on the part of the Free Staters, and the measures he is taking to secure their fidelity to their oath of surrender.

It is reported from Springfontein that Mr. Steyn has been deposed from the presidency, and that the public affairs of the Free State are being administered by a committee at Kroonstadt.

Cleveland Strike Is Spreading.

Cleveland, March 24.—At the strikers headquarters it is stated that the machinists in 13 additional shops, with a total of 421 men, had joined the strike movement yesterday, making the exact number of men now out 1802. This does not include a large number of men in other trades who have been made idle as a result of the machinists' strike.

Tom Watson For President.

Indianapolis, March 24.—Secretary Walter of the middle-of-the-road Populists is preparing to leave for an extended visit to the various state organizations. "Tom Watson of Georgia can have the nomination for president if he wants it," says Mr. Walter, "and I believe B. F. Fay of Minneapolis will be his running mate."

Children Entertain Dewey.

Macon, Ga., March 24.—Despite a drizzling rain, Admiral Dewey and party yesterday reviewed thousands of school children. The Gordon Institute cadets of Barnsville formed his escort. Last night a reception was given the admiral at the Cherokee club, where he and Mrs. Dewey met the representatives of the city's social life.

Flood Caused by Ice Gorge.

Monroe, Mich., March 24.—Monroe is in the midst of a great flood. The ice below the Lake Shore bridge is still solid, and the ice has begun running from above. The better portion of the third ward is under four feet of water. Great damage has already been done. The city authorities have decided to dynamite the ice gorge.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
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Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free)

FOR MIDDLE-AGED WOMEN.

Two Letters from Women Helped Through the "Change of Life" by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—When I first wrote to you I was in a very bad condition. I was passing through the change of life, and the doctors said I had bladder and liver trouble. I had suffered for nine years. Doctors failed to do me any good. Since I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, my health has improved very much. I will gladly recommend your medicine to others and am sure that it will prove as great a blessing to them as it has to me."—MRS. GEO. H. JUNE, 901 DeKalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Relief Came Promptly

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I had been under treatment with the doctors for four years, and seemed to get no better, I thought I would try your medicine. My trouble was change of life, and I must say that I never had anything help me so much as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Relief came almost immediately. I have better health now than I ever had. I feel like a new woman, perfectly strong. I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound all the credit, and would not do without her medicine for anything. I have recommended it to several of my friends. There is no need of women suffering so much for Mrs. Pinkham's remedies are a sure cure."—MAHALA BUTLER, Bridgewater, Ill.

Another Woman Helped

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound during change of life and derived great benefit from its use."—MARY E. JAMES, 136 Coydon St., Bradford, Pa.

BATSON ON SICK LEAVE.

Officer Who Organized Macabebe Scouts Suffering From a Shattered Foot.

Washington, March 24.—Captain M. A. Batson, Fourth cavalry, who achieved distinction in the Philippines during the active campaign of last summer and winter, in command of the "Macabebe scouts," has arrived here on sick leave of absence. He is suffering from a shattered foot, the result of injuries received during the pursuit of a body of fleeing Filipino insurgents.

CAPTAIN M. A. BATSON.

The employment of the native Macabebes as American scouts was due to the suggestion of Captain Batson. He organized a company of about 200 of these hardy natives, and did excellent service with them as advance guards of the troops which penetrated the northern fastnesses of the insurgents, and completely destroyed active resistance to the American forces in that section of Luzon.

Extreme Suffering In Puerto Rico.

Ponce, P. R., March 24.—The situation here is now more serious than it has been at any time before or since the terrible hurricane. In many places the poor are starving. The prices of rice, beans and codfish have increased from 50 to 100 per cent. Demonstrations against the delay of the United States government in settling open questions have recently been held in many towns. Bad feeling is arising which it will take years to overcome. Even riots are threatened. Trouble is almost inevitable unless the tension is relieved. Even wealthy landowners cannot command ready cash; and many Americans are penniless, being glad to work for their board.

American Wares In Switzerland.

Washington, March 24.—Consul General Dubois at St. Gall, Switzerland, reports to the state department that the American watch case is having a field day in the land of watches to such a degree that the Swiss are making a general movement to modify the importation. To demonstrate the growth of American trade, the consul general says that one can now buy American watches in Berne; American ham and bacon in Basle, and that Swiss horses sleep on American straw. American hardware fills the shop windows and American shoes are in popular demand.

Eighteen Months In Jail.

Boston, March 24.—In the United States district court on Friday, Daniel F. Maloney, a clerk in the Somerville postoffice, was found guilty of stealing money from letters, and he was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment at hard labor in jail.

Boston's Death Rate Increased.

Boston, March 24.—The prevalence of grip the past week has sent the death rate to 346, the highest in 10 years. The majority of deaths show pneumonia and grip as the causes.

By C. H. JOHNSON. - - Auctioneer.
Office, Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

LARGE BUILDING

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

TO be torn down and all portion thereof to be removed in ten days from sale. Said building is known as the

PIERCE BLOCK

property of the Quincy & Boston Sfreet Railway, situated No. 4 Washington street, Quincy, will be sold on the premises MONDAY, April 2, 1900, at 2 P. M. The buyer will be held strictly to the condition of the sale,—building to be torn down and all portions thereof removed from said land in ten days from date of sale everything left upon the land at the expiration of above date will be claimed by said Company.
Terms Cash on day of sale.
Quincy, March 17. 5t-17-24-26-28-31

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Administrator's Sale at Public Auction

Of the Household Goods of the late Frederick Souther, will be sold at late residence, Mill street, Quincy, on FRIDAY, March 30, 1900, at 1.30 P. M.

The goods consist in part as follows:

PARLOR. Square Piano, Woolen Carpet, Rug, 7 H. C. Chairs, 2 H. C. Rockers, 1 Plush Rocker, H. C. Sofa, fine large Glass, Music Rack, Music Stool, Pictures, Table.

SITTING ROOM. Stewart Parlor Stove, Woolen Carpet, Eight-day Clock, Large Glass, Bed Lounge, B. Lamp, eight foot Extension Table, 3 Chairs, one Round Chair, lot of Glassware in closet.

KITCHEN. Range, 4 Lamps, Curtains, Table, 4 Chairs, Clothes Horse, Bureau, Bench, Lot Dishes, Mason Jars, Plates, odd, 2 Wash Boilers.

CHAMBER. Antique Secretary, Table, Bedstead, Pillows, Bolster, Straw Matting, Feather Beds, 2 Chairs, Stair Carpet.

SECOND CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, 4 Pillows, Sheets, Comforters, Bureau.

THIRD CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds. Commode, Pictures, Straw Matting, 2 Chairs, Rocker.

FOURTH CHAMBER. Antique Mahogany Bureau, Straw Matting, 2 Bureaus. 4 Chairs, H. C. Sofa, What Not, Pictures, Bed Ticking, Maps, Books, 2 Bags, Trunk.

STABLE. Saw, 4 Shovels, 4 Forks, Rakes, Tools, Bench, Chests, Desk, Anvil, Sick Chair, Window Glass, lot of Leather, Ship Carpenter Tools, lot of Wood, and a large variety of goods in both the House and Stable, the accumulation of years.

Sale Positive. Rain or Shine. Terms Cash.
Per order,
E. B. SOUTHER, Administrator.
March 20. 9t

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	31	23	32	56	43
Monday,	55	23	34	46	58
Tuesday,	65	35	33	57	39
Wednesday,	44	45	34	51	52
Thursday,	43	44	35	53	58
Friday,	58	51	37	60	49
Saturday,	39	38	37	45	40

New Advertisements Today.

Thayer Academy—"Sewing Wild Oats."
Geo. W. Jones—Best Quality Shoes.
Granite Clothing Co.—Hats.
Low Rates—New England Telephone Co.
J. W. Pratt—Houses for sale.

Good Afternoon.

We notice that pistols are worn where they can be easiest got at, this spring, in Kentucky and Tennessee political circles.

By almost a two-third vote the Senate endorsed the position previously taken by the House and by President McKinley—that the Constitution could only be extended to outside territory acquired by the United States by act of Congress.

Great stories from little incidents grow. A U. S. Warship was ordered from Manila to Taku, China, to look after American interests, and lo, the appearance of a sensational story in the yellow journals about the intention of this government to send a great fleet into Chinese waters and an army of invasion into China. Verily, it behooveth every man to know the character of the paper from which he gets his news.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Long skirts sweep the street just enough to collect a large assortment of disease germs, but not sufficiently to require the attendance of a hokey-pokey cart.—Lynn Item

☞ We shall probably have no state floral emblem this year. Leave to withdraw has been reported on the petition in favor of the trailing arbutus. The Mayflower would be neither more beautiful nor more famous than it is now were it an official emblem.—New Bedford Standard.

☞ The increased longevity of the average civilized man of the present in comparison with the average man of a century ago is the best indication of the popular growth of science, as exhibited in medicine, surgery, sanitation, invention and economics. From a little over thirty to forty years is a remarkable increase and an eloquent assurance of the present betterment in the living conditions of the masses. —New York Press.

Team A Wins Again.

The rooters were out in full force last night at the Merrymount club. Teams A and G rolled, A winning two out of the three. The third string was very close, A winning by only three pins. So far A leads in the tournament, having won eight out of twelve.

The score:

TEAM A.

	1	2	3	Total
Starrett,	74	84	77	235
Adams,	71	77	75	223
Fredericks,	71	74	89	234
Emery,	60	95	84	239
Baker,	61	86	61	208
	337	407	386	1139

TEAM G.

	1	2	3	Totl
F. M. Coe,	85	79	83	247
Thompson,	70	86	69	225
Bowker,	65	60	92	217
*Hunting,	65	65	65	195
C. L. Coe,	78	72	74	224
	363	362	383	1108

*Hunting absent, average taken less five pins each string.

An old Scotswoman when advised by her minister to take snuff to keep herself awake during the sermon, replied: "Why dinna ye put the snuff in the sermon, mon?"—Tid-Bits.

PASTOR 15 YEARS.

Sketch of Rev. A. A. Ellsworth of Braintree Who Resigns.

Last Sunday morning, at the close of the service, in the First Congregational church, Rev. A. A. Ellsworth read to his congregation his resignation, as follows:

To the First Congregational Church, Braintree,

Dear Brethren: It has long been my purpose to withdraw from this pastorate on the completion of fifteen years' service. The present seems to me a fitting time to carry out my intention, giving you, and allowing myself, the six months' notification stipulated in our compact.

My resignation is now offered to the church for their action, and may afterwards be submitted to the parish for their concurrence. At a proper time, I shall be glad to unite with you in calling a mutual council for my dismission.

Rejoicing in your growth and prosperity, and wishing you grace, mercy, and peace from God our Father, I am most sincerely,

Your brother in Christ,
A. A. Ellsworth.

Braintree, March 18, 1900.

The benediction was then pronounced after which the many warm friends of the faithful pastor, greeted him with a deep feeling of sorrow.

Mr. Ellsworth has been a devoted pastor and given himself to the interests of this historic church. It is needless to say that he has the respect and love of his people, especially those who knew him best. No one quotes him as perfect, but perfection is not found today. His long stay in the church shows in itself his sterling qualities.

Mr. Ellsworth was born in Bath, Maine, 67 years ago, receiving his public education in the Bath schools. His health, at the close of school, being poor, his parents thought it best for him to give up studying, and he came to Boston in 1852, entering the employ of a prosperous dry goods store at 32 Hanover street, next to the American House.

During his employment there for a year, he joined the Park street church and was induced by friends to study for the ministry.

Returning to Maine he attended Bridgeton, and Lewiston academies, later entering Amherst college.

Mr. Ellsworth while in college taught in a winter school to pay his expenses; graduating from Amherst in 1858.

Mr. Ellsworth says he largely missed an education in his efforts to get one. He went from Amherst to Colrain, Mass., and taught a private classical school, a year later entering the Union Theological Seminary in New York city. While there he was also engaged in missionary work. The next two years were spent in the Andover Theological Seminary, graduating in 1861.

Before graduating he received a call to Quincy, Ill., which he declined on account of the breaking out of the war.

In 1862 he received a call to Milford, Mass., which he accepted and Prof. Park of Andover preached the ordination sermon. After three years he was requested by the Congregational brethren to undertake the establishment of a church at Newbern, N. C. Dr. Horace James zealously advocating the movement. This request was fulfilled and under fire an independent Congregational church was established with difficulty.

The first services in Newbern were held in a hospital, which had been used by the soldiers. One night Rev. Mr. Ellsworth was notified by the editor of a local paper there that if services were held on a certain night he, Mr. Ellsworth, would be hanged, and at the same time he was told to leave the town inside of 24 hours.

Mr. Ellsworth never was a coward and replied to the editor by sending him an invitation to be present at the services, and bring his rope and lamp-post with him. The church that evening was crowded to the doors and there was no room for the editor to get in, except by a window, which was used, and a chair was given him near the speaker. The service passed off without incident. There were many negroes present armed to the teeth and several of them for several nights patrolled Mr. Ellsworth's residence to see that no hanging was done.

While at Newbern commissions were held by Mr. Ellsworth under the American Home Missionary, and the A. M. A. Also an appointment under Gen. Howard, of the Freedman's Bureau, as cashier of the branch of the Freedman's bank. In this latter office Mr. Ellsworth made his first address to the Freedmen, in regard to their political relation to the government and obligations to become educated and thrifty.

To this end he also published tracts which afterwards grew into the Republican paper in Newbern, arousing opposition to northern interference.

It may be well to add here that Mr. Stockwell the editor, referred to in hanging, was afterwards arrested as a "Kuklux" and lodged by the government in jail at Auburn, N. Y.

On account of the health of his family Mr. Ellsworth gave up his charge at Newbern and moved to Weymouth, Mass., where he preached as a supply at the Union church of Braintree and Weymouth.

From this church, he went west, plans being arranged that he take the pastorate of two churches, uniting, in Chicago, Ill. His plans were changed by the great Chicago fire, as he with his family were preparing to move west. Receiving a call from Waterloo, Iowa, they immediately started for that western city, and in passing through Chicago, the ruins of the city were still seen smoking.

After about five years at Waterloo, Mr. Ellsworth accepted a call to Galesburg, Ill., as pastor of the First Congregational church succeeding the late Dr. Edward Beecher. There his pastorate continued about nine years when Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth decided the east was the place to educate their children. They moved to Braintree in the fall of 1885. For one year Mr. Ellsworth filled the pulpit of the First Congregational church as a supply and was then settled there by council.

He has filled his pulpit in Braintree with almost perfect satisfaction ever since and will continue with his people until about Oct. 1.

Mr. Ellsworth has done some lecturing, especially in the west, giving addresses before colleges. He has written for the press in the east and the west, and several times filled the editor's chair.

In 1862 Miss A. G. Cook became the bride of the Rev. A. A. Ellsworth and to them six children were born. James D., and George D., were born at Milford, Mass.; Alfred J. and Samuel W. at Weymouth; Julia and Fannie at Waterloo, Iowa.

It will be interesting at this time, to our readers, to see a schedule of pastors of the First Congregational church, with the years they served, therefore the following:

Rev. Hugh Adams, 1707-1710.
Rev. Samuel Niles, 1711-1762.
Rev. Ezra Weld, 1762-1816.
Rev. Sylvester Sage, Colleague Pastor with Rev. Mr. Weld, 1807-1809.
Rev. Richard S. Storrs, 1811-1873.
Rev. Edwards A. Park, Colleague Pastor with Rev. Dr. Storrs, 1831-1834.
Rev. William S. Hubbell, acting pastor, 1867-1868.
Rev. Edward P. Tenney, acting pastor, 1870-1873.
Rev. Thomas A. Emerson, 1874-1885.
Rev. A. A. Ellsworth, 1885-1900.

Union Choral Society.

The annual meeting of the Choral society was held at the home of Mr. E. W. Stone, of Braintree Wednesday evening.

The treasurer reported all bills paid with a small sum in the treasury.

The following officers were elected:

President,—E. W. Stone.

Vice Presidents,—Mr. C. T. Crane, Dr. E. Bent, Mr. A. E. Avery.

Treasurer,—W. E. Arnold.

Secretary,—Mrs. T. H. Dearing.

Executive Committee, — E. W. Hobart, N. R. Procter, Mrs. E. C. Richards, L. W. Thayer, C. W. Crooker, S. W. Frazre, Miss A. M. Gutterson, G. D. Kingsbury, Mrs. E. W. Stone.

Music Committee,—Mrs. J. Worster, E. W. Stone, Mrs. A. R. French C. W. Crooker, A. E. Avery.

The matter of a social to be held several times during the winter was discussed.

Cup for 25-Footers.

The owners of 25-foot cabin yachts don't like some of the M. Y. R. A. rules. They held a meeting at the Algonquin last evening to build up an organization controlling the racing in this class. An agreement was offered by a committee that the owners of 25-foot cabin boats will not sail in waters east of Manchester and south of Minot's light. This was signed by Messrs. Moebs, Chesterton, Thomas, Follett, Bache. Brown and Hayden. A committee consisting of Messrs. Thomas, Chesterton and Hayden was chosen to arrange a schedule. It was also agreed that each member shall contribute $50 to purchase a cup to be raced for.

—The stockholders of the Fitchburg railroad voted, on Thursday afternoon—145,677 shares as against 28,447 shares—to lease their property to the Boston & Maine railroad on the conditions specified in the lease approved by the protective committee. The opponents of the lease put up a sharp battle, but they were outnumbered. The whole matter now comes before the Legislature.

—"Mamma, I saw a dog today that had only three legs." "Weren't you awfully sorry for him??" "No; he had one more leg than I have."—Tid Bits.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
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L. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
S. F. COPELAND.

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We make and repair all kinds of Horse Boots in first class manner.
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Quincy, March 12. tf

On the Retired List,

But we have not retired from business. On the contrary, our stock of SHOES is now greater than ever.

Are you in need of anything? If so, call and let us convince you that quality considered, our figures are the lowest in the city.

THE LEADING SHOE STORE.

Geo. W. Jones,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

TO LET.

The store which has been occupied by Mr. Brasee in Music Hall Block, and which has been called the Boston Bargain Department Store. This will be ready for occupancy in less than a month and will be let as a whole or cut up into two or three stores to suit tenants.

Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

Any of the above will be let at very reasonable figures.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Durgin & Merrill's Block,
Quincy, Mass.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Fair and warmer Sunday.

A dog was killed at the Wollaston station early last evening. He was thrown a long distance.

Workmen have been busy all the week cleaning away the debris caused by the fire in Music Hall block.

A meeting of the Fragment society will be held in the Unitarian chapel, Wednesday afternoon, March 28th, at two o'clock.

Thayer Alumni will be interested in the class of 1900's class play "Sowing Wild Oats," to be presented in the South Braintree Town Hall, Saturday Evening, March 24. 2t

Among the witnesses summoned in the case of Francis Truth, the "divine healer," who is charged with using the mails in a scheme to defraud, is Annie Rose of 10 Centre street, Quincy, one of the clerks in Truth's office.

Among the indictments returned yesterday by the federal grand jury was one against G. E. Litchfield for aiding and assisting William Davis in forging Dominion and Canada $2 bill. The case comes up for trial next Tuesday.

Charles H. Johnson, local agent for the Traders Insurance Co., one of the companies in which the Quincy Clothing Co. was insured, has received a check in payment of the loss occasioned by the fire of last Sunday morning.

The New Haven road advertised today for proposals for constructing the new stations at Quincy and Atlantic. The Atlantic station will be a duplicate of the one at Quincy. They will be very artistic structures, being built of mottled brick with granite sills, etc. They will be similar in design to the Braintree depot.

Evening services will be held at the Universalist church Passion Week. On Wednesday evening Rev. C. H. Porter will preach; Thursday evening the pastor will celebrate the Communion service; Friday evening Rev. W. H. Morrison of Brockton will preach. Other evening services will be announced.

At the children's festival at the First church Friday afternoon the children gathered at 4.30 o'clock and until 6 o'clock they amused themselves with games. At the latter hour one hundred and fifteen marched down to supper. Following the supper they were entertained for an hour by Dr. A. H. Gilson, with steropticon views, which were greatly enjoyed. The part of the entertainment was furnished by the generosity of Henry H. and J. F. Faxon.

The anniversary of Merrymount lodge, I. O. G. T., occurs March 27. This lodge has made a good record in its humane work. It is expected that the lodge will attend in a body at the Universalist church, April 1, 2.30 P. M. when the anniversary sermon will be preached by the Rev. Merrill C. Ward, who is a member of the Grand lodge of Mass., I. O. G. T. All former members of Merrymount lodge are invited to be present.

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Are they soiled? Have them cleansed.
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Alum baking powders are low priced, as alum costs but two cents a pound; but alum is a corrosive poison and it renders the baking powder dangerous to use in food.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

The awnings to the stores on Hancock street are being put up.

A special meeting of the Board of Assessors was held Firday evening.

The owners of sleighs did not have much opportunity to use them the past winter.

The regular meeting of the School Committee will be held next Tuesday evening.

Fire sales will be in order in a few days, and rare bargains will doubtless be offered.

No meeting of the City Council next week, the next regular meeting not coming until Monday, April 2.

It would be good bicycle weather if it was not for the high wind which blows the dust about in blinding clouds.

Parties from the west were in town this week trying to place an order for a $9,000 Quincy granite monument, but were unable to place it.

Rev. H. A. Philbrook is to preach at Weymouth on Sunday. Mr. Philbrook was at one time pastor of the Universalist church in this city.

Mr. O. F. Lathrop of Billings street, who has been confined to his house since December, is now convalescent, and will be able to go out in a short time.

A meeting of the City Council Committee on Streets was held last evening, and the Committee on Finance meet tonight with the committees on Fire Department and Public Buildings.

Work rebuilding that part of Washington street taken by the Highway Commission, will be commenced as soon as the frost is out of the ground, which will probably be within a few days.

No wonder there are many people sick with colds, with the sudden change in temperature. For instance Tuesday at noon the temperature was 65 degrees and today but 39 degrees at the same hour.

—It would be right, perhaps, to have a United States warship take the members of the Boston common council to Paris, if it would only leave them there forever.—Somerville Journal.

DOES COFFEE AGREE WITH YOU?

If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c. and 25c.

Braintree Light Plant.

Yesterday afternoon the new machinery for the town electric light plant of Braintree was started for the first time, to test the apparatus.

It consists principally of three large boilers, an improved green engine with normal horse power of 125, and a Westinghouse alternating generator.

The latter is a different type from any that has been used here before. The street lights and the house lights are both to be run from this machine. For several days men have been at work changing the old arc lights for new ones. These are of the alternating current long burning enclosed type, and burn for about 100 hours.

The voltage at which the system will be run is, 2,200, necessitating the use of transformers to reduce the current to the proper protential for the house lights. Such a current as this would produce instant death if one were indiscreet enough to touch the naked wires.

The new switchboard is about eight feet high and fifteen feet long. The back of it is a confusion of wires that would be puzzling to anyone not an expert. At the top of this is a row of voltmeters and ammeters which will tell at a glance the exact current that is passing through different parts of the switchboard. Most of this auxiliary apparatus, as well as the new dynamo, was made by the Westinghouse Electric Co.

It is expected that everything will be ready for use within three or four days, when our streets will no longer remain in their present unlighted condition.—Observer and Reportor.

—The Providence Telegram thinks that street cars need more seats and less straps.

BORN.

STRATHDEE— In Braintree, March 19, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. David G. Strathdee.
JACKSON—In Braintree, March 22, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Jackson
DE COSTE—In Braintree, March 19, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeCoste.

DIED.

EDDY—In Quincy, March 23, Avice J., daughter of Mr. Newman, and Mrs. Bessie Eddy of Gilbert street, aged 1 year and 4 months.
CALLAHAN—In Quincy, March 23, Mrs. Catherine, widow of Mr. Dennis Callahan, of Crescent street, aged 74 years.
HOWES—In Braintree, March 21, Irene Leslie Howes, age 22 years, 7 months, 11 days.
CARMICHAEL—In South Braintree, March 22, John R. Carmichael, aged 60 years, and 2 mouths.
PRATT—In South Braintree, March 17, Burdanc Tirrell, son of William H. and Agnes Pratt.
FLETCHER—In Neponset, March 22, Mrs. Isabelle L., widow of Asa P. Fletcher, aged 66 years.
POND—In Milton, March 23, Mrs. Sarah H. widow of Nathan Pond, age 76 years and 7 months.
REED—In Danvers, March 22, Mr. Edwin V R. Reed of Milton.
THAXTER—In Hingham, March 23, Mr. Joseph B. Thaxter, aged 81 years and 10 months.
COLE—In Greenbush, March 20, Mrs. Roxanna Wilder Cole, aged 77 years.
CAIN—In Weymouth, March 23, Mr. Jonathan D. Cain, of Broad street, aged 58 years.

Thayer Academy Games.

A game between the Thayer base ball team and the Thayer Academy Allumni for June 16, is now an assured fact.

David MacAndrews '93, the famous Dartmouth full-back and ball player, who has played on the Newton A. A., for the last two years and who finished the base ball season last year with the Rochesters, champions of the Eastern League has agreed to organize the Alumni team.

He will have plenty of material to draw from including such men as G. A. Arnold, J. E. Arnold, John Clinton, Hayward, Nelson Hayden, L. T. Hayden, B. F. Perry, Harlow Waite, Joseph Wales and many others.

Manager Emerson has announced the base ball schedule as follows:

April 13, Roxbury High school at Braintree.
April 21, Boston Latin school at Braintree.
April 27, Brookline High school at Brookline.
May 5, St. Mark's school at Southboro.
May 8, Volkmann school at Braintree.
May 11, Boston English High school at Braintree.
May 16, Nobles and Greenough school at Braintree.
May 19, Hopkinson school at Braintree.
May 25, Newton High scool at Newton.
May 29, Dorchester High school at Braintree.
June 2, Dean Academy at Franklin.
June 6, Cambridge High and Latin school at Braintree.
June 16, Alumni at Braintree.

Was Color Bearer.

No member of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., took more pleasure in carrying the Stars and Stripes on parade than did Jonathan D. Cain of Weymouth who died suddenly yesterday of heart disease. Upon Admiral Dewey's recent visit to Boston, he carried the flag of the Post, but it was too much for him, and he gave out. For some weeks his health has been poor. During the Civil war he served in Co. G, 4th Mass. regiment, and in recent years has been employed at Hunt's fireworks factory. His age was 58 years. The funeral will be held on Sunday and the burial will be at Mt. Wollaston, Quincy.

The Unitarian Sunday School Union held its sixth regular meeting of the seventeenth season in the parlors of the Church of the Disciples, corner of Warren avenue and West Brookline street, Monday, March 19th at 5 P. M. Good addresses were given on "Music in the Sunday School" by Rev. Dr. Eugene R. Shippen of Dorchester and "An Ideal Sunday School Song book" by Rev. Charles W. Wendte of Newton Centre.

CUT DIFFERENCE.

Settlement on 33 Recommended to the Granite Men.

Editors of the Daily Ledger:

The two committees have met and parted again, and a settlement of their differences seems as far off as ever.

That two intelligent bodies of men can so delude themselves into thinking they must sacrifice their best interests, for the sake of maintaining an impossible position, is enough to make the jackass crop his ears and offer his services as "knight professor of the art of reasoning."

Men of push and resources never let small things stand in the way when their business projects are threatened with ruin. They meet the occasion with the best conditions possible, and in most cases succeed.

What is the difference between Manufacturers and the Cutters? Less than 4 cents. The offer of the Manufacturers is $2.52 for an eight hour day, equaling 31 1-2 cents per hour, the demand of the Cutters is 35 cents. Cut the difference at 33 cents and get to work.

Apathy does not mean "intelligent repose." The situation is critical and fraught with danger to the best interests of all concerned. "The fools have had their jig; go, call in the wise men in."

In your columns on the 21st inst. we made the statement that "should the Manufacturers not grant the 35 cent minimum they should not be too severely condemned." We did not make the statement without knowing the facts concerning the trade in Quincy and elsewhere, and naturally considering what the future conditions are likely to be.

Quincy granite possesses no advantages in working in competition with others. It is not easily quarried, and when landed at the sheds to be cut we find not the trim neatly dimensioned stone of Barre, Milford and some others, but an over-sized shapeless lump of hard, tough, rock, requiring long labor to bring it to size and shape. The parts to be polished must be better cut than the Barre stone, or the extra difference in cost of polishing would be more than it is. Besides many pieces have to be rejected after considerable work has been done. Taking it all in all, Quincy granite is handicapped in competition with Vermont and several others.

As a place to live in, however, the advantages are in favor of Quincy. Its proximity to Boston, and several other large centres makes it more desirable for those who wish a fuller and more varied life. The winters are shorter and less severe, and as a matter of general convenience and economy, Quincy admits of no comparison.

Why then should the Manufacturer's task of doing a safe business be increased above those in other places. Quincy granite commands no better price than the Barre product, and should not be handicapped with any extra cost in getting it out. Viewing the case in its entirety, we still think that a compromise on 33 cents would redound to the profit and credit of both parties.

It may be too much to ask the Cutters to reconsider their action. They no doubt, have already given full consideration to every phase of the question, and as a body will brook of no outside interference, but would it not be within the bounds of propriety to ask them through the columns of the Quincy Daily Ledger what advantages they or the city are likely to reap by holding out indefinitely for a price which they know must be ruinous to the trade in Quincy.

The business people of Quincy are not so disinterested in this cessation of labor as to stand by and not lend a hand in some way to end it, and if it is asssured that both parties in the contest are to be fully compensated for their time and labor, after the minimum of 35 cents has been established, they the business people of Quincy no doubt will voice themselves in favor of it.

On the other hand the Manufaturers should not hesitate to give their consent to the 33 cents minimum. It means the same advance as Barre made on its former price, it would be a safe basis to do business on, besides it might prove the "joker" the Cutters are waiting for. Interested.

Important to Mothers.

The manufacturers of Castoria have been compelled to spend hundreds of thousands of dollars to familiarize the public with the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. This has been necessitated by reason of pirates counterfeiting the Castoria trade mark. This counterfeiting is a crime not only against the proprietors of Castoria, but against the growing generation. All persons should be careful to see that Castoria bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, if they would guard the health of their children. Parents, and mothers in particular, ought to carefully examine the Castoria advertisements which have been appearing in this paper, and to remember that the wrapper of every bottle of genuine Castoria bears the fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, under whose supervision it has been manufactured continuously for over thirty years.—Phila. Bulletin.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

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WANTED—A Protestant Girl for general housework. MRS. J. S. SWINGLE, 12 1-2 Canal street. Quincy, March 21-6t

TO LET.

TO LET—Newly furnished front room with with bath. No. 25 Gay street. March 22. 6t

Wagons For Sale.

ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO. March 6. 1m

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SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.
CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

B. F. CURTIS,

49 Elm Street, Quincy.

TO LET.

Half House of 5 rooms on Baxter Place. City water. $8.50 per month.

Half House of 6 rooms on Elm Place, near Universalist church. South side, in good repair. $12.50 per month.

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IN QUINCY, MASS.,

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ROOMS, OFFICES AND WHARVES,

The Houses are in complete repair.

Farm, 50 acres, house and outbuildings, head Summer street.
Large store, 162 Hancock street, city water dry cellar and workshop.
House, 7 rooms, 12 Washington street.
Half House, 8 rooms, 16 Cottage street, with stable.
Half House, 4 rooms, 19 Kidder street.
Half House, 5 rooms, city water, 13 Field street.
Three tenements, 51 Howard street, Quincy Neck.
Double House, 4 rooms in each half, 15 Brackett street.
Half House, 6 rooms, Pond street. Land with same if desired.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
Stable with city water, 28 Coddington street. $5 per month.
Stable and sheds near Quincy Centre on Coddington street. $4.00 per month.
Small stable, No. 2 Quincy street. $3 per month.
100 Windows and Blinds for sale.
Wharf, with office, blacksmith shops, etc. Quincy Neck.
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How the Czar Has Stretched His Railroad Lines Across Central Asia Almost to the Indian Frontier.

BY CAPTAIN T. B. FRANCIS.

The Russian bear, "the bear that walks like a man," as Mr. Kipling has it, has turned his face toward central Asia. Under ordinary circumstances we do not care whether the Russian bear faces east or west, but this instance seems to be an exception.

The very learned, able and farsighted gentlemen who write heavy magazine articles and predict wars in various parts of the earth—wars which, as a rule, fail to materialize, thank goodness—are all agreeing just now that the next clash of great nations will take place in central Asia. They are unanimous in saying that Russia and England will begin the trouble.

Whether or no this is a true prophecy it does not become a modest man to say, but as you are likely to hear a

HERE IS WHERE RUSSIA MEETS ENGLAND.

good deal said on the subject within the next few months it is quite worth the while to examine the situation. To do so intelligently, get down a big atlas, or a school geography if an atlas is not handy, and turn to a map which shows the whole of the Russian empire, with India and Persia at the bottom.

You will notice that Great Britain's Indian possessions are separated from the southern boundary of Russia by a narrow strip labeled Afghanistan. You will also notice that the most southerly seaport owned by Russia is Vladivostok, which is above the forty-fifth parallel on the Japan sea. Now, if you concede that Russia is an ambitious, grasping and unscrupulous nation, eager to grab more territory and ready to attack whenever it seems safe to do so, the rest will be clear.

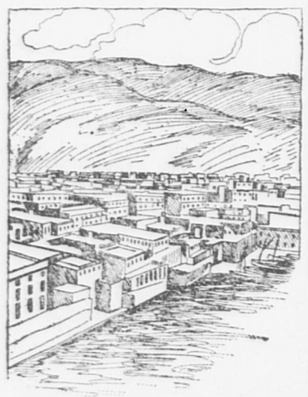
The old maps will not show them, but there exist, running east and south from St. Petersburg, several lines of railroad. One of these is the new Transsiberian railroad of which so much has been printed. The other lines are not so familiar. They are there just the same. No nation in the world has done more railroad building within the last decade than Russia. Her roads have been built not by private corporations, but by the government. Russian soldiers lay the rails, man the engines and run the trains. It is a somewhat novel use of an army, and it hardly bears out Russia's assertion that her purpose is a commercial and not a military one.

To understand just how Russia is stretching these long fingers of steel out over central Asia just imagine the czar to be siting in St. Petersburg and reaching a coveting hand eastward. His palm covers the sea of Aral.

The long forefinger reaches clear to the borders of Manchuria and will soon extend to Vladivostok. This is the Transsiberian line.

The middle finger stretches tentatively toward Peking. This is the proposed extension of the line which now stops at Samarkand.

The third finger touches Herat. This is the Transcaspian railroad recently



HARBOR OF BUNDER ABBAS, PERSIA.

pushed through from Baku on the Caspian.

The little finger is spread out to the south and touches Bunder Abbas, a port on the Persian gulf. This is the proposed branch of the Transcaspian line.

There, do you see what a grip the czar has on Asia? Do you realize what it means when Russian troops are observed to be massing at the ends of these long steel fingers? Is it not quite natural for England, with her Indian army at the lowest ebb it has known for many years, to be alarmed at these aggressive signs?

But there are interesting details to this great game of strategy. One of these has to do with two ports on the Persian gulf, insignificant places at most times, but just now very much in the public eye.

As far back as 1889 it was known in London that Russia was treating with Persia for greater commercial privileges. Little by little she has demanded and received more until now the effete country that was the empire of Xerxes is absolutely under the thumb of the Great White Czar.

Bunder Abbas has been mentioned many times as the port that Russia was seeking. The stone in her path has been the control of this port and Bushire—the only two on the Persian gulf—by England, to whom their customs receipts were mortgaged in return for a loan.

Concessions to Russian capitalists for railroads in Persia have been granted within the last few years, and while none of these has had the Persian gulf as a stated objective point there has been talk in diplomatic circles of extensions in the near future that would bring them out to the gulf. Tabriz is the initial point in all these plans. It is a city of about 175,000 inhabitants and the center of the trade that passes from central Asia to the Caspian sea.

The Viedomostl, organ of the Russian government in central Asia, is authority for the statement that the Transpersian railway will be 1,300 miles, running from Dshulfa, by way of Tabriz, Hamadan, Ispahan and Kerman, to Bunder Abbas.

There is no doubt that these things, taken together, are indications of Russia's intention to take advantage of England's preoccupation to gain for herself the ends she has sought so long. She has won Persia by money and diplomacy, and England's influence at the court of the shah is at an end. Persia owes England many millions, and until these are paid Russia cannot hope for a gulf port, for these are pledged to England as security for the debt.

But in the treaty made last month, by which Russia lent Persia 22,500,-

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000 rubles in return for her customs receipts at all interior ports of entry, was a stipulation that as soon as possible Russia should pay all other debts. Should Persia pay off England at once, that would leave her gulf ports free from incumbrance, and she would be at liberty to mortgage or lease them to Russia.

Herat is Russia's final objective. Lord Beaconsfield said Herat was the key to India. And there is not a shadow of doubt that when Russia seizes Herat England will seize Kandahar, and the rival races, Slav and Anglo-Saxon, will be face to face for the great struggle that is to decide which of the two is to be the controlling influence in the destinies of the world.

How near Russia is to the Indian frontier has been but recently realized. At the risk of rousing England to a declaration of war a branch line from Merv has been pushed to within a few miles of Herat. The terminal is almost at the gates of "the key to India." The next step is Kandahar and then on through British Baluchistan. Even as you are reading this the rails may be going down.

This line through Herat will give a direct all rail communication between Moscow and India's frontier. It is only a jump of 600 miles from Herat to Quetta, where the British railroad lines of India end. But there is no direct rail communication between Quetta and London or Aldershot. While Russia could entrain an army in her capital and land it at Herat inside of 48 hours, it would take England a month to send a single regiment to Quetta, for there would be the long transport trip through the Suez canal to Bombay and then the whole length of India to traverse by rail.

Here is a case where England's boasted supremacy on the seas counts for nothing. It is a condition which Russia has carefully figured out. While England has been spending millions on her navy, Russia has turned her army into railroad builders and spread out a network of military ways over central Asia.

There you have the situation. When you hear of new Russian railroad lines being built here or there, you will understand that the fingers are stretching. And if there is a clash between the Russian bear and the British lion you know the lay of the battleground.

Advance Not Acceptable.

Indianapolis, March 24.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, has sent word to headquarters that the miners of Myersdale, Pa., and the Georges Creek, Md., fields have been notified by operators that on April 1 an advance of 10 cents a ton will be paid. Mitchell says that this proposed advance is 5 cents a ton less than the price fixed last week for the 55,000 men in the Central Pennsylvania district and the advance offered will not be accepted.

An Accidental Knockout.

New York, March 24.—During the performance of "Carmen" last night, while the scene in the smugglers' camp was being reproduced on the stage, and a duel with knives was in progress, Calve, according to program, rushed in for the purpose of stopping the fight. Accidentally Scotti, one of the players, struck her a severe blow with his fist. She fell on the stage unconscious, and it was some time before she was able to proceed.

More of Bundy's Crookedness.

Elmira, N. Y., March 24.—The report of former City Chamberlain Frank E. Bundy, dated Feb. 6, stated that the city was solvent and had a balance to its credit of $3500. Instead, the common council committee of investigation finds that the city is in debt between $75,000 and $100,000, because of over-drafts. This is outside of Bundy's heavy shortage and has caused as great a surprise as did the news of his defalcation.

Short Cotton Crop Predicted.

Savannah, Ga., March 24.—For the fifth time Savannah cotton receipts passed the million mark today. The net total at the close of business yesterday was 998,641 bales since Sept. 1. Last year the million mark was reached on March 17, and year before last on Feb. 10. Statisticians say that the later date at which the million was reached this year is indicative of the shortness of the crop.

Countess Castellane's Generosity.

Paris, March 24.—The galeries de la charite, intended as a permanent building for holding charity bazaars, is now completed, and will be opened May 1. Two hundred charitable institutions have already announced that they intend to hold sales this year. The structure was built by Countess Boni de Castellane, whose idea was prompted by the charity bazaar fire.

Were Pretty Well Matched.

Brockton, Mass., March 24.—John J. Little defeated George Dothner here last night in a hard fought wrestling match. After one hour and 31 minutes Little got the first fall. It was then agreed that if neither secured a second fall in the next hour the bout should go to Little, and as this proved to be the result, Little was given the decision for the entire match.

"Ladies" and "Gentlemen" In Opium Joint.

Paris, March 24.—Last evening the police raided an opium den on the Rue de l'Etolle. The place has been kept by a woman named Assim. Eight ladies and gentlemen, belonging to the best Paris society, were found there in a state of intoxication. Pipes, a quantity of opium and some Oriental furniture were seized.

Barbadoes Plantations Sacrificed.

Kingston, Jam., March 24.—Incendiarism continues in Barbados. There were nine plantation fires during the week ending March 17. The steady decline in the revenue of Barbados is causing uneasiness among the authorities. The decline is attributable to the purchasing power of the people having fallen.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The disturbance in the southwest has developed to the east and north, but not to any considerable extent. It has, however, caused general rains throughout the south. Temperatures have fallen generally. The rain area will extend northeastward. Tonight rain or snow is probable in New England. On the New England coast the winds will be fresh and mostly northerly.

—New York has been having another spasm of virtue. The New York Sun has discovered that New York is growing better, and hastens to take the rest of the word into its confidence.—Boston Beacon.

Fainting Spells

Are peculiar to women. Men rarely faint. Many women are liable to what they term "fainting spells," and this liability is always most marked at the monthly period. This alone is sufficient to connect the "fainting spell" with a deranged or diseased condition of the womanly organs. The use of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures irregularity, heals inflammation and ulceration, and stops the drains which weaken the body. It builds up the nervous system, increases the vital powers, and so removes the common causes of faintness in women. There is no alcohol in "Favorite Prescription;" neither does it contain opium, cocaine, nor any other narcotic.

"It gives me much pleasure," writes Miss Ella Sapp, of Jamestown, Guilford Co., N.C., "to thank Dr. Pierce for the great good received from the use of his 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I had suffered for three years or more at monthly periods. It seemed as though I would die with pain in my back and stomach. I could not stand on my feet without fainting; had given up all hope of ever being cured, when one of my friends insisted upon my trying Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. With but little faith I tried it, and before I had taken half a bottle I felt better, had better appetite and slept better. Now I have taken two bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and one of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and am happy to say I am entirely cured, and all done in two months' time, when all other medicines had failed to do any good."

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SMART DRESS FOR MEN.

Some of the Latest Fads In Shirts, Collars, Ties, Etc.

It is noticed that the white pique strips, so much worn seven or eight years ago inside the collar of waistcoats, are again being more or less used. The white edge between the dark material of the waistcoat and ascot or four-in-hand tie makes rather a pretty effect by contrast, and it is to be hoped that the fashion will not become so common as to meet the inevitable fate of all fashions made vulgar by too general adoption. Commonness is now beginning to have its effect upon the bat wing tie, which was so much worn by smartly dressed men last summer and even through the early months of autumn. It will soon become so universal as to be tabooed by men who give most attention to their attire. The tie with pointed ends is now the smartest shape for string ties. The ends are not so broad as the bat wing and the knot is a little larger.

A good many men seem to be going back to the straight cut, white, lawn tie with evening clothes, and the dis-

SHOWING LATEST NOVELTIES IN SHIRTINGS.

tinct bat wing and butterfly shapes are now rarely seen. A tie that is the same or nearly the same breath throughout its length cannot be tied in so small and tight a knot as one that is cut narrow with broadening ends, and the result is that the knots are now larger and less wrinkled. Most of the evening ties have square ends, but those with pointed ends are frequently worn, so that it would be scarcely fair to say that one is more correct than the other.

Whatever the reason, the fad remains that turnover collars are not worn with the long, evening coat. As a long, evening coat with white waistcoat constitute the fullest possible evening dress, so are the frock coat and white waistcoat the top notch of afternoon dress for men, and as the high, plain collar is correct for one, so it should be for the other. With a morning coat one may wear what collar he will, but even then, if the coat is black, a plain, high collar is preferable. To sum up, if you restrict the turnover collar to use with a sack suit you will be correct, although custom has made its wear permissible with a dinner jacket. These collars are now made in a great variety of heights and shapes, although in many cases, except in name, they differ but slightly one from another. All have rounded corners, and most are made with an overlapping band.

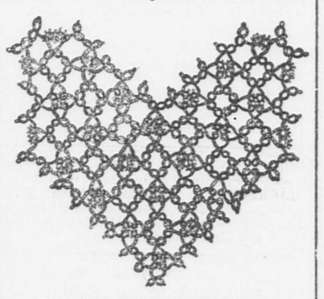
There are various styles of straight collar, all more or less worn—those that overlap, others that just meet all the way up, and those that spread a trifle at the top, either straight or with slightly poked points. These points should be cut square, not round, like the points of turnover collars.

The evening shirt should be of plain white linen, without rib, ruffle or adornment of any kind or description. Even plain pique is not used by well dressed men. The shirt should have a broad bosom with two small buttonholes for the studs, and open only in front. The cuffs should be rather small and made rather sharply rounded or square at the corners.

Colored morning shirts just now are being made with stripes running up and down the bosom and cuffs. Stripes may be fairly broad in pinks, blues or lavender. The cut is practically the same as that of the evening shirt, except that the bosom may be narrower. Latest patterns in imported shirtings appear in the illustration, which is reproduced from Vogue, as are the foregoing items of fashion.

Pretty and Useful Tatting.

A simple tatted yoke for a baby's dress is illustrated in The Ladies' World. It is composed of medallions



TATTED YOKE FOR BABY'S DRESS.

made as follows: Make a ring of * 1 doubles, picot. Repeat 7 times from *, 2 doubles, close. With 2 threads 10 doubles, then 2 rings of 12 doubles, picot, 12 doubles, each, drawing both closely together; with 2 threads 10 doubles. Make another ring like one first described, joining at third picot to third picot of first ring. Continue till there are eight large and four small rings, the latter all joined at third picot.

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Whitelaw Reid Pleads For Support of Nation In Its Duty Toward New Possessions.

Berkley, Cal., March 24.—The new gymnasium of the University of California was filled yesterday with collegians and friends of the university to witness the charter day exercises. President Wheeler made an introductory speech, and then introduced Whitelaw Reid, who spoke on "National Problems." In part, Mr. Reid said:

"The new territories in the West Indies and in the east are ours to have and to hold by the supreme law of the land and by a title which the whole civilized world recognizes and respects. We shall not speedily get rid of them, whoever may desire it. The American people are in no mood to give them back to Spain, or to sell them, or to abandon them. We have all the power we need to acquire and govern them.

"The American people are proceeding to do just what Jefferson did with the vast region we bought from France, without the consent, by the way, either of sovereign or inhabitants. They know that they are following in the exact path of all the constructive statesmen of the republic, from the days of the men who wrote the Declaration of Independence and those who made the constitution down to the days of the men who came to California, bough Alaska and denied the right of self-government to Jeff Davis. They simply do not believe that a new light has been given to the present apostles of a little America greater and purer than was given to Washington or to Jefferson or to Lincoln. Thus far the path has been dictated by duty, and duty alone has led us to where we are."

Mr. Reid paid a tribute to the pioneers of California, and quoted some of their glowing predictions as to the future of the state. He referred to the remoteness of California from the eastern states in the early days, and said:

"And yet there are Californians to this day who profess a shrinking alarm on account of the remoteness and inaccessibility of our new possessions. Has the arm of the Californian been shortened that it cannot reach out; has he forgotten the lesson taught by the history of his own race and of the greatest nations of the world, that oceans no longer separate—they unite? There are no protracted and painful struggles to build a Pacific railroad for your next great step. The right of way is assured. The ocean unites you with the whole, boundless, mysterious Orient. There you find a population of over 600,000,000 souls. They offer you the best of all commerce, that with people less advanced, exchanging the products of different zones.

"Our total annual trade with China now—with this people whom the friendly ocean is ready to bring to your very doors—is $20,000,000. Even the Spanish trade with the Philippines was $30,000,000. They are morally our stepping stones, but would a wise man kick the stepping stone away?

"The islands will not be thrown away. Well, then, how shall the islands be treated? Are they to be our wards, objects of our duty and our care, or are they to be our full partners? We may as well look that question straight in the face. Because they are helpless and needy and on our hands, must we take them into partnership? Because we are going to help them, are we bound to marry them?

"Partly through mere inadvertance, but partly through crafty design, the wave of general sympathy for suffering Puerto Rico which has swept over the country has come very near being perverted into the means for turning away the general policy of a great nation. To relieve the temporary distress by recognizing the Puerto Ricans as citizens, and by an extension of the Dingley tariff to Puerto Rico as a matter of constitutional right, foreclosed the whole question. The very men who denounce a protective tariff as a Chinese wall are the men who demand its application. They say 'give Puerto Rico free trade,' but what this proposal means is 'deprive Puerto Rico of free trade, and put her within the barbarous Chinese wall.' Their words sound like offering her the liberty of free trade with all the world, but meantime forbidding her to trade with anybody but the United States.

"Who believes we can admit this little half-Spanish, half-negro waif from the mid-Atlantic, a third of the way over to Africa, and then reject nearer and more valuable islands when they come? Behind Puerto Rico is Cuba, and behind Cuba are all the West Indies; and the famous law of political gravitation, which John Quincy Adams prophetically announced three-quarters of a century ago, will be then acting on them with ever-increasing force. And beside them, not ahead of them, abreast with Puerto Rico itself, stand the Philippines.

"Surely not one word need be added as a summons to a high resolve that you will neither shame the republic by shirking the duties which its own victory entailed, nor despoil the republic by abandoning its rightful possessions, nor degrade the republic by admitting an unfit element into this Union, but that you will honor it, enrich it, enable it by doing your utmost to make the administration of these possessions worthy of the nation that Washington founded and Lincoln preserved."

Youthful Fiend Executed.

Richmond, March 24.—Reuben Griggs (colored), aged 16, was hanged at Cumberland yesterday for criminal assault upon a girl of his own race, aged 7 years. At the last moment his nerve gave way and he had to be supported by five men while the noose was being adjusted.

ENCOURAGING TRADE FEATURES.

Machinists' Strike About the Only Blemish on the Industrial Situation.

New York, March 24.—Bradstreet's says: Some few irregularities are visible in the general trade and industrial situation, the results of the workings of counter currents in various lines, but, taken as a whole, the general outlook retains most of the encouraging features noted for some time past.

An unfavorable element is the prediction of a general strike of machinists, but it is possible that more than its proper weight has been given this threatened trouble. Advices from several cities would indicate a lack of the unanimity claimed by the strike projectors of this threatened labor trouble, which, with the practical suspension of building at Chicago, constitutes almost the only blemish upon the general industrial situation. As offsets to this threatened trouble might be cited the settlements of differences among the lake ore handlers.

Advances in wages of soft coal miners, of stove moulders and of other workers allied to the iron and steel industry would seem to point to labor conditions retaining most of the recent favorable features.

Wheat and corn among the breadstuffs have been weaker, reflecting expected heavy shipments from the Argentine and good crop reports from the south and west.

The extent of the late advance in cotton discourages bullish activity. In wholesale lines distribution of cotton goods is of the smallest volume noted for some time past, and interest is concentrated upon the retail trade. Advices received would point to this trade opening well.

Wool remains one of the soft spots in the market.

Leather returns a better report than for some time past. Quotations of hemlock are higher and business has been larger at several markets. The boot and shoe industry notes some improvement in demand and prices, but hides remain rather dull.

Relatively, the best trade returns are received from the south and the states west of the Mississippi.

Columbia Easily Won Laurels.

New York, March 24.—Columbia brawn and skill triumphed over strength and dexterity as represented by six other American colleges in the first annual meet of the Intercollegiate Gymnasium association, held last night in the Columbia university gymnasium. In six championship events the members of the Columbia team scored 26, against 17 for Yale, their closest opponent. Harvard was third, with 6 points; New York university fourth, with 3, while Princeton and Haverford each made but a single point, and Cornell was closed out entirely. The all-around championship was taken by a Columbia man, J. De La Fuente.

Erne Retains Championship.

New York, March 24.—Frank Erne of Buffalo successfully defended his title of lightweight champion of the world against Joe Gans, colored, of Baltimore, before the Broadway Athletic club last night. Erne did most of the heavy fighting, displaying better judgment and more skill than his opponent. Gans received his punishment gamely until the 12th round, when his left eye was started from its socket by a terrific right-hand swing from the Buffalo boy. Gans was then helpless and there was no alternative for the referee but to award the decision to Erne. The betting just before the fight was 100 to 80 on Gans.

A Distressing Mishap.

Peabody, Mass., March 24.—A party of Grand Army men were in a barge on the way to the funeral of the late Colonel C. T. Batchelder yesterday. As the barge crossed the tracks in Peabody square the hind axle broke and the barge careened over on its side, piling the men in a heap. Several were bleeding about the face and hands and a dozen were taken to a nearby drug store, where they were treated. None of the injuries will prove fatal. An examination of the broken axle showed that it had been cracked for some time and the heavy load and a jolt on the track caused the final breakage.

To Adhere to Chicago Platform.

Albany, March 24.—The executive committee of the Chicago platform Democrats of the state met here last night and adopted resolutions declaring that the Democracy of New York state demand that the delegates selected to the national convention be men that are known as loyal to the platform and ticket in 1896, and that such delegates be instructed to vote for the reaffirmation of the Chicago platform and for the nomination of Mr. Bryan.

Blaze In Oil Warehouse.

Boston, March 24.—Three alarms called the firemen early this morning to the oil warehouse of W. A. Wood & Co., 375 Atlantic avenue and Purchase street. The fire started in the third story, and the department succeeded in keeping it all above that floor. The third and fourth stories were gutted, and the loss will be at least $8000. Hoseman Darragh fell from a ladder to the street and sustained serious injuries. The origin of the fire is unknown.

No Fresh Developments.

Washington, March 24.—Surgeon Gassaway, in charge of the marine hospital interests in San Francisco, telegraphs that there are no new developments in the situation there as affecting the suspicious cases of sickness in Chinatown.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Charles C. Maffitt, former chairman of the Missouri state Democratic committee, a horseman of national reputation and one of the wealthiest citizens of St. Louis, died at that city of pneumonia. He was about 50 years old.

A special from Charlotte, N. C., says that the Tucker Carter Rope company of New York, which operates a factory at New London, N. C., is taking steps to establish a cotton yarn mill there.

Adolph Bouvier and Thomas Hopping, two Fall River men, formerly residents of Canada, have received silver medals in recognition of their services in the suppression of the Fenian raid in Canada in 1870.

$3,800 RESIDENCE.

Design For an Artistic Home—An Admirable Plan.

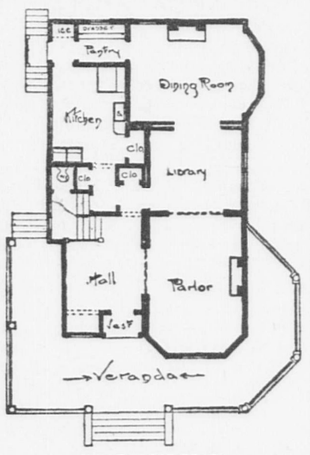
[Copyright, 1900, by George Hitchings, architect, 1099 Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn.]

In designing this house it was the object to make a convenient, economical and artistic home, suitable to a suburban location, for a family of moderate means. There is a good cellar under the entire building seven feet deep, with walls built of rock faced quarry stone, containing a servant's water closet, as well as the

FRONT ELEVATION.

coal bins and the furnace. The front porch is of ample size, returning on the side in form of an octagon. The hall is floored with ash, and the platform stairs are of ash, with turned and fluted newels and spindle balusters. The hall is lighted by art stained glass windows.

The parlor has a large bay in front and is connected with the hall and library by an ornamental grille arranged for portieres. It is finished in white and gold and has a pretty colonial mantel finished in the same way. The parlor and the dining room have open fireplaces, tile hearths and facing and attractive cabinet mantels. The dining room also has a large bay window, making this a very cheerful room. The butler's pantry is placed between the dining room and the



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

kitchen and is provided with double swing doors. It is fitted up with a dresser, drawers and a small closet. The kitchen has range, sink, boiler and two part soapstone tubs.

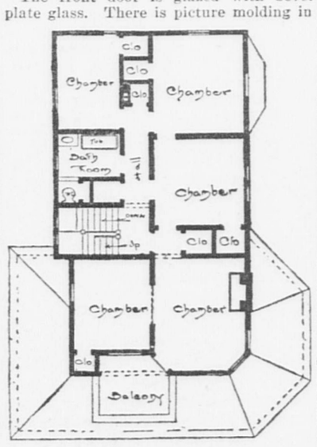
It has a back staircase, stairs to the cellar and a half sized porch.

There are five chambers on the second floor, each room having plenty of closet space. The bathroom is wainscoted and has a porcelain enameled tub, an earthenware washout closet and a china washbowl.

There is a staircase to the attic, where there is space to finish three rooms.

The trim of the dining room, library and hall is quartered oak and of the second floor cypress.

The front door is glazed with bevel plate glass. There is picture molding in



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

all the rooms. The entire building is sheathed with hemlock boards, put on diagonally, then covered with heavy building paper, then with the shingles and bevel siding. The roof, gables and second story are covered with shingles and the first story with bevel siding. Cost to build complete as above specified, $3,800.

Trees For Lawns.

Buy, if possible, where there are trees; if not, procure and plant them at once. Choose for beauty of foliage as well as for shade. The "eternal oak" is an ideal lawn tree. It is beautiful as a shoot or as a giant. Its coloring is a delight from spring to winter. Then there are the dogwood, brilliant in autumn and snowy in flower; the soft and yellow birch, the tulip, poplar, swamp maple, red maple, purple beech and plain beech from the woods.

That's it—"from the woods." You want to reproduce nature on your lawn and have here and there a little growth of trees such as we find in our wonderful woods, such as have inspired the poets to sing, such as will rest, cheer and delight one when leaving bricks, mortar and soot behind and "going out home," the day's toil done.—Philadelphia Press.

Suggestions For Home Builders.

In getting your home be careful that you first see its site. That may sound like a truism. But remember that it is always well to look twice.

Don't forget porch room. Have plenty of it. Of course we are referring to suburban houses now.

When it comes to the consideration of your lawn, go slow. There will not only be trees for you to buy, but varieties of trees for you to select from. You can't afford to make a mistake.—Selected.

THE RUSH FOR CAPE NOME.

How the Army of Argonauts Will Be Taken to the Beach of Golden Sands.

BY HOWARD SPENCE SINCLAIR

The rush for Cape Nome, the "beach of the golden sands," has begun. It is expected that it will equal, if it does not exceed, the famous rush into the Klondike in the spring of 1898.

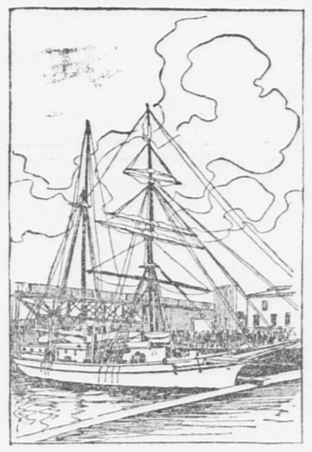
Just how many thousands are preparing to try for a chance to wash a fortune from the sands of Nome it is idle to speculate. The Seattle steamship companies say that thus far 15,000 berths have been engaged. But this does not tell the whole story. Every craft afloat on the Pacific coast is being pressed into service. Even river tugs are being fitted out for the long ocean voyage. Sailing ships by the score are loading freight and booking passengers.

By the middle of April the rush will be at its height. The first of the fleet to get under way was the little brig Pitcairn, which recently sailed from Seattle with 19 passengers and a hold full of general merchandise. Captain Nesbitt, the hardy and adventurous skipper of the brig, knows that Bering sea is still full of ice and that he must wait for it to break, but he intends to take the chances. He means to be the first to land his passengers and goods on the shore at Nome. Captain Nesbitt is a mine owner himself and carries up provisions for the men who are working his claims.

The Pitcairn will lead a big fleet into the north waters. Fifty steamships have already been organized into "liners" for Alaska, while every available "tramp" ship will be pressed into service.

From San Francisco, from Portland, Or., and Seattle and other Puget sound ports this fleet of vessels will sail for Cape Nome. It is no roundabout route, up winding, ice packed rivers, with long portages over mountains, as is the case of a journey to the Klondike. To Nome City it is a straightaway course across the open Pacific ocean and Bering sea, and passengers will be landed directly on the gold lined beach.

Seattle, on Puget sound, is the nearest point of departure in the United



BRIG PITCAIRN, FIRST SHIP TO SAIL FOR NOME THIS SEASON.

States to Cape Nome. From this port the route is only 2,800 miles, almost the same distance as from New York to Southampton. But while this distance is covered in six to eight days by the fast Atlantic liners it will take the slower, heavily loaded ships of the Pacific from 12 to 14 days to make the trip to Nome City.

The racing back and forth of steamers and sailing craft over this northern highway will present a strangely different scene from the lonely seas of a few years ago, plowed only by sealers and whalers. The steamships that will engage in this traffic are mostly vessels of 2,000 to 3,000 tons, as contrasted with the 10,000 to 15,000 ton liners on the Atlantic.

The steamers charge from $75 to $100 for a first class passage from Seattle to Cape Nome. Passage can be secured on sailing ships as low as $50.

It is probable that Cape Nome City will be one of the greatest mining camps that ever existed. Not only are thousands of new argonauts going in, but the floating population of Dawson, Rampart City and other Alaska mining camps has already made its way to Nome. All winter long the population of the city on the beach has been growing.

Wonderful stories are told of the camp where fortune smiles lavishly on all. Here are some samples, minus affidavits: One man while walking along the frozen beach kicked up with his rubber boots nuggets worth hundreds of dollars. After every heavy rainstorm last summer the water rushing down from the hillsides over the beach would wash away the sand and soil, revealing glistening nuggets of gold.

Cape Nome is about 100 miles northwest from St. Michael's and on the southern coast of Cape Prince of Wales peninsula. Along the entire coast line of Norton sound and Bering sea as far north as Cape York and Cape Prince of Wales gold has been discovered and in many places in fabulous quantities. It is not confined to the creeks. It is distributed everywhere—in the sands of the beach by the tide, in the sands above flood tide, in the tundra and in the creeks and gulches of the foothills. The more sanguine say that the locality is one vast placer diggings, 12,000 square miles in extent, 110 miles along the coast and 40 miles inland—or so far as it has been prospected.

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour hroughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

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r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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A. E. Hall, Washington St.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
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ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a.m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a.m.
			New Moon	30	3:30 p.m.

New Books.

List of recent additions to the Thomas Crane Public Library:

Adams, C. F., b. 1835. Charles Francis Adams. [American statesman.] 416 36
Archer, William. America today. 155 38
Baldwin, W. J. On heating; or Steam heating for buildings, revised. 476 38
Brink, Jan ten. Robespierre and the red terror. 441 55
Bryce, James. Impressions of South Africa. 116 23
Catherwood, Mary H. Mackinac and lake stories. 329 40
Queen of the swamp, and other plain Americans. 329 42
Chestnutt, C. W. Conjure woman. [Stories.] 239 49
Cholmondeley, Mary. Red pottage. 329 48
Dickson, Harris. Black wolf's breed: story of France in the old world and the new, in the reign of Louis XIV. 258 72
Dole, N. H. Omar the tentmaker: Romance of old Persia. 296 41
Dunn, B. A. Young Kentuckians series,
1. General Nelson's scout. j 263 60
2. On General Thomas's staff. j 263 61
Fitzpatrick, J. P. Transvaal from within. 346 36
Flynt, Josiah. Tramping with tramps. 69 48
Gordon, C. G. In Central Africa, 1874-1879. Edited by G. B. Hill. 114 25
Haggard, H. Rider. History of the Transvaal [to 1888.] 346 37
Heilprin, Angelo. Alaska and the Klondike. 157 18
Higginson, T. W. Contemporaries. 447 48
Johnson, Clifton. Among English hedgerows. 124 43
Johnston, Mary. To have and to hold. 268 62
McCarthy, J. H. Short history of the United States. 394 53
Mason, A. E. W., *and* Lang, Andrew Parson Kelly. 223 28
Meynell, Alice. Spirit of place, and other essays. 72 36
Mitchell, D. G., American lands and letters: Leather-stocking to Poe's "Raven." 108 13
Rhodes, J. F. History of the United States, 1850 [to 1864.] 4v. 394 54-57
Walford, Lucy B. Sir Patrick, the puddock. 321 65
Waterloo, Stanley. Wolf's long howl. 321 68
White, W. A. Court of Boyville. [Stories.] 250 42
Winter, John Strange, *pseud.* Name to conjure with. 239 47
Wright, C. D. Outline of practical sociology. [American citizen series.] 69 47

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BRAINTREE.

A twelve-pound girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Jackson on Thursday.

The Gen. Sylvanus Thayer Women's Relief Corps tendered a supper to the comrades of G. A. R. Post, No. 87, in Grand Army hall, Monday evening.

Red Men's hall was a scene of a merry dancing party Thursday evening, when Miss Kate Page gave her annual dancing party.

Mrs. G. H. White is visiting relatives in Tilton and Laconia, New Hampshire.

John R. Carmichael, of Central avenue, died Thursday afternoon at the home of his son, Fred Carmichael of Pond street, at the age of sixty years. He had been very ill since autumn, and lived longer than had been expected.

Mrs. John V. Scollard and children enjoyed Saturday and Sunday with relatives in West Quincy.

The school committee at their regularmeeting on March 14th, organized by electing William C. Harding chairman and Irving W. Horne secretary. Thomas A. Watson, the retiring chairman, has served eight consecutive years in that office, and has now declined to hold office longer.

Miss Agness Locke is filling the avcancy at the South Braintree post office caused by the illness of Mrs. Joseph Hayden.

Last Wednesday, March 21st, in Pythian hall, the Raymond company of East Weymouth gave an entertainment under the auspices of the Universalist Y. P. C. U.

The Monatiquot High school boys have a number of candidates in practice and will put a strong base ball team in he field this season.

The Philergians met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Haskell of Elm street. Mrs. Stanley Hollis will entertain the next meeting, when the club will listen to a lecture by Miss Alice Morrison.

Thursday evening the Braintree Town Hall was fairly well filled with voters to take action in relation to the articles in the March warrant. In the gallery there were about twenty-five women who came with their husbands or lady friends to enjoy the oratory.

The Jonas Perkins School Association met at the home of J. Frank Perry of Lowell street, Tuesday evening. Mr. West read a very intereting extract on Manual Training. The Association voted to hold their anniversary exercises in the early part of May. One new member was admitted.

Several Socialists met at A. O. H. hall last Wednesday evening to take necessary steps toward oganizing a branch of the S. D. party. Mr. John F. Littlefield of the Braintree branch presided. Next Wednesday night a meeting is called at the same place to perfect a permanent organization.

The Bird Club will meet this Saturday afternoon at three o'clock with Mrs. J. A. Ewart of Mt. Vernon avenue. Next week's meeting will occur on Friday evening at the home of Miss S. Emma Keith of Washington street at half past seven o'clock.

Mr. C. W. Osgood of Bellows Falls, Vt., gave an excellent address to the young men at the First Congregational church last Sunday evening. A practical and spiritual sentiment was well enforced by natural experience and a fine personality.

Dr. Ernest Bent is to erect a large two and one-half story residence, consisting of twelve finished rooms, together with large spacious halls, to be heated by a hot water system. Fireplaces, electric lights, bath and all modern improvements are to be included. Chas. O. Miller has received the contract and will begin operations at once.

A very select ball was held in the Town Hall last night by the "Thirty Associates." Louis W. Thayer, the president, was floor manager assisted by numerous aids. Music was furnished by Cuff's orchestra, a concert program being rendered between 8 and 9, dancing continuing until three o'clock. At intermission supper was served in the lower hall. Tickets were limited to 75 couples. It was a very pretty gathering.

Next Sabbath March 25, Rev. Frank K. Baker will close his pastorate with the M. E. church of East Braintree. At the morning service the sacrament of baptism will be administered and members will be received into the church. The pastor will preach his closing sermon. In the evening the Sabbath school will render an excellent missionary programme, consisting of singing, recitations, dialogues, etc. The mite boxes and jugs used during the cenference year will be broken open and their contents made known. The pastor will deliver a brief address.

William Orr, janitor at the Jonas Pekins school, met with a serious accident on Friday morning. As he was filling up the heater with coal, the gas sudenly exploded throwing the red hot coals over his face and hands, burning him severely. He was removed to his home and his wounds were dressed. His son William is taking his place at the building.

FIRST SCHOOLMASTER.

(Continued from March 10.)

16 May, 1704. Then voted, by the inhabitants of Braintree, lawfully assembled, that the present selectmen treat and agree with Mr. Benjamin Thompson for an abiding schoolmaster, not exceeding thirty pounds per annum in or as money, during the time he performs the work until the present law referring to schools be repealed."

The law referred to is probably that passed three years before, which, in consequence of the neglect of diverse towns to comply with statute requiring the establishment of a grammar school, and the employment of a teacher "well instructed in tongues," had enacted more stringent measures, by penalties and otherwise, to enforce the same.

The following vote applies to the lands conveyed to the town by Coddington. It is not unadvisable that later generations should keep it in mind.

24 March, 1707. "Then voted, that the town's school lands that have hitherto been devoted to the use of the school in this town shall lie for the use of the school in this town forever."

Mr. Tompson had disappeared in 1710. He died on the 13th of April, 1714, aged 72.*

28 November, 1710. "Then voted, that Mr. Adams the present school-master, be empowered to demand a load of wood of each boy that comes to school this winter."

This provision seems to have proved difficult to enforce. For it is repeated.

28 December, 1713, "Then voted, that the parents or masters of all children or servants that go to school, shall forthwith, that is to say, upon their first or next appearance at the school, and so from this day until the first of April next coming, deliver in to the present schoolmaster, for the use of the school at the school-house, three foot of cord wood, to be the proportion for each child or servant for this year."

The following entry appears in the records:—

1 November, 1714. "Then voted, that the money formerly given to this town by Mr. Samuel Veasey, deceased, now in some person's hands, be demanded and forthwith sued for by the town treasurer, for the use of the town school."

This is followed up by another vote at a later day. It is here placed out of its order, as connected with the preceding.

10 May, 1717. "Then voted, that Deacon Moses Paine, the present town treasurer, should demand (and if need be sued for) the money remaining in Mr. Samuel Marshall's hands (of Boston), which was given by Mr. Samuel Veasey to the free school of this town in and by his last will and testiment,—and that according to the tenor of his will."

The records do not inform us what became of this benefaction.

Before this last date, a new and great step had been taken in the progress of education.

14 May, 1716, "Voted, by the inhabitants of Braintree regularly assembled, that there should be a school kept in south end of this town for one half of the year, each year, yearly, beginning the first day of october, yearly, for reading and writing, besides the present grammar school, and that to be at the charge of the town."

"Then voted, that an house be erected for the accomodating of a grammar school in this town, which shall be in some convenient place, as soon as may be, between the North Meeting-house and Mr. Benjamin Webb's land, by the committee hereafter named and appointed, as they should see meet. Against this vote Capt. John Mills entered his dissent."

"Then also voted, that a convenient school-house for writing and reading, be built and set up in some convenient place in the south end of this town, near the meeting-house, as soon as may be, and as the committee hereafter named and appointed shall see meet, at the charge of the town."

17 September, 1716. "The Moderator moved to the town, whether the old school-house by Deacon Belcher's should be disposed of as the committee hereafter appointed shall see meet. It passed on the affirmative.

It was then likewise metioned by the moderator, whether the old schoolhouse near Mr. Benjamin Webb's should be also disposed of as the committee hereafter appointed shall see meet. It passed on the affirmative.

12 May, 1718. "Voted, that the rents of the town's lands be paid into the town's treasury, for the support of the grammar school."

The next is the first movement of the schools still farther southward. The peculiar New England devices of a movable school, the natural result of a population settling in clusters on a wide surface, here first appears.

28 December, 1718. "Then voted, that the writing and reading school, granted formerly to be kept at the south end of the town, may be removed into more than one place."

(To be continued.)

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

4th SUNDAY IN LENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Teachers' meeting at chapel on Tuesday evening at 7.30, conducted by pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the Rev. George Alcott Phinney of the First Methodist church, Dorchester, in exchange with the pastor. Bible School at 12 M. Evening service at 7.30. Preaching by Mr. Arthur Bailey of Yale seminary.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, — Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Feast of the Annunciation at 9.30 A. M. Holy Communion at 10.30, children's service, morning prayer and sermon, addressed chiefly to the boys and girls. This session takes the place of the regular Sunday School session at 12 M., last Confirmation instruction in the church. At 7 o'clock Even Song and "A last word about Confirmation." All seats free. Everybody welcome.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 P. M., by pastor. Subject: "To inherit eternal life." Sunday School at 3.45 P. M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "My favorite Bible character; why?" Leader, Louis Gomez.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Rev. J. E. Waterhouse of Wollaston will preach. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Rev. Edward Norton will preach. Subject: "The martyr of Algiers." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Fort Square — Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "The equivalent to life's labors." Sabbath School and Bible class at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Mid-week service Thursday at 7.30 P. M. All cordially invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street —Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Subject: "Sonship and suffering." Sabbath School and pastor's Bible class at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Revival discourses; the revival of the pulpit." Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M. All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, WEST QUINCY—Rev. C. W. Wilder, pastor. Morning service at 10. 30. Sermon by pastor. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Junior Epworth League at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting of Epworth League at 6.15. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Class meeting Tuesday, and prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward A. Chase, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor, Subject: "Jesus' talk with Peter on cross-bearing." Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. Vespers at 4. The choir will be assisted by Master Gerald Lambert, boy soprano. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. P. M.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Preston Gurney, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Cheerful sadness." Sunday School at 12.10 P. M. Evening service at 7.30.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Frank Wright Pratt, pastor. Morning service. at 10.45. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Special music. Male quartette and violinist. All welcome.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning preaching service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Jesus' ideal of Christian fellowship." Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Friday evening service at 7.30 o'clock. All cordially invited.

CHRISTADELPHIAN LECTURE — The Christadelphians of Quincy invite you to a lecture to be delivered in Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street at 7.30 P. M. The subject is: "Earth and Heaven shall pass away with a great noise." All are welcome. Seats free, no collections.

Castle Square Theatre.

The production of the Anthony Hope plays, at the Castle Square theatre, has proved immensely popular with the patrons of this popular play house, and the demand for seats for the sequel to "The Prisoner of Zenda," known as "Rupert of Hentzau," has been so great that it is announced as the attraction at this theatre for a second week. The company has given some splendid work in these plays, the stage settings have been thoroughly artistic and the best results have attended these productions in every way. Following "Rupert of Hentzau," on Monday April 2, the Castle Square theatre management announces the comedy, by Brander Matthews and George H. Jessop, "A Gold Mine," which Nat Goodwin made popular throughout this country and which made a great hit here at the Hollis Street theatre at the time of its original production. The usual distribution of boxes of choice chocolate bon bons will be made at the Monday matinees until further notice.

Keith's Theatre.

"Joe" Hart and Carrie DeMar made such a solid hit with the patrons of Keith's Boston theatre this week that they will be retained as the headliners for another six days. Their new sketch is pronounced by all the critics one of the best they have yet given, and has enough material in it to fill out an ordinary three act farce comedy. Among the new comers will be: Harry Lacy and Ida Van Siclen, in the roaring farce, "Bob Rackett's Pajamas"; Charles E. Grapewin and Anna Chance in a new sketch, called "Above the Limit"; Clarice Vance, one of the most artistic singers of "coon" songs in the varieties; James Harrigan, the noted "tramp" comedian and juggler; A. D. Robbins, a wonderful trick and fancy bicycle rider; the Fraser troupe, international dancers, and the DeGreaux, famous equilibrists. Several excellent new views will be shown in the biograph. A great bill is being prepared for the week of April 2, to be headed by Cissie Loftus, the great mimic, and Camille D'Arville, the operatic vocalist.

A KNICKERBOCKER GIRL.

Ex-Vice President Morton's Daughter, Soon to Be Married.

Miss Edith Morton, whose engagement to William Corcoran Eustis has been announced, is the eldest daughter of ex-Vice President Levi P. Morton. Mr. Eustis is the son of the late Chief Justice Eustis of Louisiana. He is a good looking young mon who has thus far chiefly distinguished himself in playing pony polo and in hunting.

Miss Morton made her debut in Washington society several seasons ago. She is an attractive young woman, being tall, graceful and having dark brown hair. She is cultured, refined and intelligent and shows the effects of the careful training she received from her mother, for Mrs. Morton is an ideal mother and, while figuring prominently in high social circles, never allowed society to interfere with her maternal duties, watching over the education of her children with greatest solicitude.

MISS EDITH MORTON.

On her mother's side Miss Morton can claim relationship with some of the oldest Knickerbocker families of New York. Mrs. Morton before her marriage was Miss Anna Street, whose father belonged to the old Street family of Albany and whose mother was connected with the Stuyvesants and De Peysters.

Miss Morton has passed much of her time during the past few years in European capitals. The recent winter she spent in Rome. She has four sisters, all of whom are pretty girls.

THE CORN PONE MAN.

Will Run an American Restaurant at the Paris Exposition.

Major Simon Peter Gross of Lexington, Ky., proposes to introduce to the European palate such southern delicacies as corn pone, fried chicken and other dishes which are to be found on the tables of the fortunate ones below Mason and Dixon's line. Major Gross will have charge of the American restaurant at the Paris exposition. He is the man who ran the restaurant and bar in the Kentucky building at the World's fair in Chicago and introduced "Blue Grass" drinks and dishes to many Americans who had never tasted them before.

Major Gross proposes to make his American restaurant at Paris a most popular establishment. He intends to open the eyes of Europeans and to "make their mouths water." He plans to have jet black negro waiters, negro cooks and to set the famous "Blue Grass" dinner, making a specialty of corn bread, which he will serve in all styles. He will take along one of the best corn bread cooks in America, whose business it will be to see that every piece of this kind of bread goes on the table just right. He will also have a noted negro chicken cook. It is well known that nobody can cook a chicken as well as a negro, and he will make use of this fact to have the most appetizing dishes prepared from this luscious fowl. Of course he will have all kinds of American dishes, but he proposes to make specialties of corn products and southern cooking.

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Major Gross wants to make the restaurant "American" in all that the name implies, and he believes that when Europeans eat his corn bread and see how good and wholesome it is they will want to know more about it and will ultimately lay aside the hard, black bread of the continent and substitute the cheaper and healthier corn pone of America.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

GOLDEN'S REVELATION

Of Plot to "Kill Enough Democrats to Make It Our Way."

Says That Two Negroes Were Hired to Kill Goebel.

Taylor and Powers Were Implicated In Bringing Mountain Feudists to Frankfort.

Frankfort, Ky., March 26.—The conspiracy to assassinate Governor Goebel was laid bare by F. Wharton Golden, a witness for the prosecution. Golden was practically one of the conspirators and knew many of the details of their plans. He is weak, physically, and was on the point of collapse several times during the examination. He declared during his testimony that "John Powers told me that they had two niggers here to kill Goebel. They were Hecker Smith and Dick Coombs."

Golden told a story of the events leading up to the murder, that, if substantiated, will, in the minds of those connected with the prosecution at least, probably go far toward proving the contentions of the commonwealth that the murder was the result of a plan in which several prominent men were involved. Whether the defense will seek to impeach Golden's testimony in this preliminary examination is not known, as the attorneys for the defense will not talk on the subject, but, unless such attempt is made, the commonwealth will rest its case, both County Attorney Postgrove and Attorney Campbell being satisfied that enough evidence has been presented to hold the defendants on the charges.

Golden, who claims to have been a friend to Secretary Powers and his brother, John Powers, for years, gave testimony that was particularly damaging to John Powers, but he also brought in the names of many others, including Charles Finley, W. H. Culton and Governor Taylor, in his story of the bringing of the mountaineers to Frankfort previous to the assassination. Governor Taylor, however, was not directly implicated, and the attorneys for the commonwealth intimated that they do not expect to have his name brought forth prominently in the story of the alleged conspiracy.

Golden was not cross-examined, and adjournment was taken on account of his physical condition, the witness having a slight hemorrhage, and becoming so weak under the strain of the examination that he begged to be allowed a respite. He was quite nervous at times. Golden's testimony tended to show that an arrangement was made to bring several hundred "regular mountaineer feudists" to Frankfort, who would, if necessary, as Golden expressed it, "go into the legislative hall and kill off enough Democrats to make it our way."

The testimony did not show that the alleged plot to kill Goebel was part of the original plan, nor did it contain the names of those who conceived that idea. But the commonwealth sought to show by Golden's conversations with various people that not only John and Caleb Powers, but others, as well, had full knowledge of the alleged plan of assassination.

If witness Golden really goes on the stand for cross-examination today, the defense hopes to conclude the examining trial tomorrow. Golden is the last of the prosecution's witnesses, so it has been understood.

It is the general impression that the defense may make no effort to controvert Golden's statement in the examining trial. An examining judge needs to have only a reasonable suspicion of guilt to bind a prisoner over to the grand jury, and, as it is evident that Judge Moore has this, it would be folly for the defense to show its hand before the real trial.

The whole of Golden's testimony tended to throw suspicion on "Tallow Dick" Coombs, a colored barber at Beattyville. Coombs says he can prove his innocence, and is willing to go into custody if he is wanted.

A surprise may be sprung by the prosecution in the introduction of Mrs. Golden as a witness, inasmuch as it has been the impression in reports sent out from Barboursville that Mrs. Golden was angry with her husband on account of his confession.

The Republican adjutant general, Collier, denies the story that mines are being laid around the arsenal and capitol grounds, and in an explanatory letter to the Democratic assistant adjutant general, Murray, Collier says that some indiscreet men at the arsenal had dug trenches and made a pretense of laying mines to create a sensation, but the work was without the sanction or knowledge of General Collier, and the men engaged have been sharply reprimanded.

Confessed to Setting Reformatory Afire.

Boston, March 26.—After a week of investigation, Superintendent Seavey of the boys' reformatory at Rainsford isl and succeeded in locating the culprits who set the fire at that institution. George A. Effler, 18 years old; Joseph Cox, 17, and William Havey, 16, confessed their guilt. Effler and Cox were two of the boys who were concerned in a previous fire there.

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CIGARETS WORSE THAN WKISKY.

Users of "Coffin Nails" Receive a Warning From the Chief of the Weather Bureau.

Washington, March 26.—Chief Moore of the weather bureau has issued an order prohibiting the smoking of cigarets during office hours. He also announces that those who smoked them at any time would be mentioned in the confidential reports which are made to him by heads of the several offices and divisions throughout the service.

Chief Moore said yesterday: "In this service we are compelled to maintain a very strict discipline to secure satisfactory results, and I am entirely satisfied that cigaret smoking does not tend toward this end. Some of our men who were regarded as the most thorough, competent and reliable gradually became careless and lax. In almost every instance it was found that the men were cigaret fiends. Men who use cigarets seem to become deadened to the fact that neglect of duty means reproval, suspension or expulsion. I had rather have in the service a man who drinks a quart of whisky every 24 hours than a confirmed cigaret smoker. The former can be trusted when the latter cannot. Cigars and pipes are not barred."

Ungentlemanly Conduct of Students.

Columbia, Mo., March 26.—Students of the state university engaged in a furious pitched battle in the auditorium of the institution Saturday night. There was intense rivalry between the classes over the preliminary contest to select representatives of Missouri university to appear in the debate with Nebraska university. While awaiting the decision of the judges, members of the academic classes and the law students came together in front of the rostrum and fought. The lights were turned out and the struggle went on in the dark, doors being broken down and furniture smashed. Six of the students had their clothing torn into ribbons, but no one was badly hurt.

Delayed For a Few Days.

Berne, March 26.—The Delagoa Bay arbitration judgment has been postponed for a few days. This is because of difficulties which arose at the moment of signing the award with respect to the distribution of the indemnity among the different groups of claimants. The amount of the indemnity has been settled; and the question of division is one of secondary importance, which will speedily be settled. It is thought almost certain that the court of arbitration will finally leave the division to the parties themselves.

Death Attributed to Whisky.

Haverhill, Mass., March 26.—Whisky is believed to have caused the death of Jeremiah M. O'Connor, 35 years old, and unmarried, who was found unconscious in the rear of the gas works Sunday afternoon, and who died while he was being removed. With him was George Lowry, who was very much intoxicated. Lowry said that he and O'Connor had drank a large quantity of whisky, after which they laid down to sleep off the effects. O'Connor was in good health Saturday night and there is no suspicion of foul play.

Highest Wages In Thirty Years.

Philadelphia, March 26.—In accordance with their notice promising an advance to their employes, to take effect April 1, 1900, the BerwindWhite Coal Mining company yesterday notified all its miners of a general average advance of 20 percent. The miners are now placed upon a basis of 60 cents per gross ton, and all day labor increased accordingly. This advance will make the wages paid the highest paid during the past 30 years. The company have made their advances voluntarily.

Minister Regrets His Departure.

Washington, March 26.—Chin Pom Ye, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of Korea to this government, will sail from New York next Saturday for Paris to begin his new duties abroad. He has been transferred to Paris, Vienna and St. Petersburg, at which capitals he will represent his government in the future. The minister expresses his regret at leaving this country, to which he says he has become greatly attached.

Indians Surrounded by Mexicans.

Sonora, Mex., March 26.—General Torres' force of Mexican troops has a large body of Yaqui Indians surrounded north of Torin, and the early surrender or the complete annihilation of the rebels is considered certain to take place. The Indians were neatly caught in the trap, and have no means of escaping except to cut their way through the ranks of the government troops. This body is said to number fully 800 braves.

Many Thousands Will Be Idle.

Nek York, March 26.—A strike of 30,000 members of the International Association of Machinists and the Amalgamated Society of Engineers in the New York district may be precipitated this week by the action of the New York and New Jersey Machinery Manufacturers' association in organizing to resist the demand for a 9-hour day, which was to have been made on April 1. This was announced at the meeting of the Central Federated union yesterday.

Got a Generous Send Off.

Rouen, March 26.—The United States auxiliary cruiser Prairie sailed for the United States yesterday. An immense crowd bade the vessel a hearty farewell. Commander Mackenzie hoisted the tricolor, and saluted it with 21 guns, in accordance with orders from Washington.

Revolution Still On.

Kingston, Jam., March 26.—Mail advices received from Colombia report that the revolutionists have been pressing the government forces and that a large number of political prisoners, taken last week from Panama, have been banished to San Andrea.

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IS CLOSELY INVESTED.

Latest Reports From Mafeking Show the Situation to Be Very Serious.

Burghers of Philippolis Take Oath of Allegiance.

Coolness Between Roberts and Kitchener Due to Latter's Blunder at Paardeberg.

London, March 26.—The Daily Mail publishes the following from Mafeking, dated March 14: We are still being heavily shelled. There have been several casualties. Skirmishing continues in the trenches. The native food question is becoming a difficulty. The Boers have broken the arrangement to respect the Sabbath by not firing, and have seized the opportunity to extend their trenches.

Lady Sarah Wilson, in a dispatch from Mafeking, dated March 14, says: We have received news of the relief of Ladysmith, but it serves to increase our disappointment, as there is no prospect of our relief. The town remains closely invested. The Boers are reported to be very numerous and strongly entrenched between us and Colonel Plumer's force. Some of the natives are dying of starvation, owing to their prejudice against horseflesh.

Except for the "unfortunate occurrence," as Lord Roberts calls it, which resulted in the killing of Lieutenant Lygon and the wounding and capture of Lieutenant Colonel Crabbe, Lieutenant Colonel Codrington and Captain Trotter, the campaign presents no new features. The mishap to the guards' officers is a testimony to their bravery, but not their discretion. They met a party of five Boers, whom they tried to capture. The Boers took refuge on a kopje, where three of their comrades were hidden, and within five minutes every member of the British party was hit.

Mail accounts of the capture of General Cronje, just received, bring out interesting points as to the rapidity with which Lord Roberts changed his plans when he found that General Cronje had escaped from Magersfontein, where it was originally intended to attack or close in upon him. Lord Kitchener was sent forward to intercept him, and at the battle of Paardeberg, Lord Kitchener seems to have shown that he is better as an organizer than as a fighter, for it was at his order that the British infantry repeated the blunders of other generals, attacking intrenched Boers, who allowed the Britishers to get within 1000 yards before opening fire. As the British had absolutely no cover, they lost heavily and uselessly and were compelled to fall back momentarily with some amount of confusion and to withdraw their transport to a safe distance.

This fact makes a significant commentary upon the rumors that have been in circulation of some coolness between Lord Kitchener and Lord Roberts, which is said to have accounted for the former being sent to Prieska to suppress the rebellion.

Griquatown was reoccupied Thursday by 400 Boers. A column left Kimberley Friday to drive them out. It is reported that all the loyalists there, including the women, have been imprisoned.

General Clements entered Philippolis at noon Saturday. He assembled the burghers and addressed them, and read Lord Roberts' proclamation in Dutch and English. The futuer of the Free State, he declared, would have to be decided by her majesty's advisers, but the burghers might be certain that the late government at Bloemfontein would never be restored.

He advised all the inhabitants to accept the inevitable, and to obey all the orders of the military and other authorities duly appointed, intimating that the landdrost and sheriffs had been appointed under the queen. The burghers began taking the oath of allegiance, and surrendering their arms.

The Boers who on Friday killed Lieutenant Lygon of the Grenadier guards and wounded Lieutenant Colonel Crabbe, Lieutenant Colonel Codrington and Captain Trotter of the Coldstream guards, who had ridden eight or nine miles beyond their camp on the Modder river without escort, except one trooper, were members of the Johannesburg mounted police. After dressing the wounded, they sent them to the British camp in an ambulance.

The total British losses thus far, exclusive of the invalids sent home, are 16,418, in killed, wounded and missing.

The Times has the following from Rouxville, dated Saturday: Commandant Olivier, with a strong force and 15 guns, is moving north of Ladybrand. A large Boer convoy has been seen from Basutoland proceeding toward Ciocolan. General French may intercept it.

Chinaman Charged With Embezzlement.

Boston, March 26.—L. Ging, a Chinaman, 38 years old, is in custody for alleged embezzlement, upon complaint of a fellow celestial, Li Song, who claims that he gave Ging a check on the Massachusetts National bank representing $3000 in Chinese money, to be transferred to the former's Hong Kong account. Ging, it is claimed, had the money transferred to his own account and the money was sent to Hong Kong.

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Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

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— AT —

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TO be torn down and all portion thereof to be removed in ten days from sale. Said building is known as the

PIERCE BLOCK

property of the Quincy & Boston Street Railway, situated No. 4 Washington street, Quincy, will be sold on the premises MONDAY, April 2, 1900, at 2 P. M. The buyer will be held strictly to the condition of the sale,—building to be torn down and all portions thereof removed from said land in ten days from date of sale everything left upon the land at the expiration of above date will be claimed by said Company.
Terms Cash on day of sale.
Quincy, March 17. 5t-17-24-26-28-31

By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer.
Office Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

Administrator's Sale at Public Auction

Of the Household Goods of the late Frederick Souther, will be sold at late residence, Mill street, Quincy, on FRIDAY, March 30, 1900, at 1.30 P. M.

The goods consist in part as follows:

PARLOR. Square Piano, Woolen Carpet, Rug, 7 H. C. Chairs, 2 H. C. Rockers, 1 Plush Rocker, H. C. Sofa, fine large Glass, Music Rack, Music Stool, Pictures, Table.

SITTING ROOM. Stewart Parlor Stove, Woolen Carpet, Eight-day Clock, Large Glass, Bed Lounge, B. Lamp, eight foot Extension Table, 3 Chairs, one Round Chair, lot of Glassware in closet.

KITCHEN. Range, 4 Lamps, Curtains, Table, 4 Chairs, Clothes Horse, Bureau, Bench, Lot Dishes, Mason Jars, Plates, odd, 2 Wash Boilers.

CHAMBER. Antique Secretary, Table, Bedstead, Pillows, Bolster, Straw Matting, Feather Beds, 2 Chairs, Stair Carpet.

SECOND CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, 4 Pillows, Sheets, Comforters, Bureau.

THIRD CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, Commode, Pictures, Straw Matting, 2 Chairs, Rocker.

FOURTH CHAMBER. Antique Mahogany Bureau, Straw Matting, 2 Bureaus. 4 Chairs, H. C. Sofa, What Not, Pictures, Bed Ticking, Maps, Books, 2 Bags, Trunk.

STABLE. Saw, 4 Shovels, 4 Forks, Rakes, Tools, Bench, Chests, Desk, Anvil, Sick Chair, Window Glass, lot of Leather, Ship Carpenter Tools, lot of Wood, and a large variety of goods in both the House and Stable, the accumulation of years.

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Per order,
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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	31	35	48	46
Monday,	48	55	26	48	48
Tuesday,	—	65	44	44	50
Wednesday,	—	44	45	51	44
Thursday,	—	43	47	52	50
Friday,	—	58	39	56	55
Saturday,	—	39	45	48	45

New Advertisements Today.

To Let—House.
To Let—One-Half Double House.
Nice Furniture at Public Auction.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co.—Baby Carriages.
Quincy 5 and 10 cent store—Bargains.
Swingle & Falconer wants Stone Cutters.
Administrator's Notice.

Good Afternoon.

Jeff Davis is a candidate for Governor of Arkansas. The name sounds familiar.

When safer plumbing is simpler plumbing, and at the same time much less expensive, as illustrated in the Saturday Transcript, it is time there was reform, that a burden may be lifted from the shoulders of house-owners.

Congress having placed more than $2,000,000 at the disposal of President McKinley for public purposes in Porto Rico, and put itself on record against the Democratic claim that the Constitution followed the flag into our new possessions, there is no occasion for haste in further Porto Rican legislation.

With the 25-foot class forming an association of its own and then agreeing not to race south of Minots light nor east of Manchester, looks as if the Quincy Yacht club's withdrawal was beginning to be productive of good results at this early date. This class will attend the Quincy Yacht club's open race on Sept. 1.

The use of bicycles as compared with street cars is decreasing in Harrisburg, Va., according to the "Street Railway Review." Counts made on two days in 1897 showed that 67.7 per cent of the people riding past a given point were on bicycles and 32.2 per cent on street cars; in 1898 the figures were 59.3 on wheels and 40.7 per cent on cars; in 1899, 56.3 per cent. were on wheels and 43.7 on car. In 1899, the combined number on wheels and on cars was one-half the number of pedestrians.

It is more and more evident that Boston is getting head over heels into debt. Is it any wonder that some ask, who will pay it? Mayor Hart has presented figures to the Legislature which show that the total actual, expense of city and county for the 15 years ending in 1900 was $321,448,754.72, while the total tax levy on real and personal property for the same time was but $166,972,904.96, or practically one-half of the expenses. It is time that Boston made some effort to pay for some of its extravagance.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Abraham Lincoln was born in Kentucky, but he got out of that state just as soon as he was able to travel.—Chicago Times-Herald.

☞ The black hats of Cuba's past have disappeared with the mourning and the sorrow of Spanish rule, and bright and striking colors are announced in the head gear for this summer in both Cuba and Porto Rico. They will be the emblems of happier conditions.—New Bedford Standard.

☞ Every day it is apparent that the peace conference at The Hague accomplished little in the direction intended when it was called. The cost of war is more likely to bring about its abandonment as a means of settling international differences than is the sentimental consideration of its barbarity.—Brockton Times.

☞ John D. Long knows what he is talking about. When he says there is no such thing as imperialism he tells then aked truth. The word imperialism is applied to President McKinley's Philippine policy to create distrust of a man who is sincerely anxious to promote the best good of his country. —Haverhill Gazette.

☞ Forty-four million dollars is the amount of capital invested in the orange crop in Southern California. This fruit comes under the second head in the list enumerated once upon a time by Bob Burdette: There are two kinds of oranges raised in this country —the kind they sell on railroad trains and the kind that is good to eat.—New Haven Palladium.

Whiskers Singed.

Henry H. Faxon had quite a narrow escape Saturday afternoon from a serious accident. He went to the cellar of his house and opening the furnace door threw in a lot of sawdust

and rubbish to burn it up. Suddenly a sheet of flame came out into his face. His whiskers were badly singed as were also his hands.

It was quite a narrow escape and it is a wonder that he was not more seriously burned than he was.

Steam Launch for Life Savers.

Yachtsmen are behind Congressman Naphen, who has introduced a resolve in Congress asking an appropriation for a steam launch and search light for the life saving station in Dorchester bay. The Congressman has also handed to Capt. Kimball, national superintendent of the life-saving service a petition signed by the senators and congressmen from this state, urging the passage of the resolve. He has also presented to congress the monster petition signed by the officers of the 110 yacht clubs in the vicinity of Dorchester bay, the boad of aldermen and 60 members of the common council of Boston. Letters from several of the yacht clubs, emphasizing the necessity for these additions to the life-saving station, have also been sent to superintendent Kimball.

The station is equipped with two naptha launches of six and eight-horse power. There have been numerous occasions when these launches were not capable of saving some of the large yachts from serious damage in heavy weather.

Accident.

Melville Lafayette, driver of Napoleon Rodgers team, was thrown out on Copeland street Saturday afternoon and quite severely cut and bruised. He was driving down Common street and when he reached Copeland street he turned the corner too quickly the wheels striking the car tracks and throwing him out. The horse continued toward the West Quincy depot but was caught near the Willard school by Chief of Police Ripley. Lafayette was quite badly cut about the face and hands and somewhat bruised, but fortunately no bones were broken.

Frye Coming from Cuba.

Mr. Alexis E. Frye, superintendent of the Cuban schools, left Saturday for Boston. He will go to Harvard to make arrangements for the trip of the Cuban school teachers to the United States. Mr. Frye was in the training class of Col. Parker in 1875 and will probably attend if possible the Parker celebration.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
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March 26. 1t

P. O. BUILDING.

$20,000 Asked for the Site This Year.

Architect Estimates $70,000 for the Building.

Larger Office Necessary Upon Consolidation.

A Washington dispatch to the Herald says, The supervising architect of the treasury department submitted on Friday, March 23, his report on the bill introduced by Congressman Naphen calling for an appropriation of $100,000 for a public building at Quincy, Mass.

The architect has roughly sketched his ideas for a building, and reports that $90,000 will be sufficient, including the price of the site.

Congressman Naphen has asked for a hearing on the bill. It is his intention, in view of the fact that no large expenditures will be authorized by the committee at this session, to ask for $20,000 for the purchase of the site and the begining of the work. The building is intended principally for the consolidated postoffice of Quincy and Wollaston, which is now under consideration by the committee on postoffices and the postoffice department. The latter is in favor of the proposed consolidation, and the assistant postmaster-general has informed Congressman Naphen that he will favorably recommend it.

If the bill passes the committee on postoffices, it will bring about free delivery for Wollaston. With the consolidation, suitable quarters will have to be provided for the postoffice and this has been taken into consideration by the architect in making his report.

False Alarm.

Sunday morning, two Italian boys while wandering about the sand pit off Centre street, found what they took to be the remains of a human body. They promptly went to the police station, and reported the matter. Later Chief Ripley and Medical Examiner Jones were piloted to the spot by the two boys.

They found a barrel, in which were a lot of bones, some of which still had remnants of flesh hanging to them. Medical Examiner Jones made an examination and discovered that the bones were not those of a human body, but of some animal, probably a cow. He further said the bones had been sawed apart.

The barrel had evidently been buried in the sand, but had become exposed by the wind and rains. How the bones came there no one could be found who knew. The supposition, however, is that it was a lot of condemned meat which had been taken there to get rid of it. There was quite a flurry when the boys first made their report.

Coming to Quincy.

The Randolph Register says, Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Bowman of Randolph have decided to make their home at Quincy's new suburban village, Norfolk Downs, as it so much nearer Boston, and besides Mr. and Mrs. Elmer B. Paine live there, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alden are not far away. Mr. Bowman is assistant paymaster of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co., which position he has held many years. The town will be sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Bowman, for they have resided on Union street many years, still it offers best wishes for prosperity and comfort in their new home.

New St. Mary's Church.

Work will be commenced tomorrow morning on the new church edifice at West Quincy, for St. Mary's parish. The new church will be erected on the lot adjoining the present edifice on Crescent street. The church will be of granite, much of which has been donated by members of the church. Work finishing the stone will be done by the striking granite cutters, many of whom have volunteered their services.

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

Showers tonight.

The fine weather Sunday called out hundreds of bicycle riders.

The base ball seasons opens in Boston April 19.—Bostons vs. Philadelphia.

A gang of men are at work putting in an underdrain on Independence avenue.

The noon temperature today was just the same as on March 26 in 1897 and 1889.

The Tawasentha club meets Tuesday evening with Mr. A. L. Melcher of Bigelow street.

Commissioner Knowlton continues with us, but his going to Porto Rico remains undecided.

John H. Gillis has moved his bicycle store from Music hall block to the old court room building.

Mr. Frye and family, who have been wintering at the Greenleaf, return to Melrose Highlands today.

The loss on the Music hall building by the recent fire, as settled by the insurance companies, was $13,700.

Miss Graham will entertain her friends informally at a musicale in Bethany chapel on Thursday evening.

The popular stores today are the 5 and 10-cent stores, and Quincy has an up-to-date one in Tirrell's block on Hancock street.

Merrymount lodge, Ancient Order of United Workmen, will receive a visitation from the three Brockton lodges Tuesday evening.

The funeral of Jonathan D. Cain of Weymouth was held Sunday. Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., attended. The burial was at the Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

The Boston Home Journal Saturday on its front page has a fine portrait of Mr. Chandler W. Smith of Wollaston, president of the Boston Music Trade association.

It is worthy of special mention that all of the music performed at the last meeting of the Unity club was composed by Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter, formerly of this city.

Mr. Chester C. Collins of the Quincy Yacht Club took a trial spin down the bay Sunday in his new Cape cat. She has the old fashioned square stern and consequently must be a good boat for outside work.

The granite manufacturers have made no effort yet to resume business, and it is said that they will not until April 1. Swingle & Falconer today advertise for men and offer good wages on an eight-hour basis.

The loss at the Music hall fire was not as large as at the burning in 1875 of the Robertson block and the Central House which stood at the corner of Hancock and Granite streets, the site, of the Greenleaf. The loss then was about $40,000.

There was another delightful subscription party given at Brasee's hall Wollaston, on Saturday evening by Mr. C. Fred Howe, Mr. H. M. Fairbanks and Mr. C. Nelson Smith. The matrons were Mrs. Franklin Howe and Mrs. Chandler W. Smith.

Although the Music hall fire was but a few days ago, and the bill boards have been displayed at the door since, few probably can recall what was played last at the hall. The school boys know, however. They say it was the hose, on the night of the fire.

The Republican convention for the Tenth Congressional district to be held this spring will have 108 delegates. Quincy will send 21 and Milton 6, the remaining 71 being from the Boston wards. Caucuses for the choice of delegates will be held either April 17 or 18.

The Massachusetts Fields school has been praised every year for having such beautiful grass. All the people of the Park want it to outdo all the other schools in the city this year, but it will be impossible to do so if every one walks on the lawn when it is starting. It is not always children who walk on it. Mr. Dorety, the janitor, who works hard to keep the place looking well, cannot do himself justice if it is to be trampled over.

Sudden Death.

East Milton was shocked Sunday, to learn of the death of Mr. John B. Kendrick of Adams street. About 9 A. M. he had a shock of apoplexy and during the day his condition was critical and he passed away about 7 P. M. He was an instructor of the Boston Athletic Association. His widow is the daughter of Mr. John B. Newcomb of East Milton. He leaves a young son and a daughter to mourn his loss.

Quincy Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Mar. 26:
H. T. Donlan, William Emerson, H.H. Hawkers, John W. McKenzie.
Mrs. Joseph Bonner, Miss Alice E. Canbury Mrs. A. P. Ennis, Julia E. Glover, Mrs. Moses Hubbard, May Pillsbury.

Larger Water Mains.

Commissioner Knowlton commenced work this morning on Washington street, laying a twelve-inch water main between Chubbuck street and the Quincy Point bridge. This will replace the small main now in use. As soon as this is completed, a twelve-inch main will be laid on Coddington street from City Square, to connect with the twelve-inch main that comes through Valley street and supplies Houghs Neck.

Commissioner Knowlton has a gang of men at work on Coddington and Sea streets grading off that part of the street where the street railway tracks will be laid. This is so that there may be no delay in getting the new tracks down and give Houghs Neck good service this summer. Work relaying the tracks will begin as soon as the order now before the City Council passes.

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Fancy China. All kinds of Salad Dishes, Chocolate Pots, Afternoon Tea Sets, Ice Cream Sets, odd pieces, etc. etc.

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Quincy Aug 26 1y tf

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At the Store,

N. B. FURNALD,

On Washington Street,

For particulars see Mortgagee's Sale.

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage of personal property given by John Milton and his wife, Jessie Milton, both of Quincy, Massachusetts, to Sylvester R. Briggs, of Somerville, Massachusetts, dated March 8, 1899, and recorded in the Records of Mortgages of Personal Property in the Clerk's office of the City of Quincy, Book 16, page 561, which mortgage was duly assigned to Charles M. Moore, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, at the store of Napoleon B. Furnald, 70 Washington street, Quincy, Mass., on WEDNESDAY, March 28, 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the property described in said mortgage, namely:

One (1) plush parlor set of seven (7) pieces, two (2) rattan rockers, gilt stand, piano lamp and stand, three (3) mats, fur rug, fifteen (15) pictures, twenty-five (25) yards tapestry carpet, twenty (20) yards wool carpet, one (1) easel, mt. centre table, hanging lamp, "Premium" parlor stove, three (3) pairs lace curtains, oak table, "Glenwood" range and ware, cane seat rocker, one (1) pair portieres, eight (8) kitchen chairs, "Singer" sewing machine, pine table, Walker & Pratt range and ware, five (5) iron bedsteads, five (5) springs, mattresses and bedding for each, four (4) oak bedsteads, four (4) springs, mattresses and bedding for each, oak commode, twelve (12) H. W. chairs, black walnut desk, oak wardrobe, one (1) mirror, oak dressing case, black walnut cabinet, toilet stand, also one (1) Middleby portable oven with all pans and cooking utensils, bread closet, two (2) round front show cases, one (1) square show case, one (1) round upright show case, one (1) Italian soda fountain, three (3) counters, four (4) oak bench tables, five (5) lunch stools, one (1) covered baker's wagon, one (1) carryall, one (1) pung, one (1) express wagon, one (1) bay horse, two (2) sets of harness, also all crockery, glassware, tin, iron and plated ware, and each and every article of personal property on premises occupied by us at Houghs Neck in Quincy, Mass., except one (1) piano.

Said property will be sold subject to all liens or claims against the same existing at the time of the giving of said mortgage.

Terms cash.

CHARLES M. MOORE,
Assignee and Present Holder of Said Mortgage.
W. W. JENNESS, Att'y.
87 Milk street, Boston, Mass.
March 14, 1900. 15-22-26-27

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of

JEREMIAH NIGHTINGALE,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by J. Warren Nightingale of Quincy, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, or some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declined.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County, on the fourth day of April, A. D., 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
Mar. 19-3t.—19, 26, 2.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of

ABIGAIL N. CHAMBERLIN,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

(Address,) JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Adm.
303 Hancock street, Quincy.
Quincy, March 21, 1900. 3t--26-2-9

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Mortgagee's Sale.

Virtue of the power of sale contained in certain mortgage of personal property y John Milton and his wife, Jessie Mil- n of Quincy, Massachusetts, to Sylvester gs, of Somerville, Massachusetts, dated , 1899, and recorded in the Records of es of Personal Property in the Clerk's the City of Quincy, Book 16, page 561, mortgage was duly assigned to Charles ore, for breach of the conditions con- n said mortgage, and for the purpose of ng the same, will be sold at public at the store of Napoleon B. Furnald, shington street, Quincy, Mass., on ESDAY, March 28, 1900, at ten o'clock forenoon, all and singular the property d in said mortgage, namely:

1) plush parlor set of seven (7) pieces, rattan rockers, gilt stand, piano lamp d, three (3) mats, fur rug, fifteen (15) twenty-five (25) yards tapestry carpet, (20) yards wool carpet, one (1) easel, re table, hanging lamp, "Premium" tove, three (3) pairs lace curtains, oak Glenwood" range and ware, cane seat ne (1) pair portieres, eight (8) kitchen Singer" sewing machine, pine table, & Platt range and ware, five (5) iron s, five (5) sprags, mattresses and bed- each, four (4) oak bedsteads, four (4) mattresses and bedding for each, oak e, twelve (12) H. W. chairs, black esk, oak wardrobe, one (1) mirror, oak case, black walnut cabinet, toilet stand, (1) Meddeby portable oven with all cooking utensils, bread closet, two (2) ront show cases, one (1) square show e (1) round upright show case, one (1) soda fountain, three (3) counters, four bench tables, five (5) lunch stools, one red baker's wagon, one (1) carryall, pung, one (1) express wagon, one (1) ey, two (2) sets of harness, also all glassware, tin, iron and plated ware, and every article of personal property ses occupied by us at Houghs Neck in Mass., except one (1) piano.

roperty will be sold subject to all liens against the same existing at the time ing of said mortgage.

cash.

CHARLES M. MOORE,

and Present Holder of Said Mortgage.

W. JENNESS, Att'y.

17 Milk street, Boston, Mass.

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March 14. tf

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DIVIDED ON COST.

Opposition to $18,000 for a New Fire Station.

Annex for Ward Room May Be Dropped.

The Joint Committee of Council Evenly Divided.

The joint committee of the City Council on Finance, Public Buildings and Fire Department held a meeting at City Hall on Saturday evening. The Wollaston fire station order was under consideration. It was unanimously agreed that Wollaston should have a two-way house. The question is as to the cost. Wollaston's delegation has asked for an appropriation of $18,000. According to the plans presented with the order. This includes the erection of a two-way house of brick, 71 feet by 36 feet, with a tower 60 feet high. Annexed to this station by an L is a ward room, octagonial in shape, and 32 feet in diameter.

The plans have the official endorsement of Commissioner Knowlton and Chief Williams, as to their perfect adaptibility for the purpose for which they are intended. Bearing in mind the blunders and poor material which entered into the construction of the Central Fire station the specifications for this station call for only first class material.

A well-known firm of Boston contractors recently took these plans and specifications, and figuring on the basis of the best material attainable including a steam heating plant, made the total cost of the structure, exclusive of supervision and grading, $16,600.

It was estimated that by omitting the ward room that about $3,000, could be saved making the cost $13,600. It is understood that it is upon this particular point that the committee is divided, standing at the meeting 5 to 5.

It is conceded upon all sides that it is imperative that Wollaston should have a fire station ready for occupancy before winter sets in, the present building being in such a dilapitated condition that it is unfit for occupancy. The ward can get along without the ward room a couple of years longer. Chief Williams strenuously objects to having the ward room in the second story of the station as it would be a hindrance to the department in many ways. The modern idea (Malden and Medford for illustration) is to have them annexed.

It would seem as though there was an opportunity for concession from both parties. It is understood that the opposition will favor an order for $15,000 to cover building, heating, lighting, and grading, in fact the total cost of the structure, but will oppose to the last the $18,000 order. On the other hand the Wollaston delegation strenuously favors $18,000.

It is probable that a compromise will be effected by amending the order so that it shall read $15,000, and asking for the construction of the fire station with the omission of the ward room for the present.

Architecturally the building will be a great addition to the city. The erection of a public building is a matter of art as well as of construction. The creditable appearance of the city, its attractiveness for visitors, and therefore, to a great extent its prosperity depends very largely upon the character of its public buildings. Our city has been peculiarly unfortunate in its civic architecture.

TODAY'S COURT.

Alvah T. Beede was arraigned for riding a bicycle upon the grass at the Metropolitan Reservation, and was fined $5.

Stephen Dywer pleaded nolo contendere, upon a complaint for larceny at Weymouth, and he case was placed on file.

Walter T. Roel was fined $7 for drunkenness at Randolph.

The continued case of Moses Magaughe of Randolph was called, and he was fined $5.

The continued case of James Sullivan for drunkenness at Braintree, was called, and he was defaulted.

—Genius, without energy, iz az bad hop az a luxuriant hop vine without enny pole.—Josh Billings.

DIED.

CUTLER—In Quincy, March 24, Bessie, daughter of Mr. Michael and Mrs. Ida E. Cutler of Arthur street, aged 3 years, 6 months and 22 days.

ROSS—In Quincy, March 23, Miss Margaret Ross of Quincy street, aged 73 years and 4 months.

KENDRICK—In East Milton, March 25, Mr. John B. Kendrick of Adams street.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents

CLUBHOUSE RULES.

Ladies and Non-Residents Admitted to Cochato Club.

The house rules of the new Cochato club of Braintree are as follows:

1. The clubhouse will be open at 8 a. m. No member will be allowed in the house after 12 p. m., at which hour the lights must be extinguished and the house closed; provided, however, that if no members are present at 11 o'clock, the janitor may close the house at that hour. All games must stop at 11.30 p. m.

2. No person shall take from the clubhouse any newspaper, pamphlet, book or other article, the property of the club, or mutilate, deface or destroy the same.

3. Complaints or suggestions must be made in writing, addressed to the house committee, and placed in a box provided for the purpose.

4. The billiard room, card room and bowling alleys shall be closed on evenings of regular or special meetings of the club [regardless of state of games in progress] during the continuance of such meetings.

5. No dogs will be allowed in the clubhouse.

6. No smoking will be allowed in the ladies parlor and reading room.

7. No games will be allowed in the clubhouse from 11.30 o'clock on Saturday evening until its opening on Monday.

8. All charges will be regulated by the house committee. Games at the pool tables will be open to all members.

9. Use of billiard tables shall be limited to games of fifty points, if tables are wanted by other members, in which case applicants shall be served by the janitor in order of application.

10. Use of bowling alleys shall be limited to three strings if other members wish to bowl, in which case applicants will be served by the janitor in the order of application.

11. No card playing will be allowed outside the rooms designated for that purpose.

12. No refreshments of any kind will be served above the first story without the permission of the house committee.

13. No member or visitor shall be allowed to give, under any pretext whatever, money or any gratuity to any one in the employ of the club.

14. The house committee shall have charge of the letting of the hall or any other portion of the house.

15. Every visitor must be introduced by a member, and must register his or her name and that of the introducing member in a book kept for that purpose.

Cards for strangers, entitling the holder to the privilege of the club for a period of not more than two weeks, may be obtained from the house committee.

Residents of the town shall not be introduced oftener than once in thirty days by any member, and whenever introduced shall be considered as visitors. No resident of the town shall be introduced on any ladies' night, or on the occasion of any special entertainment.

16. Residents of the town, introduced as visitors, shall enjoy the privileges of the house, and all expenses of such visitors shall be charged to the members introducing them.

17. A non-resident of Braintree may be admitted to the privileges of the clubhouse under the same rules as members, upon payment of a fee of three dollars a month in advance. [This does not apply to regular non-resident members whose dues are only seventy-five cents a month. Persons who do not wish to become members and pay the entrance fee, may be permitted to enjoy the club for a shorter or longer period by paying three dollars per month.] All applications for such privilege to be made to the secretary in writing, and approved by the president, or in his absence by one of the vice-presidents, or in the absence of all these officers by any two members of the executive committee. This privilege may be revoked at any time for cause deemed sufficient by the committee.

16. The janitor is required to notify members of any violation of the rules of the house and report the same to the house committee.

19. The duties of the janitor shall be defined by the house committee.

Columbia Theatre.

"The Rounders" will stay at the Columbia one week longer. The extension of the engagement has been effected with Mr. Lederer, who will be obliged, in order to accede to the requests of Manager Chamberlyn, to postpone the sailing of the company for London for a week, and curtail the London engagement by that length of time, the Columbia management forfeiting $1,500 therefor. The success of the show in Boston has far exceeded even the expectations of Mr. Lederer and the Columbia management. [There will be no changes in the cast, and in fact no improvement could well be made on such a company of artists as Tom Seabrooke, Dan Daly, D. L. Don, Fred Urban, Madge Lessing, Marie George and Phyillis Rankin, not to mention many other talanted ladies and gentlemen and the big chorus of fine looking women. On April 2d, "Mam'selle 'Awkins" will play a return engagement at the Columbia, where its recent production met with such enormous success.

SIGHT OF EYES REGAINED

Chicago Woman Sees Again After Seven Years of Blindness.

MIRACLE WORKED BY SURGERY.

Pressure on the Nerves of Mrs. F. G. Parker's Eyes Relieved by Trephining the Skull—Operation Was Performed by Doctors Stringfield and Haight.

The miracle working hand of modern surgery laid on sightless eyes has released Mrs. F. G. Parker of Chicago from a seven years' bondage in darkness. For the first time in all these years she opened her eyes upon the light of the sun the other day and was able to distinguish material objects with almost as strong a vision as she had seven years ago, when stricken with the affliction, says the Chicago Post. The removal of the bandages from the eyes of the patient at the Baptist hospital at 6 o'clock the other evening was the climax of the operation performed a few weeks ago upon the brain and optic nerves of Mrs. Parker in an effort to restore her sight. The operation marked a departure in the field of modern surgery and is the only one of its kind of which records have been made.

Dr. C. Pruyn Stringfield and Dr. Allen T. Haight, the surgeons who performed the operation, awaited the removal of the bandages with anxiety, but with confidence that their work would be successful. The result awakened intense interest at the hospital, and the attendants gathered the other evening to witness the result the removal of the bandages would reveal. Carefully the linen and cotton were rolled back from the eyes of the patient, and with a cry of joy she recognized the faces of friends upon which she had not looked for seven years. The spectators were moved, but the bandages were quickly replaced, that even the dim light might not injure the eyes weakened by so long a darkness, and the surgeons received the congratulations of their colleagues interested in the case. The patient remains at the hospital, and the bandages will be removed for short intervals every day until the eyes can bear the full glare of day.

Shortly after her marriage seven years ago Mrs. Parker's sight began failing rapidly, and soon total blindness came. Examinations by specialists showed her eyes to be apparently perfect. The Parkers moved east, and after a residence there of six years Mrs. Parker returned to Chicago six months ago. Dr. Stringfield made an examination of her eyes and declared his belief that blindness was caused by pressure upon the cerebral blood vessels. To diagnose the case a skiagraph of the brain was made by Dr. Walter Metcalf, and this disclosed the fact that there was hypertrophy of the occipital lobe of the brain. Mrs. Parker was told of the results of the diagnosis and advised that an operation probably would restore her sight. She readily consented to it. She was prepared for the operation by a six weeks' course of prescription and at the expiration of that time was taken to the hospital for the operation.

Dr. Allan T. Haight assisted Dr. Stringfield in the work, and several other specialists were present. The skull was trephined, and an examination of the brain showed that there was pressure upon the blood vessels that nourished the optic nerves. Incisions were made, and the pressure was relieved.

It was found that the retarded flow of the blood was resumed, and the patient's eyes were bound up. Mrs. Parker rallied from the shock and the anæsthetic, and since that time her physical condition has improved steadily. After a month of recuperation it is thought complete sight will be restored, and the patient may then dispense with all protection for her eyes.

Mrs. Parker can hardly restrain her impatience to have the bandages taken off since her first glance which told her she could really see. Her first thought was to turn to the surgeons and thank them with tears of gratitude for what they had done.

"How strange things appear. I want to see everything," she said in a voice choked with emotion.

"The operation has been in every way satisfactory," said Dr. Haight.

"The bandages were removed at the hospital," said Dr. Stringfield, "and if you do not believe that the patient can see you should have a talk with Mrs. Parker herself or with the attendants at the hospital. The operation was for the purpose of removing pressure from the cerebral blood vessels which nourish the optic nerves, and the elimination of the pressure restores the sight. The bandages will have to be kept on until her eyes are strong enough to bear the light."

The Birds of Patagonia.

Professor W. E. D. Scott, the head of the department of ornithology of Princeton university, has left for London, where he will consult with Curator Bowdler Sharpe of the ornithological department of the British museum with a view to completing a monograph on the birds of Patagonia, says the New York Sun. Professor Scott has taken with him the very complete collection of Patagonian birds possessed by the university, and he will compare them with birds from the same region in the museum, which has the largest collection in the world. He expects to be engaged on the work about two months. The monograph will be one of the series on the fauna and flora of Patagonia which is being prepared by specialists in the United States under direction of the university.

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WEYMOUTH.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Townsend of Scituate spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mr. Osborne of Porter.

Rev. William Kirkby preached his farewell sermon Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lucinda Pratt intertained a number of her friends at her home on Pleasant St. Wednesday Evening, March 21.

Mr. Albert Kirkby of Boston took charge of the meeting Sunday evening at the Porter church.

Opposed to Woman Suffrage.

Another Colorado woman has been found who is opposed to woman suffrage, and this one is not afraid to give her name, her address and her reasons. She is Mrs. John Guth of Denver, who conducted a gambling-house on Eighteenth street, and is popularly known as the "policy queen." The great Woman's club of Denver with a membership of about a thousand influential women, is exerting itself to secure the honest enforcement of the law against gambling, and the fact that the women have the ballot strengthens their hands in this effort. The Denver News, after describing Mrs. Guth and her gambling-house says:

"This woman, when she learned that her business was to be interrupted said: "I wish some people in Denver would learn to let other people alone when they are pursuing a legitimate business for a living. If these woman suffragists who leave their homes and babies to run about in politics and mix up with the people's affairs would stay at home and do what they were put there for, Denver would become a good town. Things were just getting to that point where business was given an impetus by the freedom of the people, and now comes this crowd to set the town back again."

It will be remembered that "Bat" Masterson of Denver, in an interview in the Boston Post, declared that woman suffrage had ruined the city by its depressing effect on the gambling industry. On inquiry, it was found that he was a prize-fighter who had killed several victims, and that his own gambling-house, among others, had been closed as a result of equal suffrage. Alice Stone Blackwell.

Among the Magazines.

The coming of Easter season is heralded by a variety of features in the Woman's Home Companion. There is an article discussing Easter observances in foreign countries, a variety of suggestions for entertaining an Easter party, and a practical paper on making appropriate Easter gifts, together with a "Ballad of the Barren Easter," by Clinton Scollard. Newell Dwight Hillis, the popular pastor of Henry Ward Beecher's old church, writes of the "Achievements of the Nineteenth Century." The concluding paper on "Social Life in the United States Navy" is bright and informing, while Mrs. Burton Harrison's picturesque romance, "Chateaugay," reaches a most absorbing stage.

At the Farm School on Thompson's Island off Squantum in Boston Harbor, the boys' government which was there established as an experiment some years ago has proven most successful. The dozen play houses of "Cottage Row," as the little settlement is called, were built by the boys themselves, and form a miniature municipality. Mr. Max Bennett Thrasher, for nearly two years officially connected with the Farm School, contributes to the New England Magazine for April, a most interesting account of this "Government of Boys, for Boys, by boys," and his paper is fully illustrated, many of the views being from photographs taken by the Farm School pupils. Warren F. Kellogg, 5 Park Square, Boston, Mass.

—The Philadelphia Record has noticed that even the lazy man's wife worships her idle.

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TO LET—House, 8 rooms, city water, No. 7 Faxon Ave., now occupied by Warren D. Higgins. HENRY H. FAXON. Mar. 26. 1m

TO LET—On Elm Street. One-half of double house, five rooms and attic. City water. Apply on premises. S. C POPE, 31 Elm St. March 26-tf

TO LET—Newly furnished front room with with bath. No. 25 Gay street. March 22. 6t

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Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.

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Small stable, No. 2 Quincy street. $3 per month.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon 1 6:25 a. m. | Full Moon 16 5:13 a. m.
First Quarter 8 0:34 a. m. | Third Quarter 24 9:36 a. m.
New Moon 30 3:30 p. m.

No Fun For the Lion.

The monkeys hold a nut cracking party in the jungle.—New York Journal.

Watson Is Out of Politics.

Atlanta, March 26.—The expression by Henry Waller of the middle-of-the-road Populists to the effect that Thomas E. Watson could have the nomination of president in that party's ticket was sent to Mr. Watson at his home in Thompson. Mr. Watson's reply was: "I am out of politics."

Fall River Church Dedicated.

Fall River, Mass., March 26.—The new Catholic church of SS. Peter and Paul in this city was dedicated on Sunday with appropriate ceremonies. The new church is a revival of the 17th century Mexican architecture, the work of Boston architects, and has been erected at a cost of $100,000.

No Plague at 'Frisco.

San Francisco, March 26.—The work of cleaning Chinatown is still progressing, but the stories which have been persistently circulated that bubonic plague exists in San Francisco have been so far without foundation. There has been no authenticated case of plague yet reported.

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Fitzsimmons and McCoy Matched.

New York, March 26.—Fitzsimmons and "Kid" McCoy have been matched to meet on July 4 next. Both men posted $2500 forfeit, with the understanding that they are to double this when articles are signed with the club which gets the match. The men have agreed to box 25 rounds at catch weights.

Rusie Will Play With Giants.

New York, March 26.—New York's star pitcher, Amos Rusie, has decided to return to the fold of the Giants. A telegram received yesterday by "Buck" Ewing from Rusie announced that he had signed his contract for 1900, and would report in New York this week.

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PUERTO RICAN TARIFF.

Foraker Would Have It Acted Upon as a Distinct Measure.

Disposition to Make Concessions to Free Traders.

Senate Will Consume Greater Part of This Week In Discussing the Matter.

Washington, March 26.—The Republican senators will make another effort in caucus, at 4 p. m. today, to reach an agreement upon a line of policy to be pursued with reference to Puerto Rican legislation.

Previous to the caucus Senator Foraker, who is in charge of the legislation, expects to secure the approval of the senate committee on Puerto Rico for the separation of the tariff feature from the governmental bill with the view of having the senate pass upon the tariff question disconnected from all other features of the subject. The house bill is a tariff measure simply, and with the separation effected the next effort will be to secure legislation upon the basis of the house bill.

The caucus is expected to deal only with the house bill, and the particular question which the caucus will have to decide is whether the house bill shall be accepted as it came from the house or be amended. There are two contending elements on the Republican side of the senate, one of which is disposed to demand that the tariff bill shall stand unamended and the other that it shall be displaced by a free trade measure pure and simple.

The tariff men are, however, manifesting a disposition to make concessions in the interest of harmony, and there will be little doubt of the modification of the bill with the view of placating the free traders if there were any certainty of securing the concurrence of the house in the amendments proposed.

Regardless of the attitude of the house the caucus will have an opportunity to decide between taking the bill as it stands and amending it, taking the chances in the latter event of rejection by the house.

Of the amendments suggested, one which is receiving favor provides for a tariff, but leaves it optional with the legislature to be established in Puerto Rico to decide how long the system shall continue in force. Another proposed amendment provides for the continuance in force of the present executive free list and its possible enlargement.

It is considered possible that the amendments may be adopted, but before they are acted upon Senator Foraker will impress upon the caucus the possibility of an adverse attitude on the part of the house and of a deadlock between the two bodies in case the bill is amended.

The extreme tariff men claim that they have votes sufficient to carry the house bill unamended. The free traders claim 14 Republican votes in opposition, which would be sufficient to defeat the bill.

The senate will give the greater share of its time again this week to the Puerto Rican question, and the outlook is for the continuation of the animated scenes of last week. Puerto Rico, however, according to present indications, will step aside temporarily at the beginning of the week, in order to afford Senator Carter an opportunity to secure consideration for his Alaskan code bill.

The present conditoln of affairs in Alaska and the prospect of a still greater influx of people into that territory make the Alaskan legislation very important, and the condition of the Puerto Rican legislative affairs is such as to make it convenient to give Alaska the much-desired opportunity.

Until the Republican caucus on the Puerto Rican question acts the senators having charge of the measure will not desire to press it. The Alaskan bill probably will not arouse any general debate, but the measure is a mass of detail, and it necessarily will call for more or less explanation from its framers, the members of the committee on territories.

The army appropriation bill will be taken up in the house today, and doubtless will serve as a text for a wide latitude of discussion on military affairs in general, and the cost of the war establishment under the new condition of affairs. The latter part of the week will be devoted to the naval, the agricultural or the fortification appropriation bill, although the exact order has not yet been fixed for taking them up.

After a brief and spirited debate the house on Saturday took the last congressional step in completing the Puerto Rico relief bill, agreeing to the conference report by a vote of 135 to 87. The bill turns over to the president, for the use of Puerto Rico, about $2,000,000 of custom receipts collected on Puerto Rican goods up to Jan. 1 last, and such amounts as may hereafter accrue until otherwise provided by law. The debate lasted only an hour, but in this time the whole range of Puerto Rico legislation was discussed.

The Puerto Rican appropriation bill was signed by the president at 4:29 p. m., Saturday. Comptroller Dawes was the only person present when the president attached his signature.

Inducements Offered to Mormons.

Chihuahua, Mex., March 26.—The several Mormon colonies in this state have been increased in population by the arrival of over 5000 Mormon immigrants from Utah during the last two months. The colonies were established under concessions granted by the Mexican government.

Drunken Man Kills His Wife.

Oil City, Pa., March 26.—Amos Elder, an oil well driller, shot and killed his wife last night. Elder was intoxicated at the time, and the shooting occurred after a terrible struggle, in which the woman sought to save her life. The murderer escaped.

CONSPIRED TO DEFRAUD.

Banker Baxter and Accountant Lenieux Found Guilty of Hypothecating Bank Funds.

Montreal, March 26.—James Baxter, banker, and Ferdinand Lemieux, accountant of the defunct Banque Ville Marie, accused of conspiring to defraud the bank, were found guilty in the court of queen's bench yesterday. The jury added a strong recommendation to mercy on account of Baxter's age. He is about 70.

Baxter presented checks at the bank, in which he had no funds. They were initialled by Lemieux, the accountant, and cashed by Herbert, the paying teller, who held the checks as cash, deceiving the president of the bank by loading packages of $10 bills with $1 bills in the middle. The total amount raised was about $50,000. Lemieux and Herbert receiving one-third as commission. Herbert turned queen's evidence. Baxter did a big note shaving business. He came to Chicago in the 70s.

Old Time Bank Robber In the Toils.

Chicago, March 26.—James Dunlap, one of the most notorious safe blowers and bank robbers in the country, was arrested here Saturday evening while carrying a satchel full of safe blowers' tools in his hand. He is best known in police circles for having helped to rob the Northampton (Mass.) National bank in 1876. He served about 20 years in the Massachusetts penitentiary for that robbery and then came to Chicago after being pardoned. He opened a saloon and continued in business until a few months ago. In his apartments the police found a valise containing a complete bank "creepers" outfit. The Chicago authorities have no charge against Dunlap, but believe he is guilty of a number of bank robberies that have occurred in several small towns near here.

Property Loss Not Heavy.

Boston, March 26.—The inmates of a Hanover street block got a bad fright from fire early Sunday morning, and 10 women and children were rescued by police officers. The fire started in a dry goods store, occupied by Bertha Stone, and originated probably from an overheated stove. With the exception of the first floor, the building was used as tenements by five families. The men were able to get out without assistance, but several children were badly overcome by smoke. The women were frightened and hysterical. Two lost complete control of themselves, and fought against their rescuers. The fire was extinguished after a loss of $1000.

Presented With Unsavory "Bouquets."

Bradford, Eng., March 26.—An open air meeting convened here yesterday by Boer sympathizers proved an utter fiasco from their point of view and was turned into a huge patriotic demonstration. The pro-Boer speakers were unable to obtain a hearing. Dead cats and other unsavory missiles were thrown at them, and they were violently hustled on quitting the platform. Despite the presence of 120 policemen there was much disorder.

A Brooklyn Tragedy.

New York, March 26.—Edward Leasure, 22 years old, killed George Crotty, 38 years old, in Brooklyn last night. Leasure boarded at Crotty's home, and his relations with Crotty's wife were such as to cause an ill feeling between the two men. Last night Crotty met his wife on the street in Leasure's company. A quarrel ensued, and Leasure drew a revolver and shot Crotty twice. Crotty died at a hospital an hour later.

Sealers Having a Fine Catch.

St. John's, March 26.—The sealing steamer Leopard and other successful steamers have been heard from. Judging from reports thus far received the total number of seals actually taken by the fleet is about 296,000, and the prospect is that, as four weeks of the season have yet to run, this total will be increased by some 60,000. As the entire catch last year was only 247,000, this year's figures promise to be the best within 20 years.

Ice May Be Scarce Next Summer.

Augusta, Me., March 26.—Leading icemen say that, while a fair crop of ice has been secured the past winter, it will be considerably short of the full housing capacity. It is estimated that, including all the old ice on hand, the winter's pack will fall about 270,000 tons short of a full crop. Reports from the Penebscot are said to indicate a similar condition of affairs on that river.

Loss of $30.000 by Fire.

Contoocook, N. H., March 26.—Nearly $30,000 worth of property was destroyed by a fire that started in the grocery store of W. C. Tasker early Sunday morning. The Jones block, the Danforth block, Kimball's block and a storage barn were all destroyed, and Davis' block and the highway bridge were badly damaged. Most of the burned buildings will be at once rebuilt.

Three Thousand Acres Burned Over.

Plymouth, Mass., March 26.—An extensive forest fire that started Saturday afternoon near Federal Furnace farm, and has extended over a tract of probably 3000 acres, near the Carver town boundary, in a northeasterly direction toward Great South pond, is still burning, despite the efforts of 200 or more men to check it. No houses have, as yet, been burned.

White Man and Negro Lynched.

Richmond, March 26.—The reign of excitement in Greenesville county culminated in a double lynching at Emporia. Both Cotton, the negro, who, according to his own confession, killed Saunders and Welton, and O'Grady, the white man, who was with him in the cabin when the killing occurred, were hanged by a mob estimated at from 1500 to 2000.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The barometer is low throughout the United States. In the west and portions of the west gulf states temperatures have risen to 2 to 16 degrees, and they have fallen 12 to 22 degrees from eastern Kentucky and West Virginia southward into northern Georgia. On Tuesday generally fair weather will prevail, except rain or snow in New England. On the New England coast winds will be variable, though mostly easterly.

NO RELIGIOUS PERSECUTION

Transvaal and Orange Free State Declared to Be Liberal to All Denominations.

Baltimore, March 26.—An enthusiastic mass meeting of Boer sympathizers here yesterday was addressed by Montagu White, representing the Transvaal, and Philip L. Wessels of the Orange Free State. Mr. White said in part:

"The Dutch simply want to be let alone, to live by themselves and remain a free and independent nation, the same as America. The war is far from being ended. Events will follow shortly which will startle the world.

"General Cronje's defeat was nothing for the English to be proud of. The Boer general was outnumbered ten to one, and had it not been for the terrible situation he was placed in by the intolerable stench of dead horses and mules, which was fast breeding disease, Cronje's gallant band would have been in the trenches today."

Among other things, Mr. Wessel said: "I want to emphatically deny that there is anything like a religious persecution of the Catholics, Jews or any other denomination in the Transvaal or the Free State. The Roman Catholic church is one of the most prosperous religious denominations in South Africa, and, as for the Jew, the plum that he has picked out of that country does not appear that he has been persecuted. Mr. Bauman, a Jew, is our chief surveyor of the Orange Free State, and another Jew is master of transportation of the federal army. A fine Jewish synagogue was recently erected in Bloemfontein, and President Steyn presided at the exercises held when the movement to build it was started. Mr. Carroll, who was manager of my store for years, is an Irish Catholic, and now holds a high position in the government service.

"In Bloemfontein we have a home which is run by Catholic sisters, a school and other Catholic institutions, which receive state aid. Under the shadow of President Kruger's church in Pretoria is a great convent of Catholic nuns, who have a college which is aided by the state."

Colonists and Shipwrecked Seamen Arrive.

New York, March 26.—Among the passengers who arrived yesterday on the steamer Olinda, from Cuban ports and Fortune island, were 50 stranded colonists from La Gloria and 25 shipwrecked seamen. Twenty of the latter are from the Norwegian steamer Frammes, which was swept ashore by currents in the Bahamas, on the night of March 2, and became a total loss. The other shipwrecked passengers, five in number, were from the American schooner Hattie Godfrey, which was lost on Romanos reef.

Children Played With Dynamite.

Brookline, Mass., March 26.—Sixty-five pounds of dynamite were found by the police buried under a brush pile in a vacant lot here, the attention of an officer having been called to the place by the discovery of two of the sticks in the possession of children, who had picked them up while playing about the brush heap. It was learned that the dynamite had been concealed for safety by a Boston firm of contractors.

Stricken by Death In Church.

Haverhill, Mass., March 26.—While attending the Trinity M. E. church Sunday afternoon, Mrs. E. Frances French suffered a paralytic shock and died in a few moments from its effects. She leaves no family.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

"Free Trade With Puerto Rico" was the subject for discussion at the dinner of the New England Free Trade league at Boston, and policy of President McKinley in dealing with the Puerto Rico and Philippine questions was severely attacked.

The Clinton liberal institute at Fort Plain, N. Y., a college preparatory school and military academy, was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $100,000. The personal losses of the members of the faculty and students are heavy.

Ira E. Bride, one of the oldest and best auction pool sellers and bookmakers in the country, died at Detroit, aged 65 years, of paralysis.

St. Ann's Roman Catholic church at Eel Brook, near Yarmouth, N. S., was reduced to ashes. The loss is $10,000.

The outlook for the adoption of a sliding scale of wages mutually satisfactory to manufacturers and operatives of Fall River is far from bright.

The Massachusetts general hospital has received a gift of $75,000, conditional upon the same amount in addition being raised, to be used for a new out patient building. The gift has been formally accepted. The name of the donor is not made public.

Since the announcement that a fund would be raised for the benefit of the widow of General Henry of the United States army many contributions have been received by the committee in charge. The total to date is $6362.

Secretary Hay states that, so far as he knows, there is no foundation for the announcement by Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian premier, that the American-Canadian commission will soon reassemble.

A fire in the Potter block at Stonington, Conn., caused upwards of $9000 damage.

Rollo O. Heikes of Dayton, O., captured the "castiron" medal, emblematic of the American championship at live pigeons, at Yardville, Pa.

The state department has issued the necessary papers for the extradition of Nathan Musher, who has been arrested and detained in London. Musher is charged with forging notes in New York and securing $20,000 on them.

Mrs. N. B. Vars, aged 24, of Kittemaug, Conn., died as a result of a quantity of poison taken by mistake.

The international chess match between English and American teams resulted in favor of America by six games to four.

John Scott, editor and proprietor of the Peterboro (N. H.) Transcript, died at a hospital at Wellesley, Mass. About a week ago he left Peterboro in a nervous condition and grew constantly worse. He was born in Peterboro in 1844 and always resided there. He served in the army and was a member of the New Hampshire legislature of 1887-88.

Letters received from Mr. Clemens (Mark Twain) say that he and his family will soon return to Hartford and take up their permanent home there.

CHILDREN'S NOVEL SCHOOL.

Virginia Farm to Be Made the Home of a New Pedagogy.

A new departure in educational institutions is to be made by Dr. Maximilian Groszmann of Milwaukee, who recently left for Virginia, where on a small farm he will establish a school for what are technically known as "minor mental abnormalities," but which Dr. Groszmann explains are merely the "queer" children of many a household whose right development can best be secured by taking them out of their home environment. The school will open on April 1. It will be backed by New York people who are interested in the subject, and it already has its pupils promised.

"The school will be something entirely new in education circles of the United States," said Dr. Groszmann recently to a reporter of the Milwaukee Sentinel. "Of late there have been a number of schools for feebleminded children and more recently still the psychological school of Dr. Dewey in Chicago, which is doing a great work. But the feebleminded schools do not reach the class of children I have in mind, while the Dewey school cannot meet all their needs, admirable as it is.

"My plan is to take a comparatively small number of abnormal children who are the victims of family environment or who are overprecocious or apparently dull and educate them along natural lines, giving them plenty of manual training, much nature work and seeing that the special needs of each case are studied from the most approved theories of child study. It is estimated that fully 10 per cent of the children in the public schools should by right have special attention instead of being brought under the hard and fast rules of a large school system. You will find them both in the homes of the rich and of the poor, though the cause is usually different in the respective cases. Often, indeed, the best possible thing for such a child is to remove him from his home surroundings and place him in a healthful educational atmosphere, where the best that is in him will be brought out and his body and mind so trained that he can go back to his proper place in the home and the school."

The farm where the Groszmann school is to be located is near Charlottesville, Va. It was purchased by Dr. Groszmann when his failing health compelled him to give up his work in the ethical culture schools of New York a few years ago. The climate is such that the children can have an outdoor life all the year around, while the scenery is beautiful. A staff of teachers will be carefully chosen, but it is Dr. Groszmann's idea that most of the teaching shall be from the concrete example found in the life on the farm and in its locality, and he will have a direct personal superintendence of each child. Life is to be kept as primitive as possible, so as to counteract the enervating effects of the overrefinement of the homes from which the children come. There will be pigs and cows and chickens and "chores" to be done, not because of any desire to save expense, but for educational value in the "choring."

SEARCHLIGHT SUBSTITUTE.

Device to Pick Up Objects at Sea and Conceal the Ship's Position.

Experiments have been recently conducted at the naval proving station at Indian Head with an invention designed to do away with the necessity of using the searchlight on shipboard on occasions when it is desired to "pick up" objects within a limited distance and yet conceal the ship's identical position from an enemy. The invention, according to the New York Sun's Washington representative, consists of a shell filled with gas. When the shell explodes, it illuminates a considerable area. Its one weak point is that so far no shell has been found with walls sufficiently heavy to stand the shock of explosion required to project it more than a mile or two. Four and 6 inch rifles have so far been used in the trials, and the best results secured have been with a shell that explodes and sets the fuses burning when one mile distant from the ship.

Lieutenant Strauss, who has charge of the station, has made some very successful trials with the invention recently and is encouraged to believe that if a shell can be made which will stand the shock of exit from the rifle and at the same time will explode at the proper time a light can be produced that will answer many purposes of the searchlight and have the advantage of not disclosing the precise locality of the vessel firing the torch. Its usefulness would be apparent in a closed harbor, where it might not be advisable to use a searchlight at all times. After the tests have been concluded at Indian Head several specially made projectiles filled with the new invention will be sent to some of the ships with a request that they continue the trials when practicable. It is believed that a shell can be manufactured capable of discharging the explosives at a distance of at least five miles.

Wonderful Case of Private O'Leary.

The case of Private O'Leary of the West Surrey regiment, who arrived in the Nile, was extraordinary. On Dec. 15 he was shot in the head, the bullet penetrating the brain and rendering him dumb and blind, while later paralysis set in on his left side. At Maritzburg hospital under the superintendence of Sir William MacCormac he was operated on, the bullet being successfully extracted and an ounce of the brain and several pieces of the skull taken out, says the London Daily News. O'Leary afterward regained speech and was able to see and is regaining the use of his left leg. Sir William MacCormac termed it a marvelous recovery.

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Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

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Quincy and Brockton.

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r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
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r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
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r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
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r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and ry 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour til 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

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Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK OWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and ry 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 5 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

ON VERGE OF RUIN.

Merchants National Bank of Rutland, Vt., Compelled to Close Its Doors.

Cashier Confesses to Misappropriation of $145,000.

Directors Blind as to Peculations Extending Over a Period of Nearly Six Years.

Rutland, Vt., March 27.—The Merchants' National bank closed its doors yesterday, and the cashier, Charles W. Mussey, is under arrest, charged with the misappropriation of the funds of the bank. The amount of the shortage is $145,000. The Merchants' National, formerly one of the strongest institutions in the state, stands on the verge of ruin, unless the stockholders come to its assistance and help the remaining assets to pay off the $351,000 due its depositors.

Mussey confessed his guilt to the entire board of directors, having come back from Albany with a local detective, who traced him to the New York capital when he failed to appear before his employers late Saturday afternoon. He remained in close detention in the bank all day Monday, practically under arrest in a civil suit brought by the bank for $50,000, but Monday night the United States authorities formally arrested him on a charge of embezzlement and lodged him in the county jail.

Coincident with Mussey's confession came the closing of the music store of H. A. McClure, Jr., the business of which, according to the confession of the cashier, has been supported by the funds of the bank.

Mussey began his peculations from the bank nearly six years ago with a comparatively small amount and gradually increasing until the amount became too great to remain hidden. Still, even National Bank Examiner Muir was deceived by the cashier only a few months ago, the entire deficit being made to appear good through a large number of forged notes which Mussey inserted.

Mussey told the directors that he loaned McClure $2000 six years ago, and that the amount was returned. Since then, however, other loans were made without the knowledge of the directors, until the ball rolled up to the sum half as much again as the entire capital stock of the bank. The directors would remain in the dark today if one of their number last week had not heard from an outside source of Mussey's loans to McClure.

The inevitable day arrived last Saturday, when Mussey was called before the board and asked for the bank's assets. Mussey at once offered to go across the street to the safe deposit for the securities. The directors waited an hour for him and then sent for a detective. The cashier went from the bank to his house, where he took a few hundred dollars and then left the city. The detective caught up with him Sunday in Albany and had little difficulty in persuading him to return without extradition papers.

He arrived here at 2:45 a. m. Monday and once more faced the men who for many years had trusted him implicitly. The directors in the meantime had learned of the shortage, but were not ready for Mussey's statement that the total amount was $145,000, and it was received with consternation.

Naturally the closing of the bank caused a tremendous sensation in this city. Speculation is general as to what has become of the money. The closing of McClure's music store accounts for part of it, but it is generally admitted here that the store has been run on far less than $145,000 during the past six years. Additional explanations are looked for within a few days.

Mussey has lived in Rutland all his life. He is married and has one son in Brown university. His connection with the bank dates back nearly 20 years, having risen by gradual steps to the position of cashier.

Work For Secret Service Men.

Rochester, March 27.—Counterfeit $10, $5 and $1 notes are in circulation in this section. The $10 certificates are said to be a very clever make. The period between D. and C. in "D. C.," below the portrait of Hendricks, is omitted. The imprint of the bureau of engraving and printing upon the left end back of the note is also omitted and the color of the seal shows through on the back of the note. The other notes are fairly deceptive, but are readily distinguished by a casual observer.

Officers and Crew Vindicated.

Washington, March 27.—In accordance with the naval regulations, Admiral Watson convened a court of inquiry at Manila to fix the responsibility for the loss of the cruiser Charleston. The report of that court was made public yesterday, and it is a complete vindication of the officers and men of the Charleston from all of the aspersions passed upon them, including one to the effect that they were intoxicated when the ship struck.

Great Increase in Business.

Boston, March 27.—The commission of special United States treasury agents now examining the Boston custom house finds that the volume of business at this port reached the sum of $18,000,000 in revenue collected last year, almost twice the amount collected under the former tariff. An increase in the force of the custom house will be recommended.

GENERAL STRIKE IMPENDING.

Stone Cutters on Cape Ann Ready to Enforce Demands on Employers.

Gloucester, Mass., March 27.—A general strike April 1 among the stone workers of Cape Ann appears quite certain. Only a complete concession by the companies will prevent it. The stone cutters, in accord with other union men throughout New England, struck on March 1. Recently the stone workers of Cape Ann sent in a bill of prices to the local companies, which has not yet been granted. This bill set forth that nine hours should constitute a day's work for five days of the week and eight hours on Saturday; that all overtime should be paid for as time and a half; that 20 percent increase in wages be granted in all departments under the jurisdiction of the stone workers' union; that all men shall receive 25 cents an hour for loading vessels, and that 30 days' notice shall be given by either party before a change is made in any of these agreements, the agreement to take effect on April 1. It is understood that the companies voted to offer the paving cutters and quarrymen a 7 percent increase, but this offer was refused. The determination of the men is not to yield short of the demands, and as the companies do not give indication of making a concession a general strike on Cape Ann is impending.

Delay Disappoints Government.

Washington, March 27.—This government has not yet been notified of the postponement of award in the Delagoa Bay arbitration. The news from Berne to the effect that the arbitrators probably will refrain from a distribution of the award among the claimants has created a disagreeable impression here, carrying as it does the inference that the result will be an indefinite delay in the settlement of the case. The delay insures a postponement of the final adjudication of this celebrated case to a date when it can have no possible effect upon the political situation in South Africa.

Assaulted by Unknown Man.

North Attleboro, Mass., March 27.—While on her way to a friend's home Monday evening, Mrs. Caroline Wade was attacked by an unknown man, who struck her four times, the last blow sending her into the gutter. In falling Mrs. Wade's head struck the curbstone, and she received a severe concussion of the brain. Not content with his brutality, the ruffian attempted a felonious assault, but the woman's groans aroused the neighbors, and he escaped.

Not Hiding From Officers.

Corbin, Ky., March 27.—Captain Robert Noaks, for whom, it is reported, a warrant has been issued, charging complicity in the Goebel assassination, writes The Campus of this place that he is at Norton, Va., attending to his duties as conductor, and ready to be arrested whenever proper officers come after him with a warrant.

Advance For Journeyman Tailors.

Lawrence, Mass., March 27.—The Journeymen Tailors' union has submitted a new price list, with an advance of 15 percent in wages. About half of the merchant tailors have subscribed to the new schedule. A strike has been ordered in those shops which fail to pay the new rate, which went into effect Monday.

Two Killed In Railway Wreck.

West Point, Ga., March 27.—A fast mail, southbound, on the Atlanta and West Point railway, was wrecked yesterday at Osanippa Creek, Ala., by a spreading rail. The sleeper was left hanging down an embankment, the rear truck clinging to the rails. One man and a woman were killed, and four men seriously injured.

Fight May Have Caused Death.

New York, March 27.—John Grimes, a colored coachman at Rutherford, N. J., died last night. A few days ago Grimes engaged in a prize fight with another colored man, during which he received a heavy blow near the heart. Since then he had complained of a severe pain about the heart.

Change of Residence Not Contemplated.

Lincoln, Neb., March 27.—The publication of a report to the effect that Mr. Bryan contemplates leaving Nebraska and taking up his residence in Texas has caused considerable comment here. Charles W. Bryan, brother of the presidential candidate, denies the truth of the report.

Missouri Negro Lynched.

Belair, Mo., March 27.—Lewis Harris, colored, arrested for a felonious assault on Miss Anne McIlvaine, a recluse, was lynched last night. Sheriff Kinart and his deputy fought to protect the prisoner and fired into the mob, wounding two of them. The officers were overpowered.

Quigg Makes Denial For Platt.

New York, March 27.—A report that Senator Thomas C. Platt is seriously ill and in danger of collapse, and that his friends are trying to prevail upon him to drop out of political work for a time, is emphatically denied by Lemuel E. Quigg, Mr. Platt's deputy.

Explosion and a Fatality.

Hamilton, Ont., March 27.—A terrible explosion occurred at the factory of Hand & Co., fireworks manufacturers, yesterday. Walter Teal was blown to atoms. Half of the building was blown into fragments.

Roeber Wants Another Contest.

New York, March 27.—Al Hereford has posted $1000 as part of a forfeit to bind another wrestling match for Ernest Roeber with his conqueror, Beck Olsen. Hereford is acting as the manager of Roeber.

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Confusion as to What Is Being Done Toward Accomplishing It.

Boers Are Occupying Places Recently Evacuated.

Inference That Free Staters Are Not So Demoralized as Has Been Reported.

London, March 27.—Military observers here, and even those in close affiliation with the war office, are considerably confused at to what is being done for the succor of Mafeking. Some 5000 or 6000 men are engaged with Lord Methuen at Warrenton and Fourteen Streams, and now another column is about leaving Kimberley, if it has not already started, for Griquatown, 106 miles westward. It ostensible purpose is to drive out the Boers. The farce is described as "a strong one," and the expedition is "likely to attract attention."

General French is reported from Bloemfontein Sunday as returning from Thaba Nchu, without apparently having headed off Commandant Olivier, with his 15 guns and mules of baggage.

Boer horsemen are in contact with the British outposts from Biggarsburg to Warrenton.

General Buller's patrols had a sharp skirmish Sunday at Waschbank.

Lord Roberts' infantry have now been quiet for 14 days, and news of an advance is hourly expected at the war office.

There has been a good deal of an awakening during the past few days as to the real situation. It is now seen that only a comparatively small part of the Orange Free State is being "pacified," and even here it is felt to be dangerous to put too much trust in the professions of loyalty of those who were fighting desperately against the British forces a few days ago.

The Boers are showing great activity in every direction. They are reoccupying some places from which they had withdrawn during the past two weeks, and they are rapidly entrenching in several strong positions.

There is another puzzle for the military experts. A week ago it was confidently stated that a large number of Boers were "trapped" in northern Cape Colony and the southern part of the Orange Free State.

The forces which had so long held back the British under Gatacre, Clements and Brahant along the Orange river were reported retreating north, and it was announced with great confidence that they would be cut off by French, who was commanding a flying column east of Bloemfontein, and by General Pole-Carew, who led a force south as far as Springfontein.

At this latter place three British officers joined forces and planned to intercept the retreating Boers, but up to the present the latter have not been captured. Commander Olivier has been reported moving north with a vast train of wagons and several guns, but he has not been yet reported as intercepted.

The inference drawn by good judges is that the Boers in the Orange Free State are not so demoralized as the dispatches last week indicated, and it is feared that when they are concentrated in the new positions in the Transvaal frontier it will require heavy fighting to dislodge them.

Not a Candidate For Delegate.

Concord, N. H., March 27.—The name of President Tucker of Dartmouth has been prominently mentioned in connection with the selection of delegates-at-large from this state to the Republican national convention in Philadelphia. Dr. Tucker puts an emphatic quietus on the movement in a letter to one of his trustees, who is also a prominent member of the Republican party in New Hampshire, in which he says he is not in politics.

Against Cards, Theaters and Dancing.

Wilmington, Del., March 27.—The Wilmington Methodist Episcopal conference yesterday adopted a resolution protesting against the proposed amendment of the discipline, which, if adopted, will expunge the specific interdiction relating to card playing, theatres and dancing, and the delegates to the general conference are instructed to resist by all means any such proposed change.

Tenement House Burned.

New Haven, March 27.—Fire in a tenement house in the Hebrew colony here threatened the lives of several occupants of the building. Aaron Rosenthal and his family were removed with great difficulty. Both Mr. and Mrs. Rosenthal were ill, and the firemen were obliged to carry them from the building. The fire started from an overheated stove. Loss, $5000.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

During the past 24 hours there has been rain in southern Texas, on the west gulf coast in Florida and rain or snow in the Atlantic states from North Carolina northward. There was also rain or snow in the Ohio valley and lower lake region. Temperatures changes have not been marked. During today there will be rain or snow in New England. On the New England coast winds will shift to fresh westerly.

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MEN'S HATS.

All the new styles for Spring are now ready for your inspection. All are made as Good Hats should be, from best quality felt, and with an all-silk band and binding.

NEW SPRING ALPINE.

An extra fine Alpine, in all the Latest colors, best trimmings, good value at $3.00, our price

$2.00.

Our $2.00 Derby in blacks and browns, fine quality, is the best bargain ever offered.

We are Agents for the Celebrated

LAMSON and HUBBARD'S HATS.

GRANITE CLOTHING CO.,

ADAMS BUILDING, QUINCY.

March 24. tf

OUR BUSINESS

IS TO

Correctly Fit Your Eyes.

An Experienced Optician will make examinations free of charge.

GLASSES AT VERY LITTLE COST AT

A. A. LINSCOTT'S,

Opposite Post Office, 154 Hancock Street, Quincy.

Watch, Clock and Jewelry repairing, by first class workmen.

March 17. tf

On the Retired List,

But we have not retired from business. On the contrary, our stock of SHOES is now greater than ever.

Are you in need of anything? If so, call and let us convince you that quality considered, our figures are the lowest in the city.

THE LEADING SHOE STORE.

Geo. W. Jones,

Adams Building, - QUINCY.

WHAT? CHANGE THIS AD?

WELL I GUESS NOT.

We are well pleased with results. It's astonishing how the merits of our TEA and COFFEE are spreading.

Swansdown Flour

BY THE BAG OR BARREL AT BOSTON PRICES.

2,000 POUNDS OF MOCHA AND JAVA COFFEE.

At the old prices and its the finest lot ever offered by us.

GROUND WHILE YOU WAIT.

Six Months' Stock of Formosa Tea Just Arrived.

That for fine flavor excels any tea ever before offered in Quincy at any price. Ask for free sample.

THE STAR TEA AND COFFEE STORE,

Opposite Fountain, Quincy.

DOES COFFEE AGREE WITH YOU?

If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c. and 25c.

QUINCY
5 and 10 Cent Store

Growing More Popular Every Day.

The Lowest Department Store Prices in the State.

Main Store, and the entire upper portion of Tirrell's Block devoted to our mammouth stock.

Gray Enamel Ware. Everything you can think of.

Tin Ware, all kinds, every quality, wonderful assortment.

Wooden Ware. The largest stock you have ever inspected. Everything from a clothes pin to a well bucket.

Crockery. Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, Tea Sets, Stone China, English and French China, odd pieces in fancy and decorated ware.

Whist Prizes. Over 500 articles suitable for whist prizes at popular prices.

Lamps and Fixtures. Banquet, Hanging, Hall, Parlor, Bracket, Night and Safety Lamps, Chimneys, Burners, Wicks, Globes, Shades, etc.

Earthen Ware. Everything you can think of is here. Bean Pots, Tea Pots, Flower Pots, Stone Jars, Stone Kettles, Pitchers, Butter Jars, Hanging Pots, Jugs, Yellow Bowls and Nappie, etc., etc.

Glass Ware. All kinds of Tumblers and Glasses. Fancy Glassware including everything you can need on your table.

Fancy China. All kinds of Salad Dishes, Chocolate Pots, Afternoon Tea Sets, Ice Cream Sets, odd pieces, etc. etc.

Toys. Everything you can think of to amuse the children. Dolls, Games, Carts, Doll Carriages, Books, etc. etc.

Over Ten Thousand Articles on our 5 and 10-cent counter.

The greatest Bargains on earth.

QUINCY
5 and 10 Cent Store,
Tirrell's Block, Hancock St., Quincy.

Swansdown FLOUR.

When you are willing to pay a little more than the average price of all Kinds of Flour and obtain a barrel of Swansdown that will make enough more bread to offset the little more you have paid. Then you will get the best bread, the whitest bread, the lightest bread, the sweetest tasting bread and on account of its yielding qualities it has not cost you any more than the cheapest

L. M. PRATT & CO.,
AGENTS FOR QUINCY, MASS.

A Cordial Invitation to all
TO ATTEND THE
EASTER OPENING
— OF —
TRIMMED HATS
and BONNETS,
Tuesday and Wednesday,
APRIL 10 and 11.
— AT —
C. L. BLISS',
No. 186 Hancock St., Quincy, Mass.
ORDER WORK A SPECIALTY.
March 22. 3w

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A Weekly Established in 1878.

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	31	35	48	46
Monday,	48	55	26	48	48
Tuesday,	48	65	44	44	50
Wednesday,	—	44	45	51	44
Thursday,	—	43	47	52	50
Friday,	—	58	39	56	55
Saturday,	—	39	45	48	45

New Advertisements Today.

Wanted—Driving Horse.
Public Auction—Groceries, etc.
Auction Sale of Houses.
Wanted—Girl for general housework.
Auction Sale of Bicycles.

Drift of Opinion.

☞The South African war has made the English and the Irish more friendly than they have ever been, and present indications are that the friendship will be lasting.

☞ Here is one that rivals the 20th century argument. A bank hires money for 4 per cent. and loans it at five Does it gain one per cent. or 25 per cent. Think it over. — Biddeford Times.

☞ It's hard work to teach an old dog new tricks. James Dunlap, the famous Northampton bank robber, who was pardoned after serving 17 years in prison, has been captured with a safe breaker's outfit.—Milford Journal.

☞The grip is doing execution in town that is surprising. If an epidemic of fever were to strike the town and go through it with the thoroughness of the prevailing malady the public excitement would be intense. Factories, stores and offices are all feeling the visitation, and it is the common thing to miss somebody from his old haunts and learn that he is added to the list of victims. A few more weeks, however, will bring the summer and a cessation of the trouble. —Brockton Enterprise.

☞Everybody will sympathize with the good people of Kentucky in their movement to restore the good name of their State and to remove the shame of recent occurrences. The movement has pathetic significance to all who know how proud the better class of Kentuckians are of Kentucky's name and its record, and how sensitive they are regarding her honor. It is a real, deep and bitter grief, shame and humiliation to them to see their State held up before the world as it has recently been. — Greenville (S. C.) News.

☞There is groaning in Boston among the stockholders of the defunct Globe national bank, who are being assessed $100 per share to pay the debts of the bank. It is hard, but compare this misfortune with the calamity of those unfortunates who held stock in the Bank of Glasgow, that failed a generation ago, with unlimited liability. Every solvent stockholder was ruined, and even men who held the shares as trustees under wills that had left the stock to beneficiaries were declared liable and went under with the rest.—Hartford Courant.

☞Alderman Paul J. Smith, of Somerville, who has attracted considerable attention to himself by advocating the appointment of more men and fewer women to clerkships in the City Hall, the existing conditions of affairs there being such, he said, as to give one who came to the hall to transact business the impression that a female seminary had been encountered, may or may not have an idea that there is artfully devised method in the partiality shown. Perhaps it is not deemed expedient by the heads of departments to have men trained to filling their positions lying around too loosely.—Lynn Item.

—A woman's club has been formed in Porto Rico, with Mrs. Ruth Shaffner Etmier as president. Mrs. Etmier has been for several years prominent as an organizer in the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

—An Iola, Kansas, photographer advertises to "take the exterior or interior of houses, also dogs and horses."

THE APPROPRIATION

For Government Building Expected This Spring.

Congressman Naphen Is Pushing It Along.

The Report of the Supervising Architect.

Congressman Naphen's letter and also that of Supervising Architect Taylor of the Treasury Department on the new government building for this city shows the matter in a new light, and that the realization of the building is much nearer at hand than has been supposed.

James S. Whiting Esq.,

While I will not state positively that the Committee on Public Buildings will immediately grant an appropriation for the building at Quincy, as provided for in the bill I introduced, I think the outlook is most favorable, though the administration has give it to be understood that no large appropriations must be made.

Today I received word from the chairman of the committe, that the Supervising Architect had made his recommendation, giving the estimated cost as $90,000. I send you a copy of the letter. This practically means that the Supervising Architect recognizes the necessity for a building, and his letter is looked upon as a recommendation.

I have asked for a hearing on the bill. If it will not be possible to get an appropriation this session, I feel sure that everything can be arranged before the adjournment of the present session, to have the appropriation made at the opening of the short session.

This is the program being followed by the Committee on Rivers and Harbors, and the other committees having in charge the expenditures which run into the millions.

I think the recommendations of the Supervising Architect will be satisfactory to the residents of Quincy. I would like to have it called to the attention of those interested and representing the city, and obtain their views as to whether it is satisfactory to them. If it is, I will push the matter along as fast as possible, but it will be well to agree before we ask for the money.

When the hearing is given, I will notify you.

I will let you know, if possible, what the expense of the building at Brockton was.

Respectfully yours,
H. F. Naphen.

Treasury Department
Washington, March 22, 1900.

The Chairman, Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, House of Representatives,

Sir:—In compliance with request from your committee for a report in connection with H. R. 1114, providing for the acquisiton of a site and the erection of a suitable building for the use of the post office and other government offices at Quincy, Mass., at a cost not to exceed, for site and building, the sum of $100,000. I have the honor to advise you that, from computations made, based upon date which has been collected with a view to ascertaining the requirements of the public service at Quincy, it is estimated that a one story, basement and mezzanine story building of 5,000 square feet area, will be sufficient. A building of the description indicated, thoroughly fireproof in construction, including heating and ventilating apparatus, fire-proof vaults, and approaches, can be erected for $75,000, exclusive of the cost of site. It is estimated that a site of sufficient size to accommodate said building, to allow for the forty foot limit required by the bill, and to permit of a thirty foot extension to the building, in the future, can be secured for $15,000.

Estimated cost of building	$75,000.00
Estimated cost of site	$15,000.00
Total	$90,000.00

In this connection, the department begs to suggest that the elevators provided by the bill in question, be eliminated therefrom in view of the fact that they are not considered necessary in a building of the description above indicated.

Your attention is respectfully invited to the pharagraph contained in said bill, which provides as follows:

"So much of said appropriation as may be necessary for the preparation of sketch plan, drawings and specifications, and detailed estimate for the building by the Supervising Architect of the Treasury department shall be available immediately upon the approval by the Secretary of the Treasury of such site."

If the pharagraph referred to is intended to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to cause the preparations of said sketch plans, drawings, specifications, and detailed estimate for the building to be made immediately after the selection of the site, in advance of the opinion of the Attorney General as to the validity of the title, or before the State has ceded to the United States jurisdiction over the same, as required by Sect. 355, U. S. Revised Statutes the department begs to suggest that it considers such paragraph inexpedient, for the reason that the designs and plans for the building should be made with special reference to the site which may be eventually secured.

Respectfully yours,
James K. Taylor,
Supervising Architect.

City Books Out.

The City Books were delivered at City Hall Monday, just eight weeks to a day, after the copy was received by the printers, Geo. W. Prescott & Son. The printers did not strive to make a time record, but rather to do a creditable and satisfactory job, and they believe the citizens will find it all that—and accurate, as well as neat. It might easily have been completed a week earlier if the printers had had copy when desired. However, eight weeks was pretty quick for a book of 440 pages, and two or three weeks earlier than some expected it.

Seeking Work.

The granite manufacturers report receiving many applications Monday from granite cutters wanting work. Some of the men are Quincy men, but the larger part of those who applied for work were from out of town. A number were tried and several of the yards will start up in a few days. The men will be employed eight hours a day, and will be paid what they are worth. It is, however, understood that the minimum price will be $2.52 for eight hours.

—Rev. Mark E. Purcell, pastor of Holy Trinity Roman Catholic church, died Saturday at Greenfield after an illness of one week of pneumonia. Father Purcell was born in Weymouth in 1850 and had been in charge of churches in Thorndyke, Holyoke, and Indian Orchard and Greenfield. He had been pastor of Holy Trinity church for 15 years.

By CHAS. H. JOHNSON, - Auctioneer.
Office, Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

FIRE! SMOKE! WATER!

Large Auction Sale
— OF —
100 Bicycles
And large supply of Sundries as the result of the late fire.
Will be sold at the present store of
J. H. GILLIS, 162 Hancock St., Quincy,
Old Court Room Bldg.,
— ON —
SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1900,
Commencing at 2 P. M.

Sale will continue until entire stock is sold. Do not miss this sale as there is a bargain in bicycles and sundries.
SALE POSITIVE. TERMS CASH.
Quincy, March 27. 4t

By FRANK F. CRANE, - Auctioneer.
Office No. 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.

AUCTION SALE
By order of the Com. of Public Works:
OF TWO HOUSES ON
Coddington Street, Quincy,
SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1900,
At 10.30 o'clock A. M.

The House owned by the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and the House corner Coddington and Spear streets, owned by the Trustees of the City Hospital.

These Buildings are sold in pursuance of Chapter 49 of the Public Statutes of Massachusetts, and are sold to be removed within ten days from date of sale.

Per order,
C. F. KNOWLTON,
Com. of Public Works.
March 27. 4t

LOW RATES.
3 MINUTES'
CONVERSATION
Approximately as follows:—
For a distance of

5 miles or less,	10 cents.
5 to 15 miles,	15 "
15 to 25 "	20 "
25 to 35 "	25 "
35 to 45 "	30 "

Rates for greater distances in proportion.
Apply for schedule of rates to
NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE
— AND —
TELEGRAPH COMPANY.
March 24. 4w

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

It looked wintry early this morning.

Mrs. J. N. White of Copeland street is seriously ill.

Paul Foley of Willard street is seriously ill with the grip.

The ground was covered with an inch of sugary snow this morning.

A special meeting of the board of Assessors was held Monday afternoon.

Rev. Fr. Mulligan of Hingham preaches at St. Mary's church tonight.

John Cashman has been elected general manager of the Quincy Granite Quarries Co.

The annual budget of Mayor Hall will probably go to the City Council next Monday.

A new fire alarm box has been located at the corner of Payne and Phipps street—No 31.

Elijah G. Hall, real estate agent, has opened an office in the new block on Sagamore street.

T. G. Hamm, the shoemaker on Hancock street, Atlantic, had to close his shop owing to illness.

The West Quincy Ladies Aid Society will hold a pie supper at the Methodist church on Wednesday evening.

Word was received from Wisconsin, Monday, stating that employment could be given to twenty-five granite cutters.

Mrs. Patrick Mullen, a well known resident of Rodgers street, West Quincy died Monday after a severe attack of the grip.

Branscheid & Martens, newsdealers in the Duggan block at Atlantic, have removed to the new block on Sagamore street.

It is surprising what an amount of sickness there is in Quincy just at present. The sickness is largely due to colds.

Three more of the cars of the Quincy & Boston railway that were damaged by fire are expected back from the workshop this week.

City Council Committee meetings announced for this week are: Ordinances, tonight; Finance, Wednesday night; and Streets, Friday night.

The snow ploughs were out at 6 o'clock this morning. At first thought ploughing did not seem necessary, but it greatly improved the walking nevertheless.

It snowed quite hard during the night and this morning the ground was covered with a white mantel. The warm sun, however, will take it about all off before night.

It is expected that work on the new Quincy depot will be commenced next week. The Quincy depot will be the first to be commenced, then the depot at Atlantic, the same contractors probably doing both jobs.

There was almost a constant stream of stone cutters at West Quincy, Monday, going from the sheds with their tools. Some carried their boxes on wheelbarrows, while others carried the tools in their hands. This looks as though the cutters meant to fight.

The City Council Committee on Finance met Monday evening, and considered the orders calling for an appropriation for permanent sidewalks at Norfolk Downs. It is understood that they will report favorably. Henry H. Faxon desired to attend the meeting but upon being informed that it was private, he gracefully withdrew.

—Representative Gibson of Tennessee says that a tombstone in a cemetery down in his district bears this epitaph: "Some have children, others have none; here lies the mother of twenty-one."

DIED.

VINAL—At Quincy Point, March 27, Mrs. Betsey, widow of Mr Hiram Vinal, aged about 90 years.
MURPHY—In Quincy, March 25, Mrs. Honora, widow of Mr. Gerald Murphy of Phipps street, aged 75 years.
MULLEN—At West Quincy, March 26, Mrs. Mary J., wife of Mr. Patrick J. Mullen, aged 43 years.

IT HAS BEEN SAID

That it takes a rich man to draw a check, a horse to draw a cart, a pretty girl to draw attention, a toper to draw a cork, a free lunch to draw a crowd, and an advertisement in the home paper to draw trade.

IF INTERESTED

Drop a postal to the office of the Daily Ledger and we will send our advertising man around. Only 5 cents per Inch by the Month.

PHENOMENA OF DREAMS.

Figments of Thought During Sleep Vanish In Waking Hours.

Mental phenomena have of late years been subjected to scientific investigation in what is known as modern physiological psychology, and an attempt has been made to bring them under the laws that apply to material things. Many curious connections between the mind and the body have been discovered, but dreams seem to resist analysis. It is impossible for an outsider to note the dreams of another person, and the dreamer's own report is apt to be very indefinite, for he cannot tell what he really dreamed, but only what he thinks he dreamed. We all have noticed how quickly a dream fades and is forgotten unless set down in writing promptly on waking.

A theory has been adduced which seems to connect the phenomena of dreaming with the gradual manner in which human consciousness has risen from the depths—from dead matter perhaps—in the long history of the race. It is that sleep submerges us sometimes as a flood might submerge a continent, covering up the lower part of our natures first and not blotting out our higher moral principles till the last, and thereby reversing the steps of the process through which man passed in his development from a lower state.

Thus the first power an animal acquires is the co-ordination of its muscles and its will, the power to make prompt, decisive movements of its limbs. This is a power acquired by children during the first year or two of their lives and is nearly the entire sum of the faculties of the lowest savage. In the state of sleep this power is lost first, for sleepwalking is entirely an unconscious action, the body acting as a machine not under control of the will. As the savage rises in the plane of life he acquires the rudimentary reasoning powers and becomes able to estimate roughly the relation of cause and effect. This logical power is the next faculty we lose as sleep rises from the depths over us.

Every one must have noticed that in dreams things happen at random. We find ourselves in strange places, and people appear and disappear on the scene in an absolutely lawless manner. While we are in this condition we are still capable of remorse if we do anything wrong, and we feel fear or joy. Our higher moral natures are still active. Now, the conscience and the establishment in the mind of a reasonable standard of ethics are the last things that grow up in the mind of man either in the race or in the individual. Savages have but the rudiments of either, and only the man in whom the conscience is developed can be called civilized. In the final stage sleep rises so high as to cover up our moral natures, the peaks of which had projected above the fog covering our logical powers. In this condition we kill our best friends in our dreams without the slightest hesitation and are troubled with no remorse, though we commit in imagination frightful and unnecessary crimes in a mood of placid indifference.

It is believed that the experience of every one as to the character of dreams, or, rather, of sleep, will confirm the reality of the above stages. Nearly all who have testified on the subject agree that in "sleep thinking" their logical powers disappear first and their moral natures afterward. If it be really so and sleep is a rehearsal backward of the great drama of human development, our nightly repose is a more serious matter than we thought it to be and ought not to be lightly entered into. If our dreams do dimly shadow the stages of life history of the race, it is only another proof of our common origin and our mysterious heredities.—Hartford Times.

Where Hypnotism Didn't Work.

"I think," said the careworn, sad eyed citizen to the professor of hypnotism, "ef you could manage to git Maria under the influence of them ere hypnotics an jest leave her so, we would git 'long all right afterward. I want you to sorter change the natur' of her—git her so that she'll reckernize my rights an be in subjection, as the Scripter commands. You kin do that—can't you?"

"I certainly can," said the professor.

But just then a woman who had been taking up tickets at the door came forward.

"Look here," she said to the professor, "what are you doing—jabbering with that feller, when there ain't enough tickets sold to pay the gas bill? Git on the outside this minute, an go to work, you lazy—trifling"—

"Air you his wife, ma'am?" meekly inquired the careworn citizen.

"Yes!" snapped the woman. "Have you got anything to say about it?"

"Nuthin at all, ma'am—nuthin at all! I wuz only jest waitin round here fer my own wife!"—Atlanta Constitution.

The English Drill Sergeant.

"Now, then, number seven," the corporal continues, "we'll make another start—that is, if you've quite finished feeling if your back hair happens to be on straight this morning. It's you I'm talking to—third man from the left of the front rank. I haven't the pleasure of knowing your name, but I expect to be writing it down for an hour's extra duty pretty soon.

"Now, then, look to your front—squad, 'tchun, left dress! Turn your eyes to the left without squinting like Chinese dummies if you can. Stand up in the ranks, too, like soldiers, not like a measly row of lopsided, spindle shanked cockney shop boys! Stick your chests out and put your stummicks somewhere out of sight altogether. There's 'arf of you with figures like bags of potatoes. Strike me crimson if I ever saw such a mob! Hi, you in the center—the ginger headed man, I mean—don't grin like that! This ain't no perishing beauty competition, not by no manner of means."—"The Queen's Service," by H. Wyndham.

A. G. OLNEY, - - Auctioneer.
Wollaston, Mass.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Groceries, Canned Goods, Counters, Scales, Fixtures, etc., etc.,
Will be sold at Public Auction on
Saturday, March 31, 1900,
AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.,
In the store on the
Corner of Hancock and Beach Streets,
WOLLASTON, MASS.,
Being the store formerly of W. W. WALSH, also the good will of said store.

The store will be open for inspection on THURSDAY and FRIDAY preceding the sale.
March 27. 4t—1-1w

CHARLES H. JOHNSON, Auctioneer.
On WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28,
at 10 o'clock A. M.,
a large collection of
Nice Furniture
Will be sold at
PUBLIC AUCTION
At the Store,
N. B. FURNALD,
On Washington Street.
For particulars see Mortgagee's Sale.

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage of personal property given by John Milton and his wife, Jessie Milton, both of Quincy, Massachusetts, to Sylvester R. Briggs, of Somerville, Massachusetts, dated March 8, 1899, and recorded in the Records of Mortgages of Personal Property in the Clerk's office of the City of Quincy, Book 16, page 561, which mortgage was duly assigned to Charles M. Moore, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, at the store of Napoleon B. Furnald, 70 Washington street, Quincy, Mass., on WEDNESDAY, March 28, 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the property described in said mortgage, namely:

One (1) plush parlor set of seven (7) pieces, two (2) rattan rockers, gilt stand, piano lamp and stand, three (3) mats, fur rug, fifteen (15) pictures, twenty-five (25) yards tapestry carpet, twenty (20) yards wool carpet, one (1) easel, mt. centre table, hanging lamp, "Premium" parlor stove, three (3) pairs lace curtains, oak table, "Glenwood" range and ware, cane seat rocker, one (1) pair portieres, eight (8) kitchen chairs, "Singer" sewing machine, pine table, Walker & Pratt range and ware, five (5) iron bedsteads, five (5) springs, mattresses and bedding for each, four (4) oak bedsteads, four (4) springs, mattresses and bedding for each, oak commode, twelve (12) H. W. chairs, black walnut desk, oak wardrobe, one (1) mirror, oak dressing case, black walnut cabinet, toilet stand, also one (1) Middleby portable oven with all pans and cooking utensils, bread closet, two (2) round front show cases, one (1) square show case, one (1) round upright show case, one (1) Italian soda fountain, three (3) counters, four (4) oak bench tables, five (5) lunch stools, one (1) covered baker's wagon, one (1) carryall, one (1) pung, one (1) express wagon, one (1) bay horse, two (2) sets of harness, also all crockery, glassware, tin, iron and plated ware, and each and every article of personal property on premises occupied by us at Houghs Neck in Quincy, Mass., except one (1) piano.

Said property will be sold subject to all liens or claims against the same existing at the time of the giving of said mortgage.

Terms cash.

CHARLES M. MOORE,
Assignee and Present Holder of Said Mortgage.
W. W. JENNESS, Att'y.
87 Milk street, Boston, Mass.
March 14, 1900. 15-22-26-27

By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer.
Office Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

Administrator's Sale at Public Auction

Of the Household Goods of the late Frederick Souther, will be sold at late residence, Mill street, Quincy, on FRIDAY, March 30, 1900, at 1.30 P. M.

The goods consist in part as follows:

PARLOR. Square Piano, Woolen Carpet, Rug, 7 H. C. Chairs, 2 H. C. Rockers, 1 Plush Rocker, H. C. Sofa, fine large Glass, Music Rack, Music Stool, Pictures, Table.

SITTING ROOM. Stewart Parlor Stove, Woolen Carpet, Eight-day Clock, Large Glass, Bed Lounge, B. Lamp, eight foot Extension Table, 3 Chairs, one Round Chair, lot of Glassware in closet.

KITCHEN. Range, 4 Lamps, Curtains, Table, 4 Chairs, Clothes Horse, Bureau, Bench, Lot Dishes, Mason Jars, Plates, odd, 2 Wash Boilers.

CHAMBER. Antique Secretary, Table, Bedstead, Pillows, Bolster, Straw Matting, Feather Beds, 2 Chairs, Stair Carpet.

SECOND CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, 4 Pillows, Sheets, Comforters, Bureau.

THIRD CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, Commode, Pictures, Straw Matting, 2 Chairs, Rocker.

FOURTH CHAMBER. Antique Mahogany Bureau, Straw Matting, 2 Bureaus, 4 Chairs, H. C. Sofa, What Not, Pictures, Bed Ticking, Maps, Books, 2 Bags, Trunk.

STABLE. Saw, 4 Shovels, 4 Forks, Rakes, Tools, Bench, Chests, Desk, Anvil, Sick Chair, Window Glass, lot of Leather, Ship Carpenter Tools, lot of Wood, and a large variety of goods in both the House and Stable, the accumulation of years.

Sale Positive. Rain or Shine. Terms Cash.

Per order,
E. B. SOUTHER, Administrator.
March 20. 9t

W. G. CHUBBUCK,
Furniture and Piano Mover, in and out of Town.
JOBBING OF ALL KINDS.
PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
Carpets taken up, cleaned by hand and relaid. Residence 9 Bennington street. Orders may be left at Page's Pool Room, Hancock street, and at Freight Office Quincy Adams Depot.
Quincy Aug 26 1p tf

G. OLNEY, - - Auctioneer.
Wollaston, Mass.

UBLIC AUCTION.

Groceries, Canned Goods, Counters, Scales, Fixtures, etc., etc.,

Will be sold at Public Auction on

turday, March 31, 1900,

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.,

In the store on the

Corner of Hancock and Beach Streets,

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Will be sold at

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At the Store,

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Washington Street.

For particulars see Mortgagee's Sale.

Mortgagee's Sale.

Virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage of personal property by John Milton and his wife, Jessie Milboth of Quincy, Massachusetts, to Sylvester iggs, of Somerville, Massachusetts, dated h 8, 1899, and recorded in the Records of ages of Personal Property in the Clerk's of the City of Quincy, Book 16, page 561, mortgage was duly assigned to Charles Moore, for breach of the conditions conin said mortgage and for the purpose of osing the same, will be sold at public on, at the store of Napoleon B. Furnald, Washington street, Quincy, Mass., on ONESDAY, March 28, 1900, at ten o'clock e forenoon, all and singular the property ibed in said mortgage, namely:

e (1) plush parlor set of seven (7) pieces, 2) rattan rockers, gilt stand, piano lamp stand, three (3) mats, fur rug, fifteen (15) es, twenty-five (25) yards tapestry carpet, y (20) yards wool carpet, one (1) easel, entre table, hanging lamp, "Premium" stove, three (3) pairs lace curtains, oak "Glenwood" range and ware, cane seat r, one (1) pair portieres, eight (8) kitchen , "Singer" sewing machine, pine table, er & Pratt range and ware, five (5) iron ads, five (5) springs, mattresses and bedfor each, four (4) oak bedsteads, four (4) s, mattresses and bedding for each, oak ode, twelve (12) H. W. chairs, black desk, oak wardrobe, one (1) mirror, oak g case, black walnut cabinet, toilet stand, (1) Middleby portable oven with all nd cooking utensils, bread closet, two (2) front show cases, one (1) square show ne (1) round upright show case, one (1) soda fountain, three (3) counters, four k bench tables, five (5) lunch stools, one vered baker's wagon, one (1) carryall,) pung, one (1) express wagon, one (1) orse, two (2) sets of harness, also all ry, glassware, tin, iron and plated ware, ch and every article of personal property miscs occupied by us at Houghs Neck in y, Mass., except one (1) piano.

property will be sold subject to all liens ms against the same existing at the time giving of said mortgage.

ns cash.

CHARLES M. MOORE,
ee and Present Holder of Said Mortgage.
. W. JENNESS, Att'y.
87 Milk street, Boston, Mass.
h 14, 1900. 15-22-26-27

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ffice Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

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Household Goods of the late Frederick r, will be sold at late residence, Mill Quincy, on FRIDAY, March 30, 1900, P. M.

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HEN. Range, 4 Lamps, Curtains, Chairs, Clothes Horse, Bureau, Bench, shes, Mason Jars, Plates, odd, 2 Wash

MBER. Antique Secretary, Table, , Pillows, Bolster, Straw Matting, Beds, 2 Chairs, Stair Carpet.

ND CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Pillows, Sheets, Comforters, Bureau.

D CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather ommode, Pictures, Straw Matting, 2 Rocker.

TH CHAMBER. Antique Mahogany Straw Matting, 2 Bureaus, 4 Chairs, fa, What Not, Pictures, Bed Ticking, ooks, 2 Bags, Trunk.

LE. Saw, 4 Shovels, 4 Forks, Rakes, Bench, Chests, Desk, Anvil, Sick Chair, Glass, lot of Leather, Ship Carpenter t of Wood, and a large variety of goods he House and Stable, the accumulation

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REMEMBERS FRIENDS

Annual Report of Commissioner of Public Works.

Says Criticisms of Department Were Unfair.

"I Had More Than a Little to Attend to," Says Commissioner.

The report of Commissioner Cavanagh for the year 1899, to be found in the City Books of 1899 just issued, is of peculiar interest, and the Ledger reprints it in full. It is addressed to Mayor Keith and reads as follows:

"Sir:—I herewith respectfully submit to you the eleventh annual report of the Department of Public Works for the year ending December 31, 1899.

"In laying down the never-ending cares of the office of Commissioner of Public Works, I desire to extend to you and to each and every member of the City Council, and to the officials of the City who have served during my term of office, my grateful thanks for the courtesies, kindness and consideration shown me. Also, in a general review of the department work, I must express my thanks and gratitude to my assistants who so heartily cooperated with me in the discharge of my duties.

"In the administration of an office such as I now relinquish, one comes perforce to love and cherish the loyalty and truthfulness of those whom neither malice, misrepresentation nor intrigue can swerve from duty and fidelity. They are like unto a refined metal whose sterling worth must contrast with the scum and dross of its own species, to be valued and retained.

"Such friends and co-workers shall be held in the sacred bonds of longest memory for their noble manhood, loyalty and truth, by contrast with that faithlessness and treachery sometimes developed by ambitious adventurers.

"Despite unfair criticism, which is the misfortune of public life, I claim, without fear of contradiction, that the affair and records of this department will show an honest effort to efficiently and economically carry out the business of this department and the accomplishment of many long-desired, muchneeded and beneficial improvements.

"I do not hesitate to say that the streets of the city are in better condition at the present time than ever before. This I think is very creditable, when we take into consideration the poor condition of the streets at the beginning of the year, principally on account of the many excavations for sewers, water works and underground wires.

"As the department equipment has been allowed to run down, it was necessary to expend quite a sum for the purchase of horses, wagons, tools, etc., to put the department in its proper condition.

"A considerable amount of permanent work has, however, been accomplished during the past year. It has been my policy, and it should be the policy of the Commissioner in the future, to do a certain amount of permanent work upon our streets each year, and to carry forward such construction in a systematic manner. This work should be begun upon the streets that are in most constant use, and which are in immediate need of some repairs.

"In the line of paved streets, our city is not so progressive as other municipalities of the same population. Few cities the size of Quincy have less miles of paved streets. It is my opinion that an appropriation should be made each year for this work, until our city compares favorably in the mileage of improved streets with other cities of the same size.

"Among some of the permanent work accomplished this year was the paving of Hancock street, on the east side from City Square to Gilmore street, a distance of about 4,000 feet and the paving of Quarry street from Granite street to Kidder street, a distance of about 1,000 feet; the widening of Hancock street between Music Hall building and School street; the rebuilding of Billings road; the widening and laying out of Coddington and Sea streets; the widening of School, Willard and Howard streets, and many other smaller improvements.

"As the appropriations were not passed by the City Council until the latter part of June and as all this work was completed or suspended about December first, you can readily see that with the ordinary duties of Commissioner of Public Works, combined with the duties of Superintendent of Water Works, I had more than a little to attend to.

"The paving of Hancock street was commenced about July first and completed in about six weeks. The work was done by day labor and by citizens of Quincy, excepting the laying of the paving stones, which was done by H. Gore & Co. of Boston. The manner of paving of this street is most approved and up-to-date and the first time that it has been tried in this city. I certainly recommend that whatever paving is done in the city hereafter be done by this same process. The earth was excavated to a depth of sixteen inches and then rolled thoroughly with a twenty ton steam roller. Upon this subgrade was placed a layer of American Cement concrete 6 inches deep, composed of one part cement, two parts sand and five parts stone, thoroughly mixed and rammed. A layer of two inches of sand was spread over this surface upon which was laid the granite paving blocks, none but first class city stones being used. Crosswalks were laid at all the street corners making the job complete.

"The same process was used in paving Quarry street, after the hill known as McDonnells hill was cut down some three feet in order to give an easy grade. The result has proven most satisfactory. In both of these jobs we have far the best work in this line ever accomplished in the city.

"Hancock street was widened between the Music Hall building and School street, an average width of about three feet, making a very decided improvement. The moving back of the stone-walls, fences, posts, etc., was very neatly done, especially the stone-wall with iron fence attached, in front of the Plumer estate which was successfully moved in one piece. A granite curbing and brick sidewalk was laid the entire length, the driveways being paved with granite blocks in the most approved manner.

"School street was widened opposite the St. John's hall. The old Lawton house was torn down and a retaining wall built, leaving the street a uniform width of forty feet. This was a muchneeded improvement, as the street was very narrow at this point.

"Three thousand dollars were appropriated to rebuild and regrade Billings road in Ward Six. The length of the street is about 3,000 feet and the width is 66 feet. In order to build this street to the required grade, it was necessary to make a fill of six feet in one portion and a cut of three feet in another portion. This is a very creditable showing, considering the work accomplished with such a small amount of money. To complete the job it will be necessary to surface the street, and we will then have a regular boulevard.

"Madison street was widened five feet on the south side and the grade raised considerably, but as only $500 was appropriated for this work, it is not to be expected that a first-class job could be done.

"Fifteen hundred dollars were appropriated to define the lines of Willard street. This necessitated moving back walls and fences, cutting down trees and blasting considerable ledge on the westerly side of the street between Furnace avenue and Doble street.

"Nightingale avenue, Trafford street, Federal avenue and Arthur streets were built to grade as laid out on plan, filed in the City Hall.

To be continued.

Post Office Notes.

Word has been received from the Post Office Department to the effect that Money Order arrangements having been completed with Russia, all International Money Order Offices are enabled to issue and pay money orders for and from Russia, commencing April 2d. This affords a safe and sure method for those who heretofore have resorted to less secure and uncertain means to send money, and will no doubt be appreciated by them. Application should be made to the local Post Office for additional information.

There is also an additional improvement which will be of great benefit to those using Domestic money orders. In that Department has issued an order whereby the Quincy Post Office may pay any money order, irregardless of office drawn upon when payee is known.

Park Commissioners Approve.

At a meeting of the Park Commissioners held on Monday evening, its approval of the takings for the boulevard from Squantum street to Merry Mount Park was given and its concurrence with the Metropolitan Park Commission therein in every act connected therewith. Papers to that effect were passed. The Quincy Park Commission, however, reserved the privilege to make a slight change in the direction of the boulevard just before its proposed entry into the Park.

TODAY'S COURT.

James R. Cosgriff was fined $5 for drunkenness at Milton.

The continued case of Walter L. Rowell of Randolph was called and he paid a fine of $7.

James Hardie was arraigned for assault on Martin J. Gibbons at Milton. He was fined $15. Appealed.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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STATUARY OF THE EXPOSITION.

Exterior of the Big Paris Show Like a Vast Salon of the Sculptor's Art.

BY JOHN F. WILLOUGHBY.

One of the features of the Paris exposition, which opens on Easter Sunday, is the remarkable display of statuary. The greatest sculptors of the world have contributed their best work. All of the numerous exposition palaces erected by the French government are embellished with beautiful groups. Most of these are of heroic size, and many of them are exquisitely modeled figures. All have been placed to the best advantage, some as the central ornaments to facades, others on separate pedestals and again others crown columns or capitals.

A walk through the exposition grounds will be like a stroll through some vast salon of statuary. Those who hurry on to see the interiors of the buildings and do not pause to view these masterpieces from famous studios will miss much.

One of the most striking pieces is that which crowns the chief entrance to the grounds. It is a female figure of heroic size which typifies the city of Paris. It is the work of M. Moreau Vauthier. The pose and gesture of the figure are queenly and the management of the drapery most effective. The statue fully conveys the modern spirit of the French capital.

To describe the beauties of the Grand Palace of Art would take a small volume in itself, and even then only a faint idea of the reality would be conveyed to the reader. Consider, if you will, for a moment. There were 70 commissions for statuary given out, and some of these number three to six subjects, so that here alone we have a salon of more than 100 pieces to examine. Yet a brief description of some of the more striking compositions may prove interesting.

One cannot help speaking in terms of the highest praise of the two equestrian groups modeled by M. Victor Peter. They are in gilded bronze and

THE CITY OF PARIS.
[Symbolical figure over grand entrance to exposition.]

have for their subjects "Learning Advancing In Spite of Ignorance" and "Genius Guided by Wisdom."

At the Champs Elysees entrance is the colonnade Delgane. There are between the columns eight figures flanking the central portal on the right and the left. The subjects of these figures and their authors are as follows: "The Art of the Nineteenth Century," M. Felix Charpentier; "The Eighteenth Century," H. Hippolyte Lefebvre; "The Renaissance," M. Enderlin; "The Middle Ages," M. Boutry; "The Art of Rome," M. Clausade; "The Art of Greece," M. Beguine; "Egyptian Art," M. Suchete, and "Eastern Art," M. Georges Bareau.

Felix Charpentier's modern art, "The Nineteenth Century," is shown by a female study, delightful in its freshness, suppleness and exquisite handling. "The Eighteenth Century" is shown by a grande dame of the Pompadour family. "The Renaissance" of Enderlin resembles the strength of Michael Angelo.

"The Middle Ages," the period of mysticism, when the cathedrals of Cologne, Strassburg and Notre Dame assumed their sweeping garments of stone, finds expression in M. Boutry's figure of a young woman seated on a Gothic capital and lifting her eyes to heaven to contemplate the eternal splendors.

Of course there are some pieces which will come in for American criticism, not as to artistic merits, but as respects principles of good taste. M. Paul Casg's "Admiration" may come under this head. There is danger that prejudice may lead some to overlook the beauty and deep artistic merit of the group which comprises these two figures, scantily draped. It is daring, and while it should not offend, since the honesty of the artist's intention is expressed in every line. American visitors whose memories may bring up reminiscences of Macmonnies' unfortunate and innocent "Bacchante," may profess to be shocked. You cannot tell how these things go.

But there are plenty of statues which will command the admiration of the most conservative art lovers, and the American visitor who gives some of his time to an appreciation of the exterior of the exposition will be amply repaid.

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

How beautiful the whole landscape looked this morning at the rising of the sun.

The dealers in rubbers were smiling this morning, but not those who were unfortunate enough to have to purchase.

Among the many patents granted at Washington last week, was one to our townsman, V. J. Emery of Wollaston, ball cock.

Many bicyclists, going to their work Monday morning on their wheels had the pleasure of bicycling in the falling snow last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Newcomb have entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Clay of Concord, N. H., at their home on Howard street, for several days past.

Now is the time to use printers' ink liberally on your apple and elm trees. The moths and bugs have begun to crawl up the trunks and it is now they get in their destructive work.

The sale of the several quarries in Quincy to the Quincy Granite Quarries Co. has been a good thing for the special police officers, as they have been employed since the purchase, night and day, watching the premises.

Frank Melville has accepted a position at Quincy. Mr. Melville has been with Miss Freeman since leaving school and will be missed by a large number of her customers who always found him to be obliging as well as faithful in all his duties. Mr. Marcus Wight will take his place with Miss Freeman.

The director of the Singing school at the Point church cordially invites everyone to attend, free of charge. It will be impossible to give the cantata unless more will attend. Many solos, are yet unassigned, and a number are needed to make a strong chorus. The session has been appointed on Monday evening next.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. gave a reception to the young men of the Association at the rooms of the association, Monday, evening. There was singing by the boys' choir and piano solos by Everett Hayden. Refreshments of lemonade and cake was served. The lemonade was served at a well by Miss Parker, who represented Rebecca. Games and a general good time followed.

—The latest scheme out is the free umbrella bunco scheme. The plan is very simple. You buy four tickets and sell them to four friends, charging each a quarter apiece and you get the umbrella free. Each one of them endeavors in his turn to sell four tickets to four of his friends and get an umbrella likewise. Of course the man who fails to do this gets nothing and the umbrella company is so much in. There are many who have bitten and are anxious to bite others, so look out for them.

Wollaston Post Office.

Letters unclaimed for week ending Mar. 24:

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WANTED—Protestant Girl for general housework. One willing to go to New Hampshire for the summer. Apply at 26 Spear street, Quincy. March 27-5t

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WANTED—A Protestant Girl for general housework. MRS. J. S. SWINGLE, 12 1-2 Canal street. Quincy, March 21-6t

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TO LET—House, 8 rooms, city water, No. 7 Faxon Ave., now occupied by Warren D. Higgins. HENRY H. FAXON. Mar. 26. 1m

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CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.

Quincy, April 25. tf

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Three tenements, 51 Howard street, Quincy Neck.
Double House, 4 rooms in each half, 15 Brackett street.
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Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
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Quincy, March 13, 1900. 1m

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March 24-1m 4 Bennington street.

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Don't you like the color of them, or are they faded? Have them dyed.

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L. WARSHAW, - Proprietor.
March 14. tf

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MOON'S PHASES.

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First Quarter 8 0:34 a.m. | Third Quarter 24 0:36 a.m.
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Alleged Juggling of Accounts.

Albany, March 27.—Edward B. Noble, cashier, and Dennis McGraw, salesman in the beef department of Armour & Co.'s branch house, were arrested yesterday, charged with grand larceny, second degree. In one instance it was shown that accounts had been juggled to the amount of $10,000. The men were admitted to bail.

Expected to Bring Harmony.

Denver, March 27.—Senator Henry M. Teller is a candidate for governor of Colorado. His candidacy has been under consideration for some months, and it is believed he will harmonize existing difficulties in Colorado fusion ranks. He is with the national administration on all questions save the currency.

Twenty Years In Penitentiary.

Washington, March 27.—In the case of Robert Porter, a civilian employe of the quartermaster's department of the army, who was tried by general court-martial on the charge of rape, committed at Ranique, Philippine islands, in December last, and who was convicted and sentenced to be hanged, the president has commuted the sentence to confinement with hard labor in a penitentiary for 20 years.

McCoy and Sharkey Matched.

New York, March 27.—McCoy and Sharkey, through their representatives, last night signed articles of agreement calling for a 25-round fight on June 25, for 60 percent of the gross receipts. The fight is scheduled to take place before the Seaside Sporting club at Coney Island. Each man posted $1000 and Johnny White was selected as referee. This action was taken after the failure of Fitzsimmons to post $2500 for a fight with McCoy.

—The demand for American watch cases in Switzerland, the "land of watches," is said to be so great that Swiss manufacturers of cases are making strong efforts to prevent the importation.

—A contract for 35,000 tons of steel rails sufficient to relay 285 miles of road, has been placed by the New York Central with the Carnegie Steel company. The contract guarantees these rails for five years, but they are expected to last twice that time.

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Free Traders and Tariff Men Not Disposed to Yield on Puerto Rico.

Senate to Proceed With Bill as It Now Stands.

Caucus Agrees That a Vote Should Be Reached as Speedily as Possible.

Washington, March 27.—The Republican members of the senate spent 2½ hours in caucus yesterday, in an effort to reach an agreement upon the Puerto Rican legislation now pending in the senate. The caucus was apparently, however, without material result, the only accomplishment being a decision to proceed with the general bill as it now stands, without separating the tariff feature, and to discharge the harmony committee from further efforts.

During the sitting there were 20 or more speeches made. All of them were of a more amicable tone than the speeches in caucuses of a fortnight ago.

But, while good feeling was generally manifested, and all senators who spoke expressed themselves as desirous of reaching an amicable understanding, there was but little or no disposition manifested to yield a point which would produce that result. Indeed, the free traders on the one hand and the iron-bound tariff men on the other were quite as obdurate as they had been at the previous meeting. This condition of affairs was made so manifest that Senator Allison, acting as chairman of the caucus, declared at the close of the meeting that there was no necessity for putting a motion to continue on past lines, as it was very evident that no other course was practicable. Senator Foraker was instructed by the caucus to press the Puerto Rican bill as it now stood, the governmental bill incorporated with the tariff measure, to as speedy a vote as possible. The understanding at the time this instruction was given was that Senator Foraker would offer an amendment to the tariff feature of the bill, adding the free list named by the president in an executive order to the exports going from the United States to Puerto Rico, duty free, but that the 15 percent of the Dingley law carried in the house bill upon goods coming from Puerto Rico to the United States would be retained.

The vote by which this instruction was given was taken viva voce, no record being made, but it was evident that a substantial majority approved the proposition. There are a number of senators who will oppose the bill even with the amendment recommended. They are, it is said, Senators Davis, Beveridge, Hoar, Wellington, Mason, Simon, Proctor and Nelson. It is also said that Senators Kyle, who heretofore has acted with the Republicans, and McCumber of North Dakota, will not vote for the house bill unamended, but it is believed they will vote for the amended proposition.

Two senators named in the list of eight first given are claimed by the friends of the tariff measure as almost sure to vote for the amended bill, leaving six Republicans who will vote finally against the measure. It is claimed that two or three votes will be secured for the tariff measure from the ranks of the opposition parties in the senate, and that in this way a majority will be secured.

While there has been a great deal of discussion among senators as to what the house will do when the amended bill is sent over there, and many conferences between the senators and members of the ways and means committee, the only result has been a decision that the senate must act as seems best under the circumstances, and the bill, if it passes, must take its chances in the house. Some members of the ways and means committee advise this course, at the same time urging speedy action, and this view found expression in the caucus, the statement being made that delay was more dangerous than anything else, and that the country and Puerto Rico ought to know soon what to expect. Apparently there was no disposition among the free trade senators present at the caucus to delay a vote upon the bill, though no agreement was reached for an immediate vote.

Senator Foraker, in charge of the Puerto Rican bill, announced at Monday's session of the senate that, beginning with today's session, he would press the measure to a vote as soon as possible. Senator Hanna, speaking to a question of personal privilege, vigorously denied an interview with a Republican member of the house of representatives, whose name was not given, published in a Washington newspaper, alleging that the passage of the Puerto Rican tariff bill would be in pursuance of a "deal" by which the Republican national committee was to get a big contribution. Mr. Hanna denounced the statement as a "malicious lie."

The Alaskan civil code bill was under consideration during a greater part of the session. An amendment was agreed to fixing a license upon almost every kind of trade and commerce in the department of Alaska, the licenses ranging from $10 to $500 per annum. The measure had not been disposed of at the conclusion of the session.

The house yesterday began consideration of the army appropriation bill. The debate was without exciting incident. Chairman Hull, in charge of the bill, explained its provisions. Mr. Jett (Ills.) criticized the policy of rushing officers through the high grades of the army just prior to retirement. Mr. McClellan (N. Y.) discussed the subject of army reorganization; Mr. Clayton (N. Y.) urged the proper equipment of Fort Hamilton, New York harbor; Mr. Cox (Tenn.) and Mr. Ridgeley (Kan.) opposed generally a permanent increase of the army as prejudicial to the best interests of the country, and Mr. Driggs (N. Y.) favored an increase in the artillery and cavalry branches of the service, and a reduction of the infantry arm. Mr. Meyer (La.) discussed the Philippine policy, opposing the retention of the islands.

PFEIFFER BREAKS HIS FAST.

Declares That He Is Not Especially Hungry. Lost Twenty Pounds In Three Weeks.

Boston, March 27.—Weighing 20 pounds less than he did three weeks ago, but feeling stronger and in better health, Dr. Pfeiffer yesterday afternoon broke his 21 days' fast. He completed his three weeks' fast at 12:40 o'clock, noon. He did not eat until 1:35. He said he was not especially hungry, and could have continued his fast many days longer had he so desired.

His first meal was a hearty one. He ate as much as most people generally eat for breakfast. Most men, had they gone without food for even four days, would have been killed by such a vigorous diet, but this large amount of food caused the doctor no distress whatever. He said that he could have eaten four times as much and without injury.

It took him 15 minutes to eat his first meal. It consisted of a cup of hot clam broth, an orange, two poached eggs, two slices of whole wheat toast, and a bowl of hot milk.

Filipinos Became Excited.

Manila, March 27.—During the production of an incendiary play entitled, "For Love of Country," presented in the Tagalog language at the Tagalog theater, the natives, under the influence of repeated references to independence, became disorderly. Finally, quite carried away at the sight of the rebel flag on the stage, they cried "Vive Filipinas" and "Vive Aguinaldo." Police restored order and arrested the manager of the theater and the author of the play. The latter is the proprietor of a Tagalog newspaper which was recently warned to modify its radical utterances. The American authorities had forbidden the production of the play.

Silver Will Not Be Abandoned.

Chicago, March 27.—J. C. Johnson, chairman of the executive committee of the Democratic national committee, discredits certain published articles in which it is made to appear that a number of prominent Democrats favor the abandoning of any reference to the silver question in the forthcoming Democratic platform. Mr. Johnson says: "I think there is no well-informed Democrat in the United States but is morally certain that the Kansas City convention will distinctly reaffirm the position which the party took on the money question in its platform of 1896."

For Reciprocity With Uncle Sam.

St. John's, March 27.—Premier Bond will appeal to the country at the coming election on the question of reciprocity with the United States, advocating a renewal of the Bond-Blaine convention, negotiated some years ago, which provided for reciprocity between the two countries. Canada objected, thus preventing the convention taking effect. The premier considers the present time favorable for a renewal of the measure, and his course will receive large support throughout the colony.

Discharged and Rearrested.

Chicago, March 27.—Robert Berger, former partner of E. S. Dreyer in the banking business, was yesterday declared not guilty of receiving deposits knowing the bank to be insolvent. The verdict was ordered by Judge Waterman on the ground that there was a fatal variance between the indictment and the proof. Berger was at once rearrested and placed on trial on another charge of a similar nature.

Valuable Printing Plant Burned.

Boston, March 27.—The large and valuable printing and book binding plant of Carl H. Heintzemann, was destroyed by fire last evening, despite the efforts of nearly half of the fire department, entailing a loss of nearly $75,000. Everything in the two upper floors of the five-story building was destroyed, while the occupants of the lower stories suffered severely from smoke and water. The fire started from some unknown cause in the printing office on the fourth floor.

Dashed Down Mountain Side.

Bradford, Pa., March 27.—One of the large passenger cars of the Olean, Rock City and Bradford Electric railway ran away down the mountain side beyond Red Rock yesterday, and the derailment and wreck of the car that followed resulted in the loss of one life, and the injury of seven others, one fatally.

Moulders' Demand Granted.

Norwich, Conn., March 27.—The Richmond Stove company of Thamesville has granted their moulders the 10-percent advance asked for last Saturday, and the 51 men who went out on a strike have returned to work.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

At Sandford, near Barrington, N. S., the body of a man, supposed to be one of the persons on board the missing steamer Planet Mercury, was found on the beach. An inquest was held, but the jury could not identify the body.

There is little prospect for the deepening of Camden (Me.) harbor, as the board of engineers having the project under consideration is not willing to make the recommendation.

The selectmen of Westwood, Mass., have granted the Norwood, Canton and Sharon street railway a location in that town, and the company has accepted the same under the conditions imposed.

Daniel Healy, 66 years of age, a resident of North Brookfield, Mass., committed suicide by shooting. Healy had been ill.

Major Ashbridge of Philadelphia announces that the third $25,000 to be raised by that city for the Republican national convention is now in hand. The work of raising the fourth and final $25,000 has been started.

Rabbi Isaac M. Wise, probably the most distinguished rabbi in the Reformed Jewish church, died at Cincinnati of a stroke of paralysis. He was 81 years old.

Joseph S. Brown, an ex-representative, and director in the Lowell, Lawrence and Haverhill street railway, died at Lowell after a long period of ill health, following a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Brown was born in 1819.

By direction of the president the military post at Cayey, P. R., will hereafter be known and designated as Henry barracks, in honor of the late Brigadier General Henry, U. S. A.

AUDIENCE SCRAMBLED FOR EXITS.

Thought Counsel In Goebel Murder Trial Were Going to Indulge In Shooting Match.

Frankfort, Ky., March 27.—Judge Moore called his court to order promptly at 10 o'clock yesterday to resume the preliminary hearing of Republican Secretary of State Powers, charged with being an accessory to the murder of Governor Goebel.

The most thrilling event of the trial occurred yesterday afternoon, and for a few minutes it looked as though serious trouble could not be prevented. Colonel Denny, speaking for the defense on the competency question, said: "It is perfectly lawful for people to come here and come armed. I came here sveral times myself." He was referring to the crowd present at the mass meeting held in the state house yard just prior to Goebel's assassination.

Colonel Campbell, for the prosecution, replied that he did not consider it lawful, and was surprised to know that Mr. Denny had come here armed. Denny denied having made such a statement, and said he did not come armed. Campbell insisted that he had made the statement. Both men were very much excited, and spoke with vehemence and with arms shaking and commenced to advance toward each other. The court room was crowded and the audience evidently thought a fight was on, and made a rush for the doors and windows, people falling over each other in their efforts to get out of the room. Several policemen and deputy sheriffs were crying for order, and Judge Moore was bringing his gavel down with terrific force, and urging the people to keep their seats. After five or ten minutes of the most exciting scenes quiet was restored. Just as the room began to grow orderly, ex-Governor Brown, one of the attorneys for the defense, whispered to Colonel Campbell, who arose and apologized to Denny and to the court. Colonel Denny replied in a happy speech.

On an inspection of the record, it was found that Colonel Campbell had misconstrued Colonel Denny's statement.

Governor Brown asked the court to adjourn and give the people time to cool off, stating that it was only by the coolness of several officers and people around him that dozens of people were not killed. He said that it was not that he feared any violence, but he spoke for the protection of his client. County Attorney Potsgrove objected to adjourning, stating that it would be an admission that the court was unable to protect the prisoner, and insisted upon resuming the questioning of Golden. Colonel Denny agreed with Mr. Potsgrove, and the court told the attorneys to proceed with the examination.

At the conclusion of the examination of Golden the commonwealth rested its case. Golden's testimony yesterday was not of a sensational character.

Cole's Counsel Files Bill of Exceptions.

Boston, March 27.—Counsel for Charles H. Cole filed on Monday in the United States district court a bill of exceptions to the decision of Judge Lowell, overruling the demurrer to the 16 counts charging wilful misapplication of the funds of the Globe National bank. A motion to quash the nine counts charging false entries was also filed. The ground of the motion is that the counts do not inform Cole of the nature and cause of the accusation against him.

Male "Street Walkers" Convicted.

Boston, March 27.—A man was convicted in the superior court Monday for "street walking," under a statute passed 30 years ago, and given a short house of correction sentence. Two other men had been sentenced in the lower court, and took their sentence, but the third appealed, and the statute was upheld. "Street walking" for males covered such offenses as soliciting female patronage for notorious dance halls.

Parnell Relieved of Embarrassment.

London, March 27. — John Parnell, brother of the famous Irish statesman, is city marshal of Dublin, and, in this capacity, it would devolve upon him to present the keys of the city to the queen on her forthcoming visit. As he might feel some awkwardness in executing this duty it has been arranged that he shall carry the keys on a cushion to the lord mayor of Dublin, who will present them to the queen.

Manufacturers Still Hold Out.

Chicago, March 27.—The Chicago Association of Machinery Manufacturers last night issued a card on behalf of 68 prominent manufacturers belonging to the association, denying a statement that many of the manufacturing concerns of Chicago had signed with the International Association of Machinists, recognizing the hours of labor, rate of wages and the right of the union to control their shops.

Dowager Empress Bent on Murder.

London, March 27.—The Shanghai correspondent of The Daily Mail says: The empress dowager has ordered the Chinese cruisers Hai Tien and Hai Shou to proceed to the Straits settlement there to act in conjunction with the men detailed to capture or assassinate Kang Yu Wei and the other reformers. She believes their 24-knot speed will enable them to outstrip any British man-of-war.

To Retire From the Navy.

Boston, March 27.—Rear Admiral Benjamin F. Day, N. S. N., for many years the chief of the equipment department at the Charlestown navy yard, and later captain of the yard, is to voluntarily retire from active service in the navy, anticipating his retirement under the age limit by nearly three years.

Music the Only Absent Feature.

New York, March 27.—The tenderloin seemed like itself again last night. All of the resorts closed about two weeks ago by the police, with the exception of the Haymarket and the Columbia, were open and doing business as usual. At none of the places was music allowed.

Boys Held For Incendiarism.

Boston, March 27.—George A. Eiffler, Joseph Cox and William Havey, boys from the Rainsford island house of reformation, accused of having set fire to some of the buildings of the institution, were bound over for the grand jury in $500 each.

FOR LONDON'S DEFENSE.

British Capital's Forts Being Rearmed Against Foreign Invasion.

To many readers the information that serious steps have been and are being taken to defend London against attack will doubtless come as a surprise, says Cassell's Magazine. Those who are responsible for the national defenses have based their action on the theory that if we were unhappily involved in war with a powerful European coalition and if, still more unhappily, a disaster to our navy deprived us for awhile of the command of the sea an attempt would be made to invade England and seize London.

The bold chalk ridge of the North Downs is thus the southern wall of London. The line of selected positions extends for 36 miles from the Hog's Back on the right to Halstead, in Kent, on the left. On the other side of the river there is another series of positions selected, running from Tilbury, on the Thames, by Brentwood, to Epping, to protect London against an attack coming through Essex. On the northwest positions have been chosen about Berkhamstead, in the hilterns. Between the left of the southern line and the right of the Essex positions lies the great waterway of the Thames, defended by groups of forts.

There are two groups of forts to guard the river. First, on the broad estuary that forms the actual mouth of the river, there are the forts of Sheerness, with the defenses of Chatham behind them. Farther up there is another group of forts to bar the narrow passage of the river at the sharp bend just below Gravesend. Several of these forts are, it must be admitted, somewhat antiquated and unsatisfactory structures, armed with what a sporting man would call "rather a scratch lot" of guns. The old muzzle loader is far too prominent among them. But they are now being rearmed with heavy modern guns and quick firers. One good modern battery has been constructed lately on a spot that need not be noted here, and preparations have been made for mounting powerful guns at other points where the enemy might least expect them, the actual mounting being left till the eve of war in order to complete his surprise.

NEW RAT KILLING MACHINE.

A Wire Trap That Slaughters Them, Then Resets Itself.

Rattraps by the hundred thousand will be manufactured here, says the Worcester Telegram, as a starting order as soon as Calvin C. Bowen of Los Angeles can make a contract with one of four large Worcester concerns which are to bid for the order.

The trap is of wood, steel and springs. A strong spring is curled around a shaft, and the shaft is supported between two upright steel bands. The trap is baited by placing cheese in a receptacle which the rat is bound to locate. The rat presses his nose against the bait, nibbles it a bit, and that's the finish of that particular rat. A lever is released, the steel spring expands, a strong band of bronzed steel wire swoops around and hits the rat.

The force of the blow is so great that the hungry rodent is knocked against two sharp, steel spikes set in place directly where his eyes will be as he nibbles the bait. Then the force of the fatal spring will throw the defunct rat four or five feet out of the trap, and it is automatically set for another tragedy.

One wind of the trap means that it is loaded for ten rats, as the spring will expand with force enough to swing the whacker ten times.

QUEER CAUSE OF INSANITY.

A Woman's Blonded Hair Made Her Husband Insane.

Bleached hair of the young and pretty wife of Andrew Maxwell, a farmer living near Newkirk, O. T., has driven her husband insane.

Mrs. Maxwell's hair was black as a raven's wing, but she recently had it turned yellow by a hairdresser because she wanted to be a blond. When the young husband came home and found his wife with hair of a different color, he fretted over it until he lost his mind, says the Chicago Inter Ocean, and the other day he was adjudged insane.

Mrs. Maxwell has already paid twice the sum she spent in having her hair dyed to get it back to its original color, but to no avail. Her hair is now a pale green, and she is afraid to go near her husband for fear of making him worse.

The Natives of Natal.

Apropos of the announcement in the house of commons by Mr. Chamberlain that if native territory in Natal were deliberately invaded by the Boers the natives "would be encouraged to defend themselves," it is interesting to recollect that there are close upon 800,000 of these fellow subjects of ours in Natal and Zululand, 190,000 of whom are found in Zululand, says The Westminster Gazette. According to the native code of 1891, they are prohibited from being in possession of firearms, and special permits have to be obtained to carry their native weapon—the assagai.

House Wagon For Herders.

Sheepmen over the range are arranging to give the greatest possible care to their flocks this spring, writes the Pierre (S. D.) correspondent of the Minneapolis Journal. Besides the wagon sent out by C. E. Lewis with compartments for hauling sheep and lambs to the ranch, Binford brothers recently sent out to their ranch a perfectly fitted up house wagon, in which the herders can live while following the herd about and be on hand to care for them at any time.

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Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M. and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M. 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday).

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M., 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

At the QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M. and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour broughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

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r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
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ia WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and y 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

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a HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK WNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past our until 10.30 P. M.
a WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.
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ave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M every hour until 10.00 P. M.

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ave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from y Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

ve QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. P. M.
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FRESH INFORMATION

Furnished the Prosecution by a Suspect In Goebel Assassination Case.

Powers Held For the Grand Jury Without Bail.

No Testimony Introduced For the Defense In the Conspiracy Case.

Frankfort, Ky., March 28.—There were some startling developments in the Goebel assassination case yesterday. In the afternoon W. H. Culton, who waived examination and was held over to the circuit court, went to the Capitol hotel, where he was in conference with the attorneys for the prosecution for over two hours. He was accompanied by his brother-in-law, E. E. Hogg, who is also his attorney. It was reported at the time that Culton had made some kind of a confession, but later it developed that the information gained was not as sweeping in character as was at first reported. Culton's friends, who are in his confidence, say that his statement was not in the nature of a confession, but they admit that he gave the prosecution such information as he had and which had heretofore not come out. Besides Culton and T. C. Campbell there were present at the conference Commonwealth's Attorney Franklin, County Attorney Potsgrove, Rev. Mr. Culton, father of the prisoner, and E. E. Hogg.

While this was going on Henry E. Youtsey, who was arrested at noon and locked up in jail, charged with being an accessory, sent for Campbell, and the latter visited him in jail and was closeted with him for some time. Youtsey, when he was arrested, told the officers that the prosecution had promised not to arrest him and he complained that that side had broken faith with him.

The report that Youtsey had made revelations to the prosecution seems to be wholly unfounded. On the contrary, it is said Youtsey stoutly maintained his own innocence, and said he stood ready to tell all he knew, nothing of which was of a criminating nature. Youtsey's attorneys say they will go before Judge Moore and ask an immediate examining trial.

One of the leaders in the prosecution said: "Youtsey told us nothing that we did not know already and we gained nothing from him, but we were compensated for the loss of what we hoped to extract from him by what we did get in the way of information from Mr. Culton."

Youtsey, who is Republican Auditor Sweeney's private secretary, was arrested as the man with the black moustache whom Golden mentioned in his testimony as the man to whom John Powers gave the key to Caleb Power's office. The warrant charges him with being an accessory before the fact to the murder of Governor Goebel.

The fourth day of the examining trial of the Republican secretary of state, Caleb Powers, began with the courtroom cleared of all persons excepting attorneys, newspaper representatives and officers of the court.

When Judge Moore called for order, the attorneys for the defense held a consultation and called County Attorney Potsgrove. Immediately after the consultation, Governor Brown for the defense announced that no testimony would be introduced for the defense, and they would waive further examination. The pardon issued to Powers by Governor Taylor was tendered by ex-Governor Brown as a bar to the prosecution, and he asked that the defendant be dismissed.

Lawyer Campbell said the commonwealth denied Governor Taylor's right to issue a pardon at the time the pardon was granted. Governor Brown moved that the prisoner be dismissed upon the evidence. The motion was overruled. Bail was asked for.

Judge Moore said: "It is not my belief that Powers fired the shot which killed Governor Goebel, but from the evidence it is my opinion that he was connected with the conspiracy to kill him. I shall, therefore, order the prisoner be held over without bail to the Franklin county grand jury that the case may be further investigated."

At 2 o'clock Attorney Potgrove announced that the commonwealth was ready to proceed with the trial of either Culton or Davis. A consultation of all the attorneys was held, after which Captain Davis was brought into the court room, Culton having come in early with his private guard.

Attorney Ramsey, Culton's leading counsel, announced that his client would waive his examining trial. In the case of Captain Davis Attorney Dunlap, for the defense, stated that the defendant would waive examination, and that an agreement had been entered into that bail should be fixed for Davis at $5000. The court then entered an order admitting Davis to bail.

Cabinet Decides to Take No Action.

Washington, March 28.—The cabinet meeting yesterday was almost wholly taken up with discussion of the Kentucky situation, and it was decided to take no action whatever. The fact that the guns now in the hands of the Democrat militia are government property is recognized, but as long as the guns are kept in good condition there is no disposition to interfere.

RUTLAND EMBEZZLEMENT CASE.

Mussey Unable to Secure $100,000 Bail. McClure Borrowed $145,000 From Cashier.

Rutland, Vt., March 28.—Charles W. Mussey, the self-confessed defaulting cashier of the Merchants' National bank, is not likely to be heard in court Friday, as intended, by reason of the absence of District Attorney Martin of Brattleboro, who is in Texas. Mussey is in a poor physical condition and some of his friends fear that he will not survive his trial.

The chief interest now centers around M. A. McClure's affairs, and he is credited with saying that while he borrowed of Mussey all of the $145,000, he adds that he thought the money came from Mussey's personal resources. He also is quoted as saying that Mussey had often warned him not to mention the transactions. H. O. Edson, whose name has been brought into the case, is alleged to have said that he received 5 percent for endorsing notes, but as he thought the money came from Mussey he did not keep track of the amounts.

Mussey is still at the county jail, and it is not likely that anyone will try to raise $100,000 bail. The charges on which he will be heard, unless he waives the reading of the same and is held for the grand jury, are larceny, embezzlement and misapplication of the funds of the bank.

Experts' Work Not Completed.

Elmira, N. Y., March 28.—Frank E. Bundy, the defaulting city chamberlain, was arrested last night on the charge of grand larceny. County Judge Pratt went to Bundy's residence and admitted the prisoner to bail in $10,000. Bundy's arrest at this time was the result of a demand made by his attorneys that the sheriff remove from the Bundy residence the two deputy sheriffs who have been on guard there since the defaulter confessed the shortage in his accounts. The new city chamberlain has found another large deficit in one of the tax rolls, which brings Bundy's shortage, so far as known, to about $58,000. The experts are still at work on the books.

Dr. Hillis to Leave Chicago Presbytery.

New York, March 28.—The Brooklyn Eagle says that Rev. Dr. Hillis, pastor of Plymouth church, purposes to retire at once from the Chicago Presbytery. He has reached this determination because four clergymen connected with the Chicago theological seminary have arraigned him because of his denunciation of the "hell fire and damnation" doctrines. With this arraignment comes the intimation that the four clergymen would not be unwilling to indulge in a heretic hunt, with Dr. Hillis as the person to be run to cover. Dr. Hillis will avoid this by promptly withdrawing from the Presbytery.

Each Side Must Share Costs.

Harrisburg, March 28.—The trial of ex-Senator John J. Coyle of Philadelphia for bribery closed yesterday and the jury reached a verdict of not guilty and costs divided between the prosecutor and the defendant. After this case was given to the jury a continuance was granted in the cases against the other alleged bribers. They entered the bail for their appearance at the June term. These defendants are ex-Representative John R. Byrne, Robert Evans and ex-Representative Thomas M. Moyles.

Preferred Jail to Paying Fine.

Norwich, Conn., March 28.—Ira D. Main, a well-to-do farmer of North Stonington, who was fined $5 and costs, amounting to $75, in the criminal court of common pleas here for an infraction of the game laws, went to jail in preference to paying the fine. The statute which Main was found guilty of violating was framed to prevent the snaring of quail or woodcock during the closed season. This is the first case that has come before the court under the new law.

Liberia Without a Navy.

London, March 28.—Mail news received from Monrovia announces the extinction of the Liberian navy, consisting of two gunboats. It is added that the Rocktown was sunk in the harbor of Monrovia March 10, while the Gorronomah capsized in the St. Paul river, where she was going to be overhauled. The gunboats cost about $140,000 and will be a serious loss to the government of Liberia, which, probably, will be unable to replace them.

Duke of Orleans Laid Up.

Paris, March 28.—Some of the Paris newspapers ridicule the report that the Duke of Orleans was recently injured in a wild boar hunt near Seville, Spain. The Aurore remarks: Some Englishman doubtless was passing and he carressed somewhat roughly with a hobnailed boot the person of his majesty. Obviously The Aurore does not intend this to be accepted as a serious explanation of the duke's indisposition.

Withdraws From Bell Combination.

Bristol, Conn., March 28.—The New Departure Bell company, the largest concern in the combination organized by the bell manufacturers last July, has given notice of its withdrawal from the combine, and has forfeited its bonds. The company will act independently hereafter. The New Departure Bell company has already cut in halves the prices on some styles of bells.

Settlement of Branford Strike.

Branford, Conn., March 28.—A settlement has been effected between the striking stone workers and their employers at the Stony Creek quarries, operated by the Norcross Granite company. The agreement provides that the minimum price to be paid cutters will be 32 and 34 cents an hour for an eight-hour day.

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Road Between Kimberley and Paardeberg In Possession of Free Staters.

Olivier Safely Emerges From "Hollow of Roberts' Hand."

Twenty Thousand Boers Said to Be Guarding Drakensberg Range.

London, March 28.—A dispatch from Kimberley, dated Monday, says: Four hundred Free Staters have taken possession of the road between Kimberley and Paardeberg. They have seized a farm near Pandamsfontein, where a number of army horses had been sent to rest and graze. Their object is evidently to raid the railway by way of Jacobsdal.

Commandant Olivier appears to have gotten his 5000 men and 25 miles of wagons into a rugged country, where he can make an easy rear guard defense. Charles Williams, the military expert, says: "If this column gets through substantially, Commandant Olivier will have carried out the great feat of the war, seeing that he ran every chance of being ground between the upper millstone of Lord Roberts' army and the nether millstone of the broken Basuto frontier. He will have done it within 50 miles or so of Lord Roberts' main strength. Certainly it looked for a week as though Lord Roberts held Olivier in the hollow of his hand.

If Olivier gets through to Kroonstad with even 3000 men it will be an important addition to the Boer gathering there. His escape is attributed in part to the worn-out condition of the British cavalry horses. Lord Roberts' transport appears to have been badly dislocated by the losses at Riet river, before Cronje's surrender of the wagon train, and, in addition to this, the army with which he purposes to advance toward Pretoria is nearly double that of the earlier rapid movements.

Ten thousand transport, cavalry and gun animals are due to arrive at Cape Town during this and next week. It is given out at Cape Town that Lord Roberts' advance may be delayed for months. Although such statements should be received with reserve, it seems possible that he intends to go to Cape Town to meet Lady Roberts, who is due to arrive there in 10 days.

The war office has issued another table of British losses, showing an aggregate of 16,652, which does not include 4004 who have been invalided home.

The Daily Mail publishes the following from Fauresmith, dated Tuesday, March 27: General Clements' column occupied Jagersfontein and Fauresmith this morning amid great rejoicing and enthusiasm and without opposition. The British troops were warmly cheered.

The Cape Town correspondent of The Daily News, telegraphing Tuesday, March 27, says: It is improbable that the advance from Bloemfontein will be made for another month. General Clements is advancing to Bloemfontein in four columns. When Lord Roberts begins the march northward, General Gatacre will be left in charge of Bloemfontein. The colonial government has ordered the Cape volunteers to withdraw south of the Orange river, for fear of accentuating racial feeling.

A special to The Daily Telegraph from Ladysmith, dated Monday, says: There are about 20,000 Boers guarding the nine passes over the Drakensberg range. They are led by Commandant De Beer of Harrismith and consist of Free Staters. It is reported that the Boers have moved their big guns from Biggarsberg, as it is not intended to make a stand there.

It is reported from Carnarvon that a British column has been unable to advance from Vanwyksvlei owing to the floods which have been without precedent for decades. The roads are quite impassable. It is also reported that the rebels are still gathered at Rofburg, waiting for the British troops to go further north, so that they may raid Carnarvon.

Must Go Back to Natal.

Washington, March 28.—The secretary of state has issued a warrant for the surrender to the British authorities of James Dawson, a bookkeeper for a merchant at Durban, Natal. He is charged with the embezzlement of £700 from his employer, and has been held under arrest in New York city.

Unexpected Explosion of Dynamite.

New York, March 28.—By the premature explosion of a blast of dynamite in Allen & Russell's quarry near Waterloo, N. J., yesterday, George Lord was killed and two laborers were fatally hurt.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The disturbance over Florida has caused a continuation of the rains there and their extension along the south Atlantic coast. In addition there were rains in the lower portion of the west gulf states, in the middle Atlantic states and snow in the lower lake region and New England. On Thursday the precipitation area will extend into southern New England, and rain or snow will likely occur. It will be fair in northern New England.

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Quincy, March 12. tf

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A Weekly Established in 1878.

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TELEPHONE, 78-3 QUINCY.

Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	31	35	48	46
Monday,	48	55	26	48	48
Tuesday,	48	65	44	44	50
Wednesday,	46	44	45	51	44
Thursday,	—	43	47	52	50
Friday,	—	58	39	56	55
Saturday,	—	39	45	48	45

New Advertisements Today.

Mortgagees' Sale of Real Estate.
B. F. Curtis—Houses to let.
Louis S. Cleaves—Screens.
Wollaston Park Nursery.
Hearing—State House.

Good Afternoon.

The annual report of the Commissioner of Public Works makes amusing reading. Seldom has a city official allowed his pique to enter into a public document.

The government building will be needed long before it is built, but it is pleasing to note that Congressman Naphen is pushing it along, and that the appropriation may be secured long before it was expected.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ President Kruger's move in annexing the Free State to the South African republic was a shrewd one but it came a trifle late. "Little Bobs" seems to have done the annexation act more thoroughly than "Om" Paul, "late President," etc.—Chicago News.

☞ The idiocy that ornaments a pet dog with jewels representing a fortune deserves the corrective that comes through the disappearance of the canine. Even though the poodle has fallen into knavish hands there is a reasonable expectation that the jewels will be put to better use.—Brockton Times.

☞ The story of the hard work of Henry Irving and Ellen Terry is a lesson to all of us. To be most valuable one must make himself a drudge, a slave—a slave to his ideal. Work, work, work, every day, all day, all the time. So many failures, doubts, delays! and yet through it all the consciousness of one's high calling.—Lewiston, Me., Sun.

☞ The absence of male clerks in Somerville's city departments is causing alarm among the officials of that place. The City Hall, they say, looks like a female seminary. Why don't the enterprising men of Somerville marry these industrious young women and by so doing secure wives who can support them at a pinch? They are dead slow down that way.—Haverhill Gazette.

☞ What "Remember the Maine," was to the jackies of the American navy in 1898, "Avenge Majuba Hill" has been to Tommy Atkins in the present South African campaign. It is therefore with a pride commendable that Lord Roberts, reporting the capitulation of Cronje, the most brilliant of the Boer leaders, refers to the fact that this is the 19th anniversary of that sore spot in English-South African history.—New London Day.

☞ The erection of a $30,000,000 steel plant in Canada to turn out 2,400 tons of rails, bars, billets and sheets of nickel steel per day, is an enterprise more threatening to the industries of the United States than the future determination of the boundary of Alaska or the question of whether or not we shall fortify the Nicaragua canal if ever we shall succeed in digging it. The Canadians have the nickel and iron ore beds in convenient contiguity, and they can get coal supplies from the United States at no greater comparative operative disadvantage than that imposed upon our manufacturers, who have to transport their ores to their coal. The Canadians will also have the advantage of reaching foreign markets by all water routes during the period of open navigation.—Hartford Telegram.

—An Ohio woman is suffering from blood poisoning, resulting from the use of soap. Tramps will take warning.

EXPECT A CROWD.

Several School Buildings Will be Severely Taxed.

Lack of a quorum prevented the regular meeting of the School Committee on Tuesday evening. Miss Adams, Mr. Smith, Dr. Hallowell and Dr. Dion were present, and after waiting an hour for a quorum the meeting adjourned.

During this time the members present held an informal discussion on granting the use of High school hall to parties, where no admission was to be charged, who had engaged, Music hall previous to the fire. No action was taken however.

The Superintendent showed by diagrams how the schools would be crowded on the opening of the April term. The lower grades of the Willard, John Hancock, Lincoln, Coddington, Wollaston, Gridley Bryant and Massachusetts Fields schools would be severely taxed, and it would be quite a problem to take care of the number expected.

The expenditures of the department to date are:

Salaries,	$23,175.88
Fuel,	69.50
Janitors,	1,590.45
Transportation	269.70
Books and supplies,	1,432.65
Evening schools,	406.16
Total,	$26,944.34

Pop Corn Row Must Go.

Pop Corn row at Nantasket has been taken by the Metropolitan Park Commission. It includes a strip of land, fronting on the bay side, between the steamboat landing and Atlantic avenue, comprising a large area and a number of old tumbledown shanties, principally used by vendors of fruits and confectionery. These buildings will be carted away.

The commisssioners have several proposals for leasing the Hotel Nantasket and bathhouse privileges, and it is thought action will be taken within a week. An enormous amount of work remains for the commission to do, but it will be well along toward completion by the first or middle of May, when that part of the beach over which the commission have full control will be entirely transformed.

Another change which will be much appreciated by the public will be the anticipated removal of the string of "shouters" who line the plank walk at the wharf on the arrival of the steamers, and thrust their offensive "meat and fish dinner" announcements in people's hands, besides making things nupleasant with their "free-ride" arguments. The commissioners will permit none of these features in their reservation.

A. O. U. W.

The meeting of Merrymount lodge, A. O. U. W., Tuesday evening, was very largely attended. Besides the many members of Merrymount lodge present, there were visitors from Brockton and Campello lodges, and from Norfolk lodge of Norfolk Downs. After the business meeting, interesting remarks were made by the visitors, and members of the home lodge. Then the entertainment committee were heard from in the way of refreshments for the inner man. Dr. Gilson and Brother Taber then gave an exhibition of the stereopticon part of the work. The balance of the evening was passed in a social manner.

Annual Church Meeting.

At the annual business meeting of Calavry Baptist church officers were elected for the ensuing year: Deacon, John L. Johnson; Clerk, F. G. Pettee; Treasurer, Mrs. E. W. Jones; Collector, Robert Farquhar; Executive Committee, Rev. David Kerr, William Steven, H. L. Harden and Mrs. Ranz; Superintendent of Sabbath School, John L. Johnson.

To Cure a Cough in One Day
To Cure a Cold in One Day
To Cure Sore Throat in One Day
To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free)
Quincy Department Store, Quincy.

TODAY'S COURT.

The continued case of John O'Donovan, for assault at Quincy, was called and again continued until April 28.

The liquors seized from Julio Lansici on Crescent street were forfeited.

The liquors seized from Peter Ratazzio at Quincy were forfeited.

—The children of the public schools are to take part in the 50th anniversary of the city of Lynn next week.

—The Malden News asserts that a low town tax is to be dreaded; there isn't much danger of it.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cents

Joy Among Liquor Dealers.

Representative Sprague of this city raised the ire of Representative Mills, Newburyport clergyman, in the House, Monday. In opposing a bill to amend the so-called abutter's law, relative to liquor licenses, Mr. Sprague opened his remarks with the scriptural assertion that there was joy in heaven over one sinner that repenteth; so he doubted not there was joy among the liquor dealers that the gentleman from Newburyport had joined their ranks upon this matter.

Mr. Mills, when, as the member of the committee on liquor law having charge of the bill, his opportunity came of closing the debate, replied to Mr. Sprague with some heat and indignation.

He said in part: I wish to declare, Mr. Speaker, that in any specific case where the member of Quincy is unjust and a liquor dealer is just, I side with the liquor dealer every time. I will not be subjected to the discourteous style of personal argument used by the gentleman from Quincy. I have discussed this question altogether as a question of the highest public policy and upon the highest ground, and I stand, in spite of the revilings against me both inside and outside of the State House, against the systematic and extortionate blackmail of men for doing a business which is legal under the statue.

Knight Templar Dead.

William W. Craig, a well known resident of Quincy, died Thursday night at the Quincy City Hospital, after a brief illness. Mr. Craig was taken ill with the grip about ten days ago. This developed into typhoid pneumonia and last Thursday he was taken to the Hospital. Then erysipelas set in, which resulted in his death. He was a granite foreman at which he was employed up to the time he was taken ill. At the recent city election he was a candidate for Councilman at large. He was a member of Rural lodge of Masons and South Shore Commandry Knight Templars. He was 45 years of age and leaves a widow and one daughter. Funeral services will be held Saturday.

—Exclusive of Alaska the Indian population of the United States is 262,965. Of these 40,187 can read, and 49,589 can use English well enough for ordinary purposes. There are about 28,000 church communicants.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 27, 1900.

THE Committee on Cities will give a hearing to parties interested in House, bill No. 1096 (petition of George E. Pfaffmann, chairman Park Commissioners, Quincy) for legislation authorizing Park Commissioners of Quincy to erect bath houses, etc., at room No. 444 State House, on MONDAY, April 2d, at 10.40 o'clock A. M.

LOYED E. CHAMBERLAIN, Chairman.
FRANK E. WETHERELL,
March 28-1t-p-1w Clerk of the Committee.

Trees! Shrubs! Vines!

Ornamental Trees, Evergreens, and Shrubs,

Suitable for park and lawn.

SHADE TREES

For the Street

Fruit Trees and Small Fruits, including Grape, Hardy Roses, Hardy Plants, Climbing Vines, Bulbs,

A Specially Large Assortment of

Roses, Clematis, Lilacs, Spiraeas, Hydrangeas.

Everything desirable in Nursery Stock, both old and new. Only first-class stock furnished. Prices reasonable.

Orders by mail receive prompt attention.

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Carriage, Wagon and Harness MAKERS.

First-class Repairing in all Branches.

HORSE SHOEING A SPECIALTY.
Horse Clipping.
Horse Clothing, Robes, Whips, etc.
A Full Line of Horse Medicines.
61 to 67 Hancock St., Quincy.
April 29—1y may1 1tf

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Probably rain or snow tomorrow.

Rural lodge of Masons has had three deaths within three weeks.

Thompson & Connell will open soon a new bicycle store in Wollaston.

S. H. Edwards of Atlantic has remove to the new block on Sagamore street.

Mrs. Frederick Nelson of Charles street, has been quite ill the past few days.

Two new houses are being built on the lot at the corner of Squantum and Walker streets.

The Putnam Nail Works at Neponset which employes many Atlantic people, has closed for a week.

The adjourned parish meeting of the Universalist Society will be held at the Church vestry Thursday evening of this week.

Now is the time to use printers' ink liberally on your apple and elm trees. The moths and bugs have begun to crawl up the trunks and it is now they get in their destructive work.

The alarm from Box 32 at 8.57 this morning, was for a slight fire in the kitchen of F. E. Miller's house, at the corner of Independence and Goddard avenues, caused by fat on the stove taking fire.

It is rumored that Rev. Charles H. Porter, Jr., of Hingham, may receive a call from the Channing Memorial church of Newport, R. I., where he preached on Sunday. He is the son of ex-Mayor Porter.

The Board of Health has appointed Robert T. Johnson as inspector of provisions. It is understood there were eight applications for the position but Mr. Johnson who acceptably filled the position last year won out.

Next Friday evening, there will be a social and entertainment for the benefit of the Universalist Ladies' Association at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Emery, 107 Washinton St. All friends of the society cordially invited.

The pupils of Miss Graham, assisted by Boston talent, will have an informal musical evening in the chapel of Bethany Congregational church Thursday evening of this week, at 8 o'clock. All friends are cordially invited.

The Quincy & Boston electric car number 20, which runs between Neponset and Squantum, quite reaches the ideal standard of what electric cars should be. It is a blessing to board an electric car and not be seized with the inevitable chill which pervades the great majority of street cars.

Merrymount Lodge, No. 55, I. O. G. T., will celebrate it's sixth anniversary at Doble's Hall, South Quincy, Thursday evening, this week. Several neighboring lodges have been invited to attend. Next Sunday afternoon at 2.30 the Lodge will attend in a body special services at the Universalist church.

The stores in the new block at corner of Prospect and Sagamore streets, have been let with the exception of two; Elijah G. Hall has a real estate office in the first one, Branschied & Marten's newspaper store has been moved into the second and claimants for the remaining stores have been rumored abroad, but no final decision has as yet been made publicly.

Fraternal Visit.

Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F., received a return visit on Tuesday evening from Massasoit lodge of Brockton, which was represented by about fifty of its members. Visitors were also present from John Hancock lodge of Wollaston and Neponset lodge. The Grand lodge was represented by Deputy Grand Master, E. Q. S. Litchfield and suite of East Weymouth. The work of the third degree was exemplified in an impressive manner by the degree staff of Mt. Wollaston lodge, the paraphernalia and work of the team receiving words of praise from the visitors. At the close of the business meeting an oyster supper was served. Speeches were made by the Grand officers and visitors from the lodges represented. The evening was one of enjoyment and profit to all.

LOW RATES.
3 MINUTES'
CONVERSATION

Approximately as follows:—
For a distance of

5 miles or less,	10 cents.
5 to 15 miles,	15 "
15 to 25 "	20 "
25 to 35 "	25 "
35 to 45 "	30 "

Rates for greater distances in proportion.
Apply for schedule of rates to
NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE
— AND —
TELEGRAPH COMPANY.
March 24. 4w

By FRANK F. CRANÉ, - Auctioneer.
Office No. 4 Chestnut street, Quincy, Mass.

AUCTION SALE

By order of the Com. of Public Works:

OF TWO HOUSES ON
Coddington Street, Quincy,
SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1900,
At 10.30 o'clock A. M.

The House owned by the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and the House corner Coddington and Spear streets, owned by the Trustees of the City Hospital.

These Buildings are sold in pursuance of Chapter 49 of the Public Statutes of Massachusetts, and are sold to be removed within ten days from date of sale.

Per order,
C. F. KNOWLTON,
Com. of Public Works.
March 27. 4t

By CHAS. H. JOHNSON, - Auctioneer.
Office, Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

FIRE! SMOKE! WATER!

Large Auction Sale
— OF —
100 Bicycles
And large supply of Sundries as the result of the late fire.

Will be sold at the present store of
J. H. GILLIS, 162 Hancock St., Quincy,
Old Court Room Bldg.,
— ON —
SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1900,
Commencing at 2 P. M.

Sale will continue until entire stock is sold.
Do not miss this sale as there is a bargain in bicycles and sundries.
SALE POSITIVE. TERMS CASH.
Quincy, March 27. 4t

A. G. OLNEY, - - Auctioneer.
Wollaston, Mass.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Groceries, Canned Goods, Counters, Scales, Fixtures, etc., etc.,
Will be sold at Public Auction on
Saturday, March 31, 1900,
AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.,
In the store on the
Corner of Hancock and Beach Streets,
WOLLASTON, MASS.,
Being the store formerly of W. W. WALSH, also the good will of said store.

The store will be open for inspection on THURSDAY and FRIDAY preceding the sale.
March 27. 4t—p-1w

By C. H. JOHNSON, - - Auctioneer.
Office Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

Administrator's Sale at Public Auction

Of the Household Goods of the late Frederick Souther, will be sold at late residence, Mill street, Quincy, on FRIDAY, March 30, 1900, at 1.30 P. M.

The goods consist in part as follows:
PARLOR. Square Piano, Woolen Carpet, Rug, 7 H. C. Chairs, 2 H. C. Rockers, 1 Plush Rocker, H. C. Sofa, fine large Glass, Music Rack, Music Stool, Pictures, Table.
SITTING ROOM. Stewart Parlor Stove, Woolen Carpet, Eight-day Clock, Large Glass, Bed Lounge, B. Lamp, eight foot Extension Table, 3 Chairs, one Round Chair, lot of Glassware in closet.
KITCHEN. Range, 4 Lamps, Curtains, Table, 4 Chairs, Clothes Horse, Bureau, Bench, Lot Dishes, Mason Jars, Plates, odd, 2 Wash Boilers.
CHAMBER. Antique Secretary, Table, Bedstead, Pillows, Bolster, Straw Matting, Feather Beds, 2 Chairs, Stair Carpet.
SECOND CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, 4 Pillows, Sheets, Comforters, Bureau.
THIRD CHAMBER. Bedstead, 2 Feather Beds, Commode, Pictures, Straw Matting, 2 Chairs, Rocker.
FOURTH CHAMBER. Antique Mahogany Bureau, Straw Matting, 2 Bureaus. 4 Chairs, H. C. Sofa, What Not, Pictures, Bed Ticking, Maps, Books, 2 Bags, Trunk.
STABLE. Saw, 4 Shovels, 4 Forks, Rakes, Tools, Bench, Chests, Desk, Anvil, Sick Chair, Window Glass, lot of Leather, Ship Carpenter Tools, lot of Wood, and a large variety of goods in both the House and Stable, the accumulation of years.
Sale Positive. Rain or Shine. Terms Cash.
Per order,
E. B. SOUTHER, Administrator.
March 20. 9t

SPRING ITEMS!

Spring will soon be here. Get your clothes ready now.
Don't you like the color of them, or are they faded? Have them dyed.
Are they soiled? Have them cleansed.
Are they out of shape? Have them pressed.
Don't they fit you right? Have them altered.
Do they need repairing? A stitch in time etc.
It will pay you to bring your clothes to us and have them done right at the very lowest prices.
QUINCY STEAM DYE HOUSE,
80 Hancock Street, Quincy.
L. WARSHAW, - Proprietor.
March 14. tf

MAY'S CHALLENGE Window Screen.
TRADE MARK PATENTED

Have You Ordered Your
SCREENS
Yet. If not send for estimates or circular. Has more points of merit than any other Screen in the market.
Sample screens may be seen at
H. L. PAIGE'S VARIETY STORE,
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LOUIS S. CLEAVES,
P. O. Box 400, Wollaston, Mass.
March 28. tf

Mortgagees' Sale of Real Estate.

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed dated October 8, 1888, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 612, Fol. 130, given by George F. Pinkham to Emily W. Macdonald, Joseph Story and Sidney A. Wilbur, as they are Trustees under a deed of trust from Heman W. Chaplin to them dated September 24, 1878, and recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Lib. 1435, Fol. 99, in which said deed of trust said Emily W. Macdonald then a widow is named as Emily W. Conant, and by said Joseph Story and Sidney A. Wilbur, the surviving trustees under said deed of trust assigned to Grace W. Conant and Walter A. Conant, by assignment dated February 5, 1900, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 865, page 92, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, for breach of the condition of the said mortgage, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on FRIDAY, April 20, 1900, at 4 o'clock, P. M., all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described substantially as follows:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and Commonwealth aforesaid called Wollaston, and being lot Sixteen (16) in block eight (8) of Section Six (6) of lands of the Wollaston Land Associates as shown on a plan of said section drawn by D. Granger & Son and recorded with said Norfolk County Deeds at the end of Book 406, and bounded: Northeasterly by Newport Avenue, fifty (50) feet; northwesterly by lot seventeen (17) in said block, one hundred (100) feet; southwesterly by lot five (5) in said block fifty (50) feet; and southeasterly by lot fifteen (15) in said block one hundred (100) feet; and containing five thousand square feet.

Said premises are to be sold subject to the restrictions contained in the deeds of the Wollaston Land Associates; subject also to any unpaid taxes and other public assessments.

Seven hundred and fifty dollars of the purchase money to be paid at time of sale.

Other terms made known at time and place of sale.

For further particulars inquire of Rand, Vinton and Wakefield, 10 Milk street, Boston, Mass., or of

GRACE W. CONANT AND
WALTER A. CONANT,
Assignees of said Mortgage.
March 28. 3t—28-4-11

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The Quincy New and Second-Hand Variety Co.,
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WALTER P. PINEL, Manager.

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PRICE, 30 CENTS.
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Washing Willow Furniture
Wicker Chairs
Wicker chairs soon become soiled, can be cleaned to look like new with
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and warm water. Use a scrubbing brush with a soft, dry cheese cloth, and
White iron beds can also be washed
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Sent free on request to
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March 17.

TO
The store which
in Music Hall Block
Boston Bargain Department
for occupancy in less
whole or cut up into
Hall on Hancock
ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet
as a banquet room in
would have to be let
ever, is very occasional
Blacksmith shop
occupied by Joseph
forge and bench. A
smith shop 20 by 20
carriages. These will
Two second story
16 feet and 20 by 20 feet
Any of the above
figures.
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JOHN WANAMAKER.
Broadway, 9th & 10th Sts.,
New York, July 24, 189
Gentlemen:
Being associated for so many
years with the above Firm and
being closely confined brought
on constipation. A package
your Tablets has cured me and
take great pleasure in recommending them to those who are
affected in a similar way.
Yours truly,
C. W. Eastwood
To the U. S. ARMY & NAVY
TABLET CO.,
17 East 14th St., N. Y. City
10 and 25 cents per package.

DO YOUR
FEET TROUBLE YOU?
We will make your shoes and guarantee them to fit perfectly, and be of great comfort and ease to you.
HANS HANSON, 10 Granite street.
Quincy, March 12. tf

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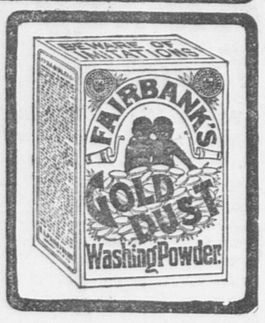

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PUBLIC WORKS

Continuation of the Annual Report of 1899.

Houghs Neck Boulevard the City's Largest Job.

Recommends a Drainage System for the City.

The report of John T. Cavanagh, Commissioner of Public Works for 1899, which commenced in yesterday's Ledger is concluded today.

"The largest job ever attempted in the line of street improvement in this city, was the widening and relocating Coddington and Sea streets, for which the sum of $30,700.00 was passed by the City Council, $18,670.00 of which was for land damages and $12,030.00 for contructing the street. Coddington street is laid out 60 feet wide, while Sea street is laid out 75 feet. Considerable very heavy cutting and filling was done to bring these streets to grade.

On Coddington street it was necessary to move back three buildings owned by Mr. Henry H. Faxon and to tear down the building on the corner of Washington street, known as the grain store.

"The buildings owned by the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company and the Quincy City Hospital, have not yet been moved as the awards in those two instances have not been mutually agreed upon.

"A comparatively small amount of curbing has been laid in the various sections of the city, on account of the limited appropriation during the year. I would recommend that some action be taken so that more curbing will be put in, as it is a matter of considerable saving to the Street department to have the streets curbed and also adds greatly to the appearance of our city.

"A number of granite street crossings were laid throughout the city during the year. They are of a much better quality than any put in heretofore and are greatly appreciated by the public. I would suggest that those put in the future be of a like construction.

"In my opinion more attention should be paid to the construction of sidewalks on the much travelled streets in the centre of the city and I would recommend that an adequate appropriation be made for this purpose.

"This department has charge of all surface water drains and must face a serious problem in the near future. A large number of these drains now have their outlets upon private property whose owners may at any time close them without notice. In a number of instances, objections have already been made by such owners.

"There seems but one thing to be done; the city should lay out and build as rapidly as possible a system of drains. Some of the old drains may be utilized, when they connect with natural water courses, but where pipe has been used, in most cases the disregard for the preservation of line and grade without means of access for cleaning, render them almost useless as parts of a system, such as a city needs.

"The present location of our crusher is such as to add greatly to the cost of macadamizing streets in Wards Four, Five and Six, on account of the increased cost of carting. In fact very little stone is used in Wards Four and Five and none at all in Ward Six.

"The stone itself is of a very inferior quality, being but little better than granite.

"I would, therefore, suggest that the crusher plant be relocated in some convenient place near the railroad track, and where stone suitable for roadbuilding could be obtained; thus deliveries to all parts of the city could be made by railroad, and thereby save to the city the extra cost of teaming.

"Particular attention was given to cleaning the streets this year. Early in the spring gangs of men were put to work in different sections cleaning the streets thoroughly, paying particular attention to gutters, and shaping the street in such a manner as to allow for surface drainage. The waste barrels were placed on the streets by the department, and have been of considerable assistance in keeping the streets clean. Push-carts were introduced this year for the first time. I am of the opinion that this method of cleaning streets of rubbish and refuse matter is an excellent one, and was greatly appreciated by the public.

"I also introduced this year the regular sweeping of the street-crossings in the most frequented parts of the city.

"The following is the list of the streets accepted during the year 1899, making the total number of miles of accepted streets about 75.

Madison street, Ward 6, Hancock street to Newbury avenue, 1,008 feet, 35 wide.

Avon way, Ward 1, Whalley road to Dixwell avenue, 460 feet, 40 wide.

Arthur street, Ward 4, Garfield street, to Buckley street, 1,043 feet, 40 wide.

Glover avenue, Ward 6, Hancock street, to Birch street, 700 feet, 42 wide.

Whitney road, Ward 1, Hancock street to Woodward avenue, 695 feet, 40 wide.

Deldorf street, Ward 1, Whitwell street to Scotch Pond place 645 feet 40 wide.

Cranch street, Ward 1, Deldorf street to Whitwell street 1,538 feet, 40 wide.

Nelson street, Ward 4, Arthur street to Carlmark street, 475 feet, 33 wide.

Webster street, Ward 6, from Squantum street, 750 feet, 40 wide.

Federal avenue and Goddard street, Ward 3, Presidents avenue to Independence avenue, 1,006 feet, 40 wide.

Total number of feet, 8,320.

"At the present time the city is lighted by 100 arc lights, 378 incandescent lights, 76 oil lamps and 67 gas lamps, at an annual expense of $17,750. As there is a constant growing demand for new lights throughout the city, it is apparent that in the course of a few years the expense of street lighting will be very great. Figuring on the basis of the past ten years the cost of street lighting in 1909 will be in the neighborhood of $27,000.

"I believe that it would be cheaper and better for the city to own and control its own lighting system. I would be pleased to see steps taken in that direction.

"A new departure was made this year in the manner of street watering. The system of the American Car Sprinkler Co. of Worcester, Mass., was used and found to be satisfactory.

"Every day of the first week of my term of office I had a snow storm to contend with, until, at the beginning of the second week, we had the largest snowstorm ever recorded in this part of the country. The streets were impassable to all kinds of travel. It was necessary to employ 1,700 men to shovel snow from the sidewalks and roadways, and in many cases to cart away the snow entirely. Considering the great amount of snow, and the large drifts, the streets were blocked for a very short space of time.

At the beginning of the year a bill was introduced in the Legislature to abolish the Board of Water Commissioners and place the department under the control of the Commissioner of Public Works. This order was passed in the first part of April whereupon the management of the Department was turned over to me.

On January first the city began to use water from the Metropolitan System. The water has given general satisfaction throughout the city, and if it had not been for this source of supply it is safe to say we would have been short of water on account of the great lack of rain-fall this season.

"For a short time the pumping station was kept open with the pumps in running order, so that in case of accident the city would not be without water.

"During the year 3.73 miles of pipe were laid, 30 hydrants added, 68 gates set and 411 new surface connections made. This is the largest number of services ever put in in a single year.

"The total length of street mains is 80.24. The total number of services to date is 3,889, quite an increase over 1,456, which was the number of connections in June, 1892, when the city took the plant.

"The total number of hydrants to date is 496. This, with an ample supply of water backed by an average pressure of 80 pounds per square inch, gives us excellent fire protection, far better than nine-tenths of the cities of the size of Quincy in the United States.

"The gross receipts for the year are $59,953.68.

"During the year the principal work has been laying the 16-inch main on Beale street, Ward Five, the 8-inch pipe on Linden street 6-inch pipe on Brackett, Field, Garfield, Howard, Reardon and Trafford streets, Quarry street extension, Wendall road, Lincoln avenue and many other minor extensions.

"A man was sent to the reservoir very frequently during the year to report the height of water in the basin and the general condition of the property.

"The pumping station was kept in good repair, and the tenement was rented to responsible parties.

"The hydrants were all painted and kept in thorough repair.

"For detailed statement of accounts see Auditor's report.

"I subjoin the following tables, record of miles of pipe, the number of hydrants, gates, etc., all of which is respectfully submitted."

Gems of America.

Every gem known to the lapidary has been found within our borders except that form of chrysoberyl known as alexandrite, a stone most commonly found in the Urals and showing green by day and red by artificial light. We have also found but few of the varicolored garnets of which Russia furnishes such remarkable and beautiful examples and none that have their brilliancy, though the red garnets of Arizona and contiguous territory are unsurpassed in richness. We have several gems, moreover, that are almost peculiar in this country and that should be used more extensively because of their intrinsic beauty. Such are the golden beryls of Connecticut, that are of a brilliant yellow, full of light and sparkle, and the curious chlorastrolites and thomsonites of Lake Superior, that are useful as green or mottled grounds in the making of designs.

Among the lesser known but interesting and often beautiful minerals that are found in this country and that lend themselves to purposes of ornamentation are the grass green hiddenite, the superior of emerald in vivacity; the duller green diopside, the utahlite, which is a rival of turquoise if it can be made to keep its color and texture; the zircon, of red and brown, and especially the tourmaline, which presents a wide range of color, from jet black to almost water white, and including pink, brown, blue and almost every shade of green.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Lively Barometers.

It looked like rain, and naturally he had no umbrella. The car stopped on the far side of Girard avenue, and a young lady got in. She bowed and sat down beside the saunterer, who recognized in her a schoolteacher friend.

"What do you think of this beastly weather?" queried he disgruntedly. "Is it going to rain or isn't it?"

"I can't tell you today," answered the young lady, smiling an acceptance of whatever might come. "If it were a school day and you were willing to come to school with me, I could tell you in a very few minutes with absolute certainty. It'll sound funny to you, but it's true. I have noticed that you can always tell what the weather is going to do by the children. They're regular barometers. If there's going to be a storm, they get restless, and I have the hardest kind of work to control them, particularly the boys. The girls aren't so bad, but there seems to be some mysterious quality about approaching rain that always affects the former. I've got so now I don't blame them, because I don't believe they can help it. So, you see," she concluded, as she got at Chestnut street, "children have their uses after all."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Costly Wall Paper.

The most costly wall paper ever designed is metaled and lacquered, the lacquer preventing the metal from becoming tarnished by the atmosphere. The paper, which, unlike the cheaper wall papers, is hung horizontally, and not perpendicularly, is made in length of 12 yards and costs not less than $60 per piece.

Such a cost seems enormous when one considers that the cheap wall papers hung in cottages cost something like 6 to 8 cents apiece. The designs, however, for these expensive papers are by the leading artists of the day, who receive heavy fees, and the cost of metaling and lacquering is really enormous, so that the profit on a wall paper sold at $5 per yard is, after all, not very great.

Ordinary hand painted wall papers cost anything from $10 to $20 apiece. Of course, these patterns are very thick, and have to be affixed to the wall with a solution of glue and paste. It is interesting to note, however, that very often the papers are mounted on calico and placed upon the wall in such a way that when the tenant moves to another house or flat, he may take this costly wall paper with him.—Everybody's Magazine.

Actors' Names.

Actors have consistently followed writers in appearing before the public under their real names in the last quarter of a century. Some of the older ones have been unable to throw off their disguises, it is true, but those who go on the stage nowadays seldom seek after a nom de theatre. When the leading British actor received the accolade, he became Sir Henry Irving, not Sir John Henry Brodrib. But, then, he belongs to the old school. Other old timers: William J. Florence, known when a youth as Barney Conlin; John T. Raymond, who was plain Jack O'Brien in his teens; Lawrence P. Barrett, who was Larry Brannigan; E. A. Sothern, the elder, baptized Douglas Stewart.

Richard Mansfield was born Richard Rudersdorff, and Ada Rehan's father was named Crehan, but you may run over the entire list of actors and actresses of today and find few others who are known by assumed names.—New York Press.

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Commissioner Knowlton will open bids today for water pipe.

Mr. G. A. Loring, the well known druggist of Wollaston, has just placed in his store a new automatic soda machine.

There are well founded rumors of a large land deal in Quincy, which will be of great benefit to the city. We wish it success.

A parlor social in aid of the Universalist church will be held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Wales on Whitwell street, tonight.

Do not stay away from the Easter Monday concert and ball for fear you will have to walk home, as there will be special cars.

J. C. Dorgan will open a clothing store in Taunton in April, and leaves the employ of C. F. Derby on Saturday of this week.

The regular meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held Thursday March 29, at 3 P. M., in Bethany Chapel. Directors are requested to meet at 2.30 P. M.

Mayor Hall and Commissioner Knowlton made an inspection of the Hose house at Atlantic on Saturday, and found the claim of poor accommodations were well founded. The stench in the building is something awful, because the building was never designed for three horses and one had to occupy the floor of the wagon room.

MARRIED.

KESSELL—BESANKO—In Fall River, Mar. 24, by Rev. E. A. Buck, Mr. Thomas R. Kessell, Jr., of Fall River, to Miss Bessie Besanko of Quincy.
FARRINGTON—PIKE—In Quincy, March 25, by Rev. Preston Gurney, Mr. Horace E. Farrington of Boston to Miss Grace A. Pike of Wollaston.

DIED.

CRAIG—In Quincy, at the City Hospital, Mar. 27, Mr. William W. Craig, aged 45 years, 6 months and 23 days.
ERICKSON—In Atlantic, March 28, Eric H., son of Mr. Clarence H., and Mrs. Augusta Erickson, aged 3 years and 15 days.
VINALL—At Quincy Point, March 27, Mrs. Betsey, widow of Mr Hiram Vinall, aged about 90 years.
TURNER—In Milton, Mar. 26, Mrs. Sarah A., widow of Benjamin F. Turner, aged 92 years and 2 months.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
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—New York World.

Differences May Be Adjusted.

Columbus, O., March 28.—At a secret conference of the executive committees of the machinists and metal manufacturers a better understanding of the proposals submitted by both sides was reached and the outlook for a settlement of the strike in the near future is brighter. The predictions are that all the machinists will be back to work before the week closes. Modifications have been made in the demands of both sides.

Conflict With Imperial Troops.

Pekin, March 28.—The "Boxers'" movement in the north is assuming alarming proportions. News has been received here that an indecisive, but severe fight has taken place between the "Boxers" and imperial troops at Yen-Chiu, province of Chi-Li. Each force numbers about 1500 men, and there were heavy casualties on both sides.

Boom For American Schooners.

Boston, March 28.—A new trade for American schooners has opened up, and several vessels will leave here in the near future with coke for Mexico. The vessels will receive $3.50 per ton freight money. The reason for chartering schooners for this trade is said to be on account of the scarcity of tramp steamers.

Mills Handicapped by Grip.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 28.—Several of the mills in the Blackstone valley are experiencing great difficulty in running on account of the sickness of operatives. While none of them has been obliged to shut down, at least 25 percent of the help are absent on account of the grip.

Danish Islands Bought?

Copenhagen, March 28.—Nothing is known in competent circles here to confirm the Paris report that the sale of the Danish Antilles to the United States has been practically completed.

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NO FURTHER CHANGES.

House May Confer With the Senate on the Puerto Rican Measure.

"Regulars" Have a Hope of Converting "Insurgents."

Whole Matter May Evidently Be Turned Over to the President.

Washington, March 28.—Assuming for argument's sake that the "regulars" are able to pass their Puerto Rican bill, what will become of it when it returns to the house? Here is where a great many commentators seem to be led astray by forgetting that the bill now before the senate is technically an act passed by the house. Its title is "H. R. 8245." It has been so maltreated in the senate that its own author could not recognize it, but its legislative status is not changed thereby. All the senate committee has done has been to propose the striking out of everything after the enacting clause and the substitution of certain other provisions. This is a distinction which must be carefully borne in mind.

A great deal of talk is heard about the purpose of the house to knock out all that the senate has done and put a free trade measure in its place. This the house cannot do with its own bill when returned to it by the senate; all it can do is to concur, or refuse to concur, in the senate amendments, and if it refuses to concur it may consent to a conference as a courtesy to the senate. In the conference its own representatives may refuse to agree to anything proposed by the senate, and the conferrees on both sides will then report to their respective houses that they are unable to agree. They may be sent back for further conference uninstructed, or they may receive further instructions, or new conferrees may be appointed, and so it may go on. Neither house, however, will have a chance to make any further changes in the bill itself. The most either can do is accept or reject the report of the conference committee, if any report is agreed upon.

The text of the so-called Puerto Rican "compromise" measure was reported to the senate yesterday afternoon. The only senators who seemed to take a very particular interest in it were the insurgents, who were curious to scrutinize the precise language of what they were invited to concede.

The arguments presented to them in its favor are that it positively kills the house bill as such, that it provides for a speedy change in Puerto Rico from military rule to colonial autonomy, and that, after the new government shall have been established, the people of the island will be in a position to tax themselves as they see fit, quite independently of the United States.

The regulars have a lingering hope that, if the insurgents become positively convinced that the present bill is the best they can positively get, enough of them may come in at the last moment to carry it through the senate.

There is a growing notion here that at some stage of the process there will spring up a revival of the suggestion made a fortnight ago, that the whole matter be turned over to the president, with full power to adopt such temporary expedients with respect to customs and other taxation as shall, in his judgment, be required to meet the immediate needs of the situation. It has been hinted, also, that those members who would be called upon to explain on the stump their votes for a submission would be able to say to a free-trade constituency, "I voted to refer the whole matter to the president, because the president has never wavered in his belief in free trade, and this seemed to be the only way to get what we wanted." On the other hand, his next neighbor could explain to a tariff constituency, "I did this because the president, although at first for free trade, confessed later to a change of mind, and I felt safe in trusting the question to him."

There were some lively debates in the house yesterday during the consideration of the army appropriation bill. Little of it was pertinent to the measure. It covered a wide range of topics, Puerto Rican tariff, the Boer war and the Philippines. The charge that the Puerto Rican tariff bill was the result of a deal for raising a Republican campaign fund was again referred to by Mr. Pierce of Tennessee, but Mr. Hull declared that the anonymous author of the charge would never dare to avow himself and be branded as a falsifier.

Mr. Sulzer made an appeal for the extension of official sympathy to the Boers in their struggle for independence, and Mr. Lentz delivered a scathing denunciation of militarism and the war in the Philippines. His attack aroused the resentment and indignation of Mr. Marsh of Illinois, who, in a bitter excoriation of the Ohio member, declared that the latter's speech was a disgrace to the American congress. He declared that he was responsible for what he had said, both on and off the floor of the house. His heated language did not draw a rejoinder from Mr. Lentz.

Little progress was made by the senate yesterday with the Puerto Rico bill. It was under discussion for nearly three hours, but the greater part of the time was consumed in the consideration of a free coinage amendment offered by Mr. Morgan. The amendment is still pending. The Alaskan civil code bill was considered during the morning hours. An amendment offered by Mr. Carter setting aside permits hitherto granted by the secretary of war for the mining of gold under the sea on the Alaskan coast precipitated a lively debate.

Lynching In Mississippi.

Greenville, Miss., March 28.—The negro, Will Edwards, alias "Wing Smith," who murdered Edward Johnson at Dulaney's camp last Tuesday, was lynched last night by a mob.

NO QUARTER FOR YAQUIS.

Mexicans Said to Have Adopted a Policy of Complete Extermination.

El Paso, March 28.—J. A. Cronkhite of Guyamas, Mex., manager of extensive mine interests, gives some interesting facts about the Yaqui war. He said:

"From conversations with General Torres and Governor Ortiz I learned that the policy of the Mexican commander is to exterminate the Yaquis who have taken up arms. All prisoners taken by the Mexicans are to be executed, and when sufficient troops arrive the Yaquis, who are now practically surrounded, will be forced to surrender and be completely exterminated. Unless the policy of the government is changed no prisoners will be taken."

Cronkhite says the Yaquis are in a fortified position, but number only about 1500 men, while the Mexican troops now in the field number over 3000. A regiment of infantry is now en route from Monterey to Torres' camp.

To Lighten General Otis' Duties.

Washington, March 28.—Secretary Root has directed the creation of an entirely new military division to be known as the "division of the Pacific," embracing all of the Philippine archipelago. The division is to be divided into four military departments. General Otis will retain the supreme command over these departments as division commander. It is said that the purpose of the new order of things is to free General Otis of the many minor details incident to the administration of the island, leaving him at liberty to devote more time to larger questions of policy and civil administration.

Methodists Displeased With McKinley.

Wilmington, Del., March 28.—The Wilmington Methodist Episcopal conference yesterday adopted a resolution condemning the army canteen and the use and sale of liquor in new possessions of this government. A resolution which condemned President McKinley, as a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, for public and private tippling, precipitated a hot discussion and was finally defeated by a vote of 67 to 43. A resolution requesting the general conference to censure President McKinley for setting aside the anti-canteen law was adopted.

Once Brilliant Mind Clouded.

Washington, March 28.—Joseph Creamer, a wealthy New York lawyer, was yesterday declared by a marshal's jury to be of unsound mind. The court will be asked to appoint a committee to take charge of the person and estate of Mr. Creamer. Mr. Creamer conducted his own case, and displayed considerable legal ability and brilliancy. All the medical witnesses agreed that Mr. Creamer was not in a condition to look after his affairs properly.

Young Woman Kills Herself.

Amherst, Mass., March 28.—Miss Hattie Farrell, aged 17, formerly resided at South Amherst, and was employed as a domestic. It is claimed that she became infatuated with a young man there, who finally discouraged her attentions. She threatened to kill herself and was taken to Allston to live with her grandparents. She returned to South Amherst Monday and shot herself, the bullet passing through the lung, death resulting from the wound.

Hub Cutters May Join Strikers.

Boston, March 28.—It is announced that most of the granite cutters in Boston will join the strikers at the beginning of next week, when the term of their agreement with the manufacturers expires, as the manufacturers will refuse to grant the new scale of wages demanded by the workmen. Some large contracts have been refused by Boston manufacturers lately because of the unsettled condition of the trade.

Japs Organize a Yarn Trust.

Minneapolis, March 28.—A special from Tacoma, Wash., says: Determined to control the Asiatic cotton yarn markets, the cotton spinners of Japan have organized a cotton yarn trust on an immense scale. It will include no less than 200 manufacturers. The chief object will be to minimize expenses and prepare to meet growing competition from United States trusts.

Putnam Newton's Return.

Clinton, Mass., March 28.—Putnam Newton, who mysteriously disappeared from home last week, returned Monday night from Rutland, Vt., in company of friends who had gone after him. He has been wandering about on trains, and arrived in Rutland Sunday night. His mind was very confused, and he could give no connected account of his travels.

Why Russian Answer Was Delayed.

Berlin, March 28.—The Lokal Anzeiger has a dispatch from St. Petersburg asserting that the czarina is responsible for the delay in the Russian answer to the Kruger-Steyn intervention appeal. She has been striving to prevent a pro-Boer reply, such as Count Muravieff, the Russian foreign minister, has prepared.

Administration's Policy Endorsed.

Athens, O., March 28.—The Republican congressional convention met here yesterday and nominated C. H. Grosvenor for congress for the sixth time. Resolutions were adopted applauding the conduct of the Spanish war and endorsing the acts of the administration in regard to the Philippines and Puerto Rico.

To Pay Fighters In Philippines.

New York, March 28.—A shipment of $1,393,080 for the payment of soldiers in the Philippines left the sub-treasury yesterday. The money was hauled down Broad street under a guard of 18 soldiers. The trunks containing the money were taken aboard the transport Sumner, which will leave for Manila Thursday.

Justified In Killing Rounds.

Providence, March 28.—Jervis Smith of Foster, who has been on trial on the charge of killing Brinton Rounds, was acquitted by a jury Tuesday, and the prisoner was discharged by Judge Wilbur. Smith, in his defense, showed that he had been attacked by Rounds, and that he acted in self-defense.

OPEN DOOR CORRESPONDENCE

Regarded by London Newspapers as a Triumph For the United States.

London, March 28.—The Daily Mail, in an editorial dealing with the cabled extracts from the correspondence between the United States government and European powers upon the question of the "open door" policy in China, says: America has forever renounced the policy of the hermit. She pledges herself to take a leading part in the greatest task of the coming century—the reform of the Chinese empire.

The Daily Chronicle says: From England it was only to be expected that the answer would be favorable, but that Russia should have replied that she is happy to comply with the wishes of the United States bears eloquent testimony to the position which the latter power has assumed in the councils of the world. With American aid, The Daily Chronicle thinks, England can regenerate China. The editorial compliments Secretary Hay for appreciating the enormous advantages of the trade of the far east, averring that with the Nicaraguan canal, Atlantic manufacturers, in point of distance, will have the same advantage over Liverpool shippers that the Liverpool shipper now have over them.

The Times says: The government and people of the United States are to be congratulated upon the successful achievement of a considerable service to the world. The credit of having formulated the "open door" policy belongs to England, but the honor of winning for it the formal acceptance of the powers has fallen to our American kinsmen.

The Standard says: The policy of the United States was one of passive watchfulness while Lord Salisbury was fighting for the "open door" in Shan Tung and Manchuria. The Americans came upon the scene only after British diplomacy had won its victories. The adhesion of France and Russia is very interesting. The real value of such assurances which in no wise alter existing conditions will only be seen when the disruption of China comes to pass.

The Daily News, which claims for Great Britain the credit of inaugurating the "open door" policy, nevertheless congratulates the United States upon the adhesion of Russia.

Clover Leaf Changes Hands.

Toledo, March 28.—The Clover Leaf railroad was sold here yesterday for $12,200,000 to Hartshorn & Peyton, representing the bondholders' reorganization committee. Samuel Unterman of New York bid $12,100,000. He represented a syndicate of New York bankers. There was a spirited contest between the two bidders. The sale to the bondholders is taken to mean that the road will remain an independent line, and that Samuel Hunt, the present receiver, will remain in charge. Thus ends bitter litigation of seven years' duration.

Argument In Clark Case Postponed.

Washington, March 28.—The argument in the case of Senator Clark of Montana, which was to have been made before the senate committee on privileges and elections today, has been postponed until next Tuesday on account of the enforced absence of some of the members of the committee. The briefs on both sides of the case have been distributed among members of the committee. The brief of the memorialists covers 142 pages. The brief of the defense covers 232 pages.

Movement Toward Trolley League.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 28.—It is possible that a Trolley Baseball league will be formed in this section for the coming season, and that teams will be located at Pawtucket, North Attleboro, Attleboro and Franklin. A meeting was held in this city last night for the consideration of the matter, and an association was formed for the purpose of supporting a local team.

Powers Is Acquitted.

St. Albans, Vt., March 28.—John Powers, who has been on trial in the county court on the charge of entering the Richford Savings bank on Nov. 6, 1898, was acquitted on Tuesday, the jury returning a verdict of not guilty. This was Powers' second trial on the charge of burglary from the bank and the verdict was loudly applauded.

Not Pleasing to Canadians.

St. John's, March 28.—The determination of Premier Bond to revive the Bond-Blaine reciprocity convention will probably provoke trouble with Canada, as the dominion is seeking to make similar terms with the British government. The negotiations will probably await the issue of the coming general election in Newfoundland.

Battle to Keep Out of Jail.

Kingston, Jam., March 28.—The affairs of Chief Clarence of the Mosquito Territory, the pensioner of the British government, who is being sued for debt, have assumed such an acute stage that he has appealed to the government for assistance. Only the skill of his lawyers prevents his incarceration in jail.

Painters Want Higher Wages.

Boston, March 28.—The journeymen painters of Boston held a largely attended meeting last night, at which a committee was appointed to wait upon the master painters and present a demand for $2.75 a day in place of the present wage of $2.50, the new price to go into effect on or before June 17.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The choir of the new cathedral of St. John the Divine, at New York, will cost over $600,000. It was announced at the meeting of the cathedral trustees that a gentleman, name withheld, had promised to give $100,000 of the amount when the rest was subscribed.

Professor G. E. Morrow, for many years at the head of the department of agriculture at the University of Illinois, died at Paxton, Ills., aged 60.

Lyman W. Redington, lawyer, New York, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $89,506 and assets of $700.

Professor Edwin E. Nichols, instructor of modern languages at Orono university, has been granted leave of absence for the next year, and he will take advanced studies. Since 1894 Professor Nichols has spent two years at the University of Leipsig.

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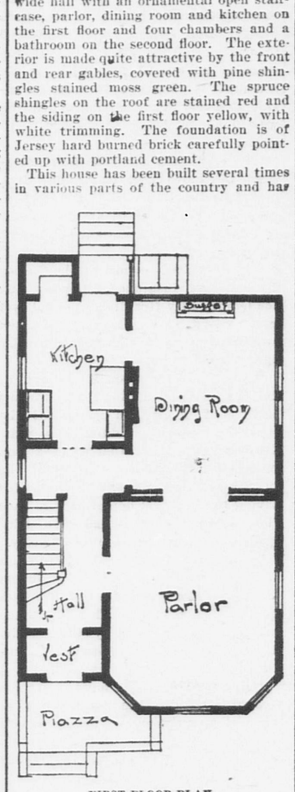
FRONT ELEVATION.

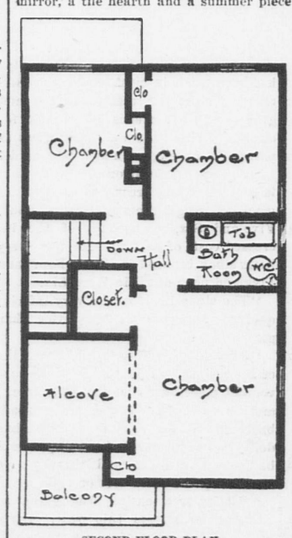
wide hall with an ornamental open staircase, parlor, dining room and kitchen on the first floor and four chambers and a bathroom on the second floor. The exterior is made quite attractive by the front and rear gables, covered with pine shingles stained moss green. The spruce shingles on the roof are stained red and the siding on the first floor yellow, with white trimming. The foundation is of Jersey hard burned brick carefully pointed up with portland cement.

This house has been built several times in various parts of the country and has



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

varied in price from $1,500 to $2,000, according to the location. These prices include heating, plumbing and mantels. It must be understood that in general the cost given does not include papering and frescoing, as the walls are usually left white for a term of six or eight months until they are thoroughly dry. The rooms on the first floor are so arranged that they may readily be thrown together when desired. The dining room has an elaborate oak mantel with bevel plate mirror, a tile hearth and a summer piece



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

complete. The kitchen has all the modern improvements—soapstone tubs, galvanized iron sink and boiler and a Perfect range.

The dimensions are 20 feet wide and 32 feet deep. The parlor is 13 feet wide and 15 feet 6 inches deep; dining room, 11 feet wide, 14 feet 6 inches deep; kitchen, 7 feet 6 inches wide, 11 feet 6 inches deep, with a large dish closet.

Walks and Drives.

Having established the house and other buildings on your premises, lay out the drives and walks, says the Philadelphia Press. Do not have a straight line or even a true arc in the whole plan. Take a long rope and throw it with a snap from point to point between the places you would connect, and you will have undulating, restful curves, nothing stiff and wearisome by reason of its stiffness. Walks must be dry. Drain them and let their foundations be porous, made of broken stone.

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Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
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HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK NS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past our until 10.30 P. M.
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Cars leaving Neponset on the even and half hour run to Braintree, ook and Brockton without change, 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holonly.

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Quincy and East Weymouth.

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ve WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, .50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then .20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

PRETORIA IN MOURNING

General Piet Joubert, Gallant Leader of the Boer Army, Is Dead.

May Have a Discouraging Effect on Burghers.

Impression That Roberts' Advance Upon Pretoria Will Begin Next Monday.

London, March 29.—A Pretoria dispatch says: General Joubert died Tuesday night at 11:30 o'clock. He had been suffering from peritonitis. The town is plunged into mourning for the true patriot, gallant general and upright and honorable man.

GENERAL JOUBERT.

While Kruger is "the old fox of the Transvaal," Joubert was "the old lion." Ten years younger and probably wiser than Kruger, he has not been oversanguine of success in this war, knowing the strength of the British. "I leave it now to God," he said at the opening of hostilities. "It may be his will that the Transvaal shall perish. I can only do my best." But Joubert's best meant all that long years of training in the German school of war could teach him, rounded out by long service in the field against the natives and the English.

In the death of General Joubert the Boers have sustained a loss fully as severe in its moral effect as the surrender of General Cronje. General Joubert seems to have had the entire confidence of the soldiers of the allied republics, and his demise at the moment when the final struggle is about to begin cannot but have a discouraging effect on the burghers—especially on the faint-hearted ones, and there undoubtedly are many of them in the Free State ranks.

All the morning papers print singularly kind editorials concerning General Joubert. They praise his military skill, uphold his chivalrous conduct, and regret that so strong and moderate a mind should be absent from the final settlement of the dispute.

General French, who has arrived at Bloemfontein from Thaba Nchu, says that Commandant Ollivier has 6000 men and it north of Ladybrand.

Immense quantities of stores have now been accumulated at Bloemfontein, and Lord Roberts' infantry is seemingly about to move. An impression, which can be traced to the war office, is abroad that the advance will begin next Monday. Boer observation parties are hovering near Bloemfontein, but Lord Roberts has 135 miles to cover before reaching the great position which the Boers are preparing at Kroonstad.

Moving 10 miles a day is probably the best he can do with field transport. Therefore he can hardly engage the Boers in force for two weeks. The reconstruction of the railway behind him may even delay an invasion of the Transvaal until May.

Meanwhile, all the important towns in the Free State, within Lord Roberts' reach, are being garrisoned. Thaba Nchu, Philippolis, Fauresmith and Jagersfontein are thus held.

Sir Alfred Milner is touring in the disturbed newly acquired territory, investigating conditions and arranging the administration. He is understood to be getting material for a report to Mr. Chamberlain concerning a plan of civil government.

The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, in a dispatch dated March 27, says: It is a matter of regret that, owing to the state of the roads and of our horses, Commandant Grovelarr's commando of 6000 men, from Colesberg and the southern districts, got away north by travelling day and night close to the Basuto border before our force could hope to get near them. The latest news is that the Boers have 40,000 men still under arms, of whom 10,000 are in and around the Natal border. Although tents and stores are reaching here, a block on the railway is delaying arrivals from the south considerably. It is asserted that 20,000 Boers are massed at Kroonstad.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

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THREE CHILDREN CREMATED.

John Brassill's Home Burned So Quickly That Rescue Was Impossible.

Providence, March 29.—Three little children were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the cottage home of John Brassill, a farm laborer, in East Providence on Wednesday afternoon. The mother succeeded in rescuing one, an infant, from its burning cradle, but the babe was then so terribly burned that it lived only a few hours. The other little victims perished in the flames while the mother gazed on their death struggles while she vainly strove to penetrate the wall of fire that beat her off.

Two other children in the house escaped. The mother was badly burned on the head and arms, and her hands were badly cut by breaking glass in her endeavors to save the two who died in the fire. The victims are: Catherine E., aged 3; Eleanor L., aged 2 and Winnifred N. Brassill, a babe a few months old.

The father was at work burning brush on the land of his employer, Patrick McBride, only a few hundred yards away, but it was not until too late to be of service that he and his fellow workmen discovered the fire, which reduced the home to ashes in a very short time.

The fire is believed to have originated by one of the burned children poking paper in the fire of the stove.

MORE ARRESTS PROBABLE.

Culton Said to Have Implicated Many State Officials In Goebel Assassination.

Frankfort, Ky., March 29.—Detective Armstrong has left for eastern Kentucky, and it is reported that he has warrants for more Republican state officers and other prominent persons. It is said that these warrants are based on information furnished by W. H. Culton, who is said to have confessed. Culton is a deputy under Auditor of State Sweeney. Culton was in the executive building previous to the incursion of the mountaineers and at the time of Goebel's assassination, and it is said he has told about conferences and conversations around the state building during January. All sorts of rumors are circulated about Culton's wholesale charges against state officers, deputies and clerks.

Cuban Force to Be Maintained.

Washington, March 29.—There seems to be a change in the war department's plans since the return of Secretary of War Root from Havana respecting the reduction of the military force on the island. Several months ago it was agreed that with the approach of spring there could be a considerable decrease in strength of the troops, and steps were taken to begin the movement north on April 10. Secretary Root's investigation and study of affairs are said to have impressed him with the advisability of maintaining the entire force now on the island.

Indication of Resumption of Work.

Chicago, March 29.—The spirit of conciliation is beginning to be shown among both contractors and workmen, and a new proposition for restoring peace and settling future disputes by arbitration is being talked over in both camps. This plan is that the building contractors and the Building Trades council shall hereafter compel their members to arbitrate disputes, work to continue pending arbitration, the decision to be retroactive.

Warships to Meet at Yokohama.

Washington, March 29.—The Brooklyn has sailed from Manila for Yokohama, where she will be joined by the Baltimore and the Newark. The Oregon is already at Yokohama, and the four vessels will await the arrival of Admiral Remey from the United States, about April 21, to take command of the station. It is said at the navy department that the gathering of the four warships at Yokohama has no international significance.

Labor Problems on the Stage.

Chicago, March 29. — According to President Connell of the International Association of Machinists it is the intention of the Machinists' union to begin a "campaign of education" on the subject of labor unionism. For this purpose a theatrical company has been organized which will present a melo-drama dealing with labor problems. The profits will be devoted to the machinists' fight.

Naval Officers Move Up.

Washington, March 29.—The retirement of Rear Admiral Day will result in the promotion of Captain Terry, a member of the naval retiring board, to be rear admiral; Commander Dayton, in charge of the San Juan naval station, to be captain; Lieutenant Commander Turner to be commander, and Lieutenant Gleaves, now at the Washington navy yard, to be lieutenant commander.

Crooks In Full Sway at Ponce.

Ponce, P. R., March 29.—The Ponce postoffice was burglarized last night. The corner door, which is within 50 yards of the jail, was forced, and the money in the place was taken. There has been an epidemic of burglaries and thieving recently. The municipal police are listless and indifferent, while residences are robbed nightly.

Negotiations Still In Progress.

Washington, March 29.—The state department adds its denial to that of the Danish foreign office relative to the Paris story that the United States has completed the acquisition of the Danish West Indies islands. There are indications that the negotiations may be attended by success at a reasonably early date.

Shooting Scrape at Fall River.

Fall River, Mass., March 29.—Charles E. Albin is held in $5000 bail for trial for the alleged shooting of Moses Swartz in a pool room. Swartz has a bullet in his left thigh. Swartz, the keeper of a local pool room, is said to have had words with Albin before the revolver was used.

EXPLANATION BY HAY

Of the Government's Side In Regard to Charges Made by Ex-Consul Macrum.

England Apologized For the Opening of Two Letters.

Assertion That Mediation Was Asked For and Refused Is Met With Denial.

Washington, March 29.—Secretary Hay submitted to the house foreign affairs committee yesterday a letter giving the official view of the Macrum case. Charles E. Macrum, ex-consul at Pretoria, was summoned to testify before the committee.

The most important statement made by Macrum was that a request for mediation was addressed to and refused by the United States. He declared that he and Colonel Stowe, American consul general at Cape Town, had a conference with President Steyn of the Orange Free State at Bloemfontein on Sept. 12.

At that time war seemed certain and "President Steyn asked Colonel Stowe to request of the President of the United States a settlement of the difficulty." Colonel Stowe, Macrum says, at once cabled this request to the state department and informed Macrum by letter in October that he had received an unfavorable reply.

This statement created a sensation in the committee. Asked if he had Stowe's letter, he replied that this letter was at the consulate in Pretoria, but he thought he had a copy of it in his papers at home.

He went over the exchange of telegrams with the state department relative to his leave, but as these were in the cipher of the department, the committee did not call for them.

He stated that his reason for not making a report to the state department on the conditions in South Africa was that when he called on Assistant Secretary of State Hill, he said to Mr. Hill that he understood that he had been relieved. Mr. Hill responded that this was true. Under such circumstances, Mr. Macrum said, he had no report to make to the department. He endeavored, however, to see the secretary of state, but was told that Mr. Hay was out.

After hearing Mr. Macrum the committee went into executive sessi Chairman Hitt presented a letter from Secretary Hay giving in detail the department's view on the subject. The committee took no action as to making a report, and it was stated by members that there was nothing to be done beyond taking the testimony.

Secretary Hay's letter giving the official view of the case, said in part: "Up to this date, Mr. Macrum, late consul of the United States at Pretoria, has made no representations to this department in regard to the opening of his mail by the British authorities.

"Although, without any information except the allegations of Mr. Macrum, to which a reference was made in a resolution of the house of representatives, making certain inquiries of this department, I mentioned the matter to the British ambassador, who made inquiry in regard to it of the British government, and was informed in return that the British government was not aware of any such incident having taken place, but if anything of the sort had occurred, it was contrary to the instructions of that government."

"I received no further information in regard to the matter until March 21, when this government was informed by a dispatch from Mr. Stowe, consul general of the United States at Cape Town, that 'two letters from this consulate, one to Pretoria and one to Lourenzo Marquez, were opened by the censor at Durban. Upon notice of this I called upon the high commissioner, who wired Durban and a very satisfactory apology was returned.'

"This is all the information possessed by this department in regard to the incident."

Accompanying the letter is voluminous correspondence in reference to certain allegations as to our consuls in South Africa having been approached with suggestions of mediation, which, in effect, deny Macrum's charges.

Secretary Hay says in conclusion that the temporary consul recommended by Macrum was a fugitive from justice.

United States Not Meddling.

Washington, March 29.—It is said at the state department that the United States minister at Constantinople is not acting in concert with the representatives of other foreign powers at that capital in seeking to prevent the increase of the Turkish customs duties. The subject is one which our government regards as properly within the sole purview of the European powers, with which we have no occasion to concern ourselves.

Newfoundland's Legislature Assembles.

St. John's, March 29.—The Newfoundland legislature met today. The Bond-Morris cabinet confronted the assembly with a speech, avowing the colony's support of Great Britain in the war in South Africa. So far as legislation is concerned the speech indicates nothing except appropriation bills and a measure for reducing the duty on fishermen's lines and twines.

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At 10.30 o'clock A. M.

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These Buildings are sold in pursuance of Chapter 49 of the Public Statutes of Massachusetts, and are sold to be removed within ten days from date of sale.

Per order,
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March 27. 4t

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Of the Household Goods of the late Frederick Souther, will be sold at late residence, Mill street, Quincy, on FRIDAY, March 30, 1900, at 1.30 P. M.

The goods consist in part as follows:

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	31	35	48	46
Monday,	48	55	26	48	48
Tuesday,	48	65	44	44	50
Wednesday,	46	44	45	51	44
Thursday,	48	43	47	52	50
Friday,	—	58	39	56	55
Saturday,	—	39	45	48	45

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Wanted—Good Driving Horse.
Star Tea and Coffee Store—Swansdown Flour.
E. B. Collins—Easter Opening of Millinery.
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Good Afternoon.

Lynching is likely to be a tabooed subject with Governor Tyler, of Virginia, for the reminder of his life.

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Gov. Roosevelt is to be congratulated on the enemies he has made since he became governor of New York; they have already made it certain that he will be renominated and reelected.

Why not a Congressman from Quincy? Perhaps we have as able men to represent the district as Dorchester or South Boston, but have been inclined to underestimate them. There should be more unity and a push. Why not Congressman Shaw?

The Commissioner of 1899 told us in his annual report that it had been his policy to do a certain amount of permanent work upon our streets, and that it should be the policy in future years. That's all very well, but the Commissioner then enumerates streets where work was done under special appropriations. That $5,000 lift from the Sewerage Commissioners was almost a special appropriation, but many have yet to learn just yet where the permanent improvements to that amount came in.

Drift of Opinion.

☞The annual spring report of a short ice crop has arrived, but it doesn't worry the dealers any. They have a way of "cutting ice" all summer.—Lynn Item.

☞Congress can well turn its attention to this flood of undesirable immigration. We need a system of civil service to be applied to every foreigner who lands from the steerage, and a money guarantee that he will be peaceful, useful, and law abiding and not become a dependent upon the bounty of the state, whether in almshouse, hospital or prison. — New Haven Palladium.

☞There's nothing like moving into a house just vacated by a good customer of some grocery or provision concern. It's just like picking money off the bushes. A family in this city recently did this, and one afternoon while the lady of the house had stepped out for a few moments a grocer came along, went into the kitchen and deposited there a large order of groceries, which she found on her return. As she had not ordered them she finally came to the conclusion that they were meant for the previous outputs, which proved to be the case. —Brockton Enterprise.

☞Secretary Long addresses himself to intelligent people with just such frank talk about public questions as might be indulged in between two self-respecting gentlemen. He does not start off with the assumption that every single act done by his side is absolutely wise, and that his opponent is absolutely foolish. If on any point he has an opinion which has not prevailed in the party, he makes the concession and argues the main question at issue out in the light of it. That is not buncombe stump speaking, it is fair discussion, which believers in serious and thoughtful treatment of political problems will appreciate and applaud.—New York Tribune.

HORSES BURNED.

Conflagation Threatened on Hillside Street.

A Long Hard Fought Fire Last Night.

Several Nearby Houses Take Fire—Loss $3,000.

Prompt and efficient work of the Fire department Wednesday evening prevented what at first seemed likely to be a conflagration in the thickly settled district on Hillside street.

It was just 8.20 o'clock when the clanging of the fire alarm bells and the shrill blasts of the steam whistles notified the firemen that their services were needed in the west district. Glancing in that direction, it was evident that a brisk fire was in progress for the sky was brilliantly illuminated.

The alarm was sounded from Box 43, situated at the corner of Copeland and Common streets, while the fire was at least half a mile away. The alarm was sounded by Channing Furnald, who was in the vicinity of the blaze, and who ran to the box.

The department upon its arrival found the fire to be in a large stable of Freeman W. Grant, situated on the north side of Hillside street. Adjoining the stable was a good-sized carriage house, used by Mr. Grant as a shop, while within ten feet of the stable on the south side was the house occupied by Mr. Grant. Surrounding these were houses almost without number, the section being as thickly settled as any in the city.

The steamer was located at the corner of Centre and Station streets, and the first stream was carried from that point. Other streams were quickly laid by Hose 3 and 2 from hydrants near the fire; some half a dozen were brought to bear upon the burning building.

The fire had gained such headway that it was readily seen that the stable was doomed, and efforts were made to save the surrounding property. The end of Mr. Grant's house had taken fire, and was burning briskly and it was thought that surely this must go. Several streams were brought to bear upon it, and the firemen were able to check the flames, although the end of the house was badly burned.

A high wind was blowing at the time, and showers of burning embers were thrown about, threatening to fire other buildings. The owners of these buildings kept their roofs wet down with water, and stood ready to quench any incipient blaze that might be started.

The houses of John McKenna, John McCue and John Key took fire several times, but as firemen were sent to the roof with a chemical stream they were enabled to check the fire before it made any headway. Mr. McKenna was sick in bed, but was removed to a place of safety.

Several grass and brush fires were started by the flying embers, but, either burned themselves out, or were put out by people whose homes were threatened.

As stated before, there was no possible chance of saving the stable and carriage house, for they were doomed before the department arrived. Streams were however kept on them, and they were finally subdued, but not before the building had been burned beyond repair. In this stable were three horses and a quantity of lumber, all of which were destroyed.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. Both Mr. and Mrs. Grant were at home and Mr. Grant was getting ready to retire, when his attention was attracted by the horses stamping. He went to the door to ascertain the cause, and saw that the stable was on fire. He made an effort to save the horses, but upon opening the stable door was driven back by a rush of flames.

Mrs. Grant took the children out of bed and got out herself as soon as possible, not daring to attempt to save anything. Willing hands, however, were at hand and the larger part of the furniture was removed to a place of safety. Hundreds of people gathered and watched the progress of the fire, and not a few got a wetting from the streams of water and from bursting hose.

It was a long hard fight, and not until 10.20 or two hours after the alarm did the recall sound.

The total loss will be in the vicinity of $3,000;—of which $800 is in the house and the balance on the stable and contents. The stable was insured for $1,000, and the contents $800. Two of the horses burned were owned by Mr. Grant and the third by a neighbor.

—Paper made from seaweed is so transparent that it is used for windows instead of glass.

From the City Book.

The Assessors of 1899 report that the "literary and benevolent instituitons and houses of religious worship in Quincy are for real and personal property valued at $1,056,327.00, but are exempt from taxation. Real estate, fire apparatus owned by the city, including schoolhouses, parks, public buildings, water works, playgrounds, etc., amount to $853,388, and are exempt from taxation. There is also $77,900, as valued by the Assessors, in real estate belonging to veterans, widows, minors and unmarried females, which, by law, is exempt from taxation."

The cash to the credit of the Premium account of the Sewerage loan on Jan. 1 was $5,191.00.

The perpetual care fund of the public burial places amounts to $12,425.00; the Rock Island fund to $1,000.03, and the C. C. Johnson fund to $2,000.06.

Granite Contract Completed.

A dispatch of Wednesday from Chicago to Boston papers, says ten wealthy stone contractors, whose firms have an aggregate capital of $4,000,000, are working in the yards of the John Tait Cut Stone Company. They are engaged in hard manual labor as an evidence of their loyalty to a common cause.

Two months ago the journeymen stone cutters were locked out of the yards of the Tait Company on account of the difference between the association of contractors and workmen. Mr. Tait abided by the decision of his associates, hoping the trouble would be settled at an early date, or soon enough for him to finish a contract he had on hand.

When it became apparent that the differences might not be adjusted for several months Mr. Tait became alarmed. He saw he was in danger of losing a large amount of money if he did not fill his contract on time, and he applied to his fellow contractors for assistance. They responded in the only way open to them by putting on aprons and going to work in the yards. The contract will be finished in time and Mr. Tait's money saved.

He Got the Cigar.

Force of habit is strong in all of us. Early Wednesday morning, a citizen of Ward Six hurried down Sagamore street for the 8.20 train. He could hear the whistle in the distance, but the morning cigar was an important factor in his daily life, so, as was his custom, he hastened across the street, and never thinking of the newspaper store he had passed, ran up the steps of the store where Branschied & Marten used to be. In an instant he stopped short, and a little gasp of anger, or surprise, or something suspicious escaped his lips. Scarcely heeding the smile which was spreading on the faces of many who had seen the incident, the young man slowly descended the steps, debonairly retraced his way to the truant store, and stood puffing his dearly bought cigar as the train steamed away in the distrace and left him behind.

—Selectmen of Westwood have granted the Norwood, Canton & Sharon Street Railway Company a location, and the company has accepted it under the conditions imposed. The road must be completed May 1, 1901, and there are forfeits attached in case of failure to begin or complete the work on time.

—Milford voted Monday to build a $60,000 High school to replace the one destroyed by fire.

Grand Easter Opening

OF CHOICE

Millinery,

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY,

April 2d, 3d and 4th.

You are cordially invited to attend our Opening.

We shall begin the season with a superb collection of exclusive designs, selected by Skilled Artists and copied directly from French Models.

The dozens of Trimmed Hats from our own designers will be equally attractive and our prices satisfactory.

All orders promptly executed.

E. B. COLLINS,

4 Faxon Block, Quincy, Mass.
March 29. 1po-tf

DO YOUR FEET TROUBLE YOU?

We will make your shoes and guarantee them to fit perfectly, and be of great comfort and ease to you.
HANS HANSON, 10 Granite street.
Quincy, March 12. tf

SHAW FOR CONGRESS.

Dorchester Republican Present His Name.

A Protectionist and Hustler for His Party.

Ward 20 Committee Are Opposed to Atwood.

While Quincy Republicans have been looking all over the 10th district for a candidate, it has been left for Dorchester Republicans to invade Quincy and find the most desirable candidate for Congress right in our midst—the Hon. John Shaw, an ex-Councilman, an ardent Protectionist, and a gentle-

man with large acquaintance among the prominent people of the State, and our representatives at Washington. The Boston Advertiser of today says:

The Republican Ward 20 Committee, Henry Bowden chairman, selected Hon. John Shaw of Quincy as Congressional candidate last night at a meeting at Parker House.

Action was not final, but the sense of the meeting was that John Shaw or ex-Governor Wolcott should be the choice rather than ex-Congressman Atwood.

This marks the first gun in the 10th district campaign. There is to be trouble all over the district, for besides Atwood, Milton Paige of Ward 15 and Col. J. P. Bradley are also named as candidates.

"The Ward 20 demonstration is armed to break up the Dorchester hold of Mr. Atwood.

Mr. Shaw is the senior member of the firm of John Shaw & Co., manufacturing chemists of Boston, and as such has been vitally interested in the tariff on dye stuffs and Chemicals.

At the same time he took up the cause of the granite industry and was largely instrumental in securing the protective tariff which it needed, as granite could be cut abroad and shipped here cheaper than it could be manufactured in Quincy.

Should the Quincy Committee at their meeting this evening endorse the candidacy of Mr. Shaw he should make a good showing in the convention soon to be held. It is held this year in the spring because it is Presidential year.

Mr. Shaw has been a resident of Quincy over 30 years. Although an Englishman by birth, his people became Bostonians when he was a small child. He has served the city as Councilman and in other ways, and has been a worker on the Republican committee.

A Card.

We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. E. J. MURPHY, L. G. MURRAY, G. A. LORING, Wollaston, S. F. COPELAND.

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And we have dropped our prices.

Prices of high grade **TEAS and COFFEES** have advanced but we have a very large supply at old prices of **very fancy New Tea** and thousands of pounds of **Old Java and Mocha**, and shall sell at the old prices. Fresh roasted every few days and **ground while you wait.**

Our prices for best grade **CANNED GOODS** are very low. New lot of **Fancy Peas** just received.
Our Potatoes are superb.

THE STAR TEA AND COFFEE STORE,
Opposite Fountain. Quincy.

TO LET.

The store which has been occupied by Mr. Brasee in Music Hall Block, and which has been called the Boston Bargain Department Store. This will be ready for occupancy in less than a month and will be let as a whole or cut up into two or three stores to suit tenants.

Hall on Hancock street, 24 by 54 feet with two ante-rooms 9 by 9 feet and 10 by 9 feet. This is used as a banquet room in connection with Music hall and would have to be let subject to such use, which, however, is very occasional.

Blacksmith shop back of Music Hall, (not the one occupied by Joseph F. Hogan) 24 by 25 feet, with forge and bench. Also a paint shop over the blacksmith shop 20 by 20 feet with a platform outside for carriages. These will be let separately or together.

Two second story rooms back of Music hall, 14 by 16 feet and 20 by 20 feet.

Any of the above will be let at very reasonable figures.

Quincy Real Estate Trust,
Durgin & Merrill's Block,
Quincy, Mass.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

The students of Adams academy are enjoying their spring vacation.

Louis J. Hart has moved into his new store in Washington Square.

A gang of thirty granite cutters are at work on the stone for the new Catholic church at West Quincy.

Contractor Charles O. Miller has removed the steeple from the catholic church at South Weymouth and is erecting a new one in its place.

Mrs. Eleanor M. Ross of Wollaston has been notified that there is $8 to her credit at Washington, an accrued pension because of service in the Mexican war.

West Quincy was well represented Wednesday evening, at Association hall, Boston, at the recital of Miss Bertha Turner of West Quincy.

The pie supper to have been held Wednesday night at the West Quincy Methodist church, was postponed on account of the illness of so many of those who were to take part.

Now is the time to use printers' ink liberally on your apple and elm trees. The moths and bugs have begun to crawl up the trunks and it is now they get in their destructive work.

Dr. Henry P. Bailey, whose wife was Miss Walker of Squantum, died in Dorchester on Tuesday. They formerly resided at Weymouth. The burial will be at Mt. Wollaston, Quincy.

Inspector Ferguson stopped a lively runaway on Franklin street Wednesday evening. The officer came out of his house just in time to see the horse come dashing up the street. He ran along side of the animal until he came under an electric light, when he jumped and caught him. The horse proved to belong to a Mr. Robery of East Braintree, who later came along and took care of the animal.

TODAY'S COURT.

John Flynn was sentenced to the State farm for being a tramp at Quincy. Appealed.

Walter S. Rowell was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Randolph.

Thomas Smith was sentenced to thirty days in the house of correction for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Arthur W. Buntin was arraigned for violation of the plumbing laws at Quincy, by doing plumbing without a license. Case continued until Saturday.

—For two years the vertical system of handwriting has been tried in Somerville. Now the School Committee has decided by a vote of 7 to 6 to discontinue it.

MARRIED.

LOWE—CRAIG—In Quincy, March 28, by Rev. W. W. Dornan, Mr. Fenton E. Lowe to Miss Ethel May Craig, both of Quincy.

DIED.

VINALL—In Quincy Point, March 27, Mrs. Betsey, widow of Hiram Vinall, aged 91 years, 9 months and 16 days. Funeral Private.
BAILEY—In Dorchester, March 27, Dr. Henry Bailey, aged 60 years and 8 months. Interment at Mt. Wollaston Friday.

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Tuesday and Wednesday,

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GROWLING FOR PAY.

Striking Granite Cutters. Not Getting Much.

Committee, However, Say It Will be All Right.

Manufacturers Expect Plenty of Help Next Week.

According to reports there is considerable dissatisfaction among the striking stone cutters at not receiving their strike pay. There are probably about 600 men drawing strike pay at present and they are supposed to receive one dollar per day, and to be paid once a week.

On Saturday, March 17, so the men say, $1,500 was paid out to them. The next pay day was Saturday, March 24. No money, however, was coming, and the men were promised that they should receive their money on Tuesday this week. On that date they were told there was no money, but it would be all right Saturday.

Whether it will or not remains to be seen. It is, however, certain, from the talk of the men on the street, who are becoming uneasy, and are doing considerable growling, that if they are not paid this week they shall return to work. The strike committee, who have the matter in charge, are reported as saying that everything will be all right.

Many of the men are about sick of the strike, and have had all they want of it. If the stories the manufacturers tell are true, they will have no difficulty in getting what men they want next week, when they will undertake to resume business.

Birthday Party.

On Monday afternoon little four-year old "Alek" McTear, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis McTear, of Beach street, Wollaston Park, gave a birthday party to his little playmates. The occasion was enlivened by many plays suitable to their tender age, also a treat of music not on the programme, for two of Sunny Italy's bronzed faced "grinders" happened along with a first class hurdy gurdy. They were influenced by a kind word and a generous cash consideration from Mrs. McTear and gave a concert which exhausted their whole outfit with several repeats. Little "Alek" received a number of dainty presents, and acted well the part of host and treated all to a very toothsome supper. At the proper time the little tots bid their friends good night in their own childish ways.

Those present were: Ella Maud Whitehead, Edna Shay, Evelyn Hirtle, Helen Croucher, Maria Purdy, Edwin Seaman, James Stewart, "Jack" Hallowell, Georgie Hey and Ralph Marr.

The Scribes Thankful.

Al. Bisson, who has a carriage at the Quincy depot, is a good-natured, accommodating fellow, to whom the local newspaper men are indebted for many favors. Al. is a call member of the Quincy Fire Department, and is attached to the Hook and Ladder Co. Whenever an alarm sounds he makes a quick hitch and starts for the scene. On such occasions, especially in the day or early evening, it seldom happens that he does not overtake some newspaper man, also hurrying toward the box sounded. Newspaper men as a rule are not fortunate enough to own a carriage, a fact which Al is evidently cognizant, for no matter how much speed he is under, he invariably stops long enough to take the scribes along with him. That is one of the reasons why early arrivals at a fire always find a newspaper man nosing about.

Infant's Body.

The police were notified Tuesday of the finding of the dead body of an infant in an outbuilding near the sewer pumping station. Chief Ripley and Medical Examiner Jones went down and removed the body to Hall's undertaking rooms. The body had evidently not been dead long. Upon examination the Medical examiner gave it as his opinion that the infant had died from exposure at birth.

— The statistician figures it out that the present trouble in South Africa is the fortieth war Great Britain has had on its hands during the reign of Queen Victoria.

DOES COFFEE AGREE WITH YOU?

If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c. and 25c.

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

A beautiful day.

Mrs. Alice Cobb has moved to Chestnut street.

A patent was issued this week to George W. Brown.

Mrs. Hannah McLane has moved to 78 Washington street.

Mr. Perley R. Glass is in the Pine Tree state on business.

Miss Bliss will have her Easter opening April 10 and 11.

Mrs. C. W. Page of Wollaston Park is slowly recovering from a case of the grip.

Furniture of the late Frederick Souther will be sold at auction tomorrow by C. H. Johnson.

J. H. Gillis' auction sale of bicycles which went through the fire will open on Saturday in the Y. M. C. A. building.

Mr. John Hall, who has been housed up for several days, is able to be out once more. Glad to see him on the street.

The grocery stock of the store at the corner of Hancock and Beach streets is advertised to be sold at auction on Saturday.

Julio Lancisi and Peter Ratazzio, the two Crescent street Italians, raided by the police two weeks ago, are reported as being among the missing.

The Golden Rod for March is out today with papers on "Athletics," "My Experience at the Fire," "The Village of Sam," editorials, locals, etc.

The Pierce block in Fountain square will be sold Saturday to be removed, to make way for improvements of the Quincy & Boston street railway.

Richard Roach, an employe at city gravel pit was injured Wednesday by a cave-in. He was attended by Dr. Welch, and removed to his home.

Acclimated plants and shrubs are always the most successful; therefore one is wise to visit the Wollaston Park ursery of Martin Pfaffmann for them.

The bill of the Park Commissioners seeking authority to erect bath houses in parks, has finally been admitted to Legislature, and a hearing is advertised for April 2.

Mrs. Susan W. Curtis, who resides in the Miller building near the Norfolk Downs depot is today celebrating her 90th birthday. Mr. A. J. Preston contributed a poem.

Prizes at the ladies whist at the Granite City club Wednesday, afternoon were awarded Miss M. Lizzie Furnald, Miss Annie Nightingale, Mrs. E. E. Davis and Mrs. J. P. Prout.

It looks encouraging for Atlantic; when Councilman William Gasset and Councilman W. P. Hill are seen driving about diligently seeking suitable stations for new electric lights.

Another attempt will be made on Saturday to sell the houses which are now in the way of the Coddington street widening. Since the first attempt the necessary authority has been obtained so that it will probably be a go this time.

A heavy team loaded with a large block of Quincy granite, weighing nine or ten tons, got mired to the hubs yesterday while passing through Brook road, a little south of James Craig's granite yards. Last season, on the easterly side of the street, a trench was dug for the sewer pipe and either it was not properly filled, or the frosts caused the heavily loaded team to get mired.

Golden Wedding.

There was a quiet observance of a golden wedding at Quincy Neck Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Snow were the worthy couple who have travelled life's journey together for 50 years. Since November they have been residents of Quincy, residing with their son, Charles Snow. They were married in Springfield, Vt., and have lived most of their life at Hopkinton, where Mr. Snow was a shoe cutter. They have had six children, but only two sons are living. The son Edward of Cambridge has five children. Several tokens were presented to the couple, and refreshments were served.

Hosea Kingman Dead.

Hosea Kingman, chairman of the State Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners, died at his home in Bridgewater this morning, aged 56 years. During the Civil war he served as a private in Company K, 3d Mass. Vols. He enlisting in Sept. 22, 1862, and was mustered out in 1863. He was admitted to the bar in 1866; was special justice of the first Plymouth court from 1878 to 1885. From 1883 to 1887, he was city solicitor of Brockton; commissioner of insolvency from 1884 to 1887; and district attorney from 1887 to 1889. He was a member of many societies and social organizations.

OLD GLORY FOR FILIPINOS.

Lafayette Post, G. A. R., Is Sending Five Hundred Flags to Manila.

Colonel Allan C. Bakewell, commandant of Lafayette post, G. A. R., New York city, and Mr. Wilbur F. Brown, adjutant and past commander of the same post, were at the war department recently and arranged with Adjutant General Corbin and Colonel Patten of the quartermaster general's office for the transportation of 500 United States flags to Manila, says the Washington Star. These flags will be consigned to General Otis and are intended for distribution among the native officials and citizens of that city. They are 4 by 6 feet, made of the best bunting and in strict conformity with military regulations. According to the arrangements made, these flags were delivered to Colonel Jones, quartermaster at New York, and placed on the transport Sumner, which will convey them to Manila by the Suez route.

The action of Lafayette post was inspired by a published letter from Lieutenant Colonel James Parker of the

COLONEL A. C. BAKEWELL.

Forty-second volunteer infantry, who is with his regiment in the Philippines. He spoke of the good results of the display of American flags on the schoolhouses in the Philippines and suggested the advisability of a general distribution of Old Glory among the people in the archipelago. The schoolhouse flag represented a voluntary donation of Lafayette post of New York, which post had made similar presentations to schoolhouses in Hawaii and Porto Rico. Colonel Bakewell, who had personally taken the flags to Porto Rico, presented the suggestion of Colonel Parker to the post, and it was unanimously decided to comply with the suggestion as far as possible. The present donation of 500 flags is the result of that determination. Including this lot Lafayette post has already sent to the new possessions of the United States nearly 1,500 flags, and the work has been done entirely without any outside aid, financial or otherwise.

CARAVANS OF FARMERS.

Novel Method of Kansans For Visiting the Democratic Convention.

Farmers in western Kansas are arranging a novel visit to the Democratic national convention in July. They will form large delegations from counties, fit up old fashioned covered wagons and move in caravans across the state to Kansas City. They will be able to get away from the farm the first week in July and can take an outing in this way that will be without a parallel even in Kansas politics, says the New York Times. They intend to spend the week in camp in the suburbs.

It is said that at least 600 wagons will come from the country near Wichita, and as many more are expected from other portions of the state.

Names For the Temple.

There are two important questions to be solved in connection with New York's proposed temple of fame, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. First, whom to put in, and, second, whom to leave out.

Pittsburg Has a Suggestion.

The great demand for coal in Europe suggests that we had better build barges, says the Pittsburg Times, that will float across the pond.

The Ducks Are Coming In.

The south wind has a gentle touch, the air a tempered chill;
Upon the sloughs and rush rimmed lakes the ice is soft and thin;
Low hanging clouds are scurrying by, some snowbanks linger still;
Thus wind and weather loud proclaim—the ducks are coming in!

Across the full moon's silvery face dark objects swiftly pass,
And through the stillness of the night there sounds the well known din
Of wild goose cries—no music sweeter than those notes. Alas,
That man should have to labor—with the honkers coming in!

The city's walls a prison make, the office is a cage,
And home and clubs lose all their charms, while work becomes a sin;
No brew can cure, no tonic heal, no mixture can assuage
The fever burning in the blood—when ducks are coming in!

So from the old elk's antlers lift the twelve bore tenderly
(There's but one panacea when those fever throbs begin);
Make haste to gather shells and all and fly captivity
To where the "blind" is waiting—and the ducks are coming in!

—J. W. Wright in New York Sun

JINGLES AND JESTS.

Story That Was Never Wholly Told.

It was such a funny story,
It was brimming full of fun,
And he laughed to kill before he
Even got it well begun.
It was all about a baker
And a man who drove a dray
And a solemn undertaker
Who lived just across the way.
How with ecstasy he giggled!
How his palm smote on his knee!
How he held his sides and wriggled
As he told that tale to me!
'Twas a yarn to banish sadness;
It was quite the story that
Would bring bright tears of gladness
To the eyes of e'en a cat,
So he said at the beginning.
But he had not told me half
Ere his idiotic grinning
Had expanded to a laugh,
And as he from thence proceeded
To the region of the joke
He would spoil each statement needed
With a chuckle and a choke.
And when he came to the relation
Of the things the drayman said
His unseemly cachinnation
Took the place of it instead.
How the baker won the money
And the undertaker foiled
He repeated was most funny,
But he had the story spoiled,
For he mastered his emotion
And went on to tell the rest
But to find he'd not a notion
Of the ending of the jest.

—Chicago Record.

The Man Behind the Spoons.

He—Life was only a desert before I met you.

She—And now?

"And now it is all dessert."

It was just subsequent to this conversation that the man behind them, who was carrying home three pounds of sugar, some bacon and two pairs of small shoes, lay down, had a fit, arose and went on his way.—Indianapolis Press.

The Old Time Chimney.

These here steam het buildin's
Ain't a-suitin me;
Want the ole time chimney,
With the sparks a-flyin free!
'Taters in the ashes—
Fine as tine kin be;
Fire jest a-tellin
The ole time tales to me!
Want the ole time fire—
Chimney jest so wide—
Fam'ly in the middle
An room on either side!
Fiddle in the corner—
Watchdog on the mat;
Greasy griddle smokin,
An possum top of that!
Take yer steam het buildin's;
Don't keer for yer steam;
Want the ole time chimney
Whar I love to dream!

—Atlanta Constitution.

Lucky Man!

Sister May—Ah, back from Ella's? Did you find courage to ask her to marry you?

Brother Jack—Yes, and she gave her word.

Sister May—Oh, then you're to be congratulated.

Brother Jack—Perhaps I am, and perhaps I'm not. The word was "Nit!"—Philadelphia Press.

When the Coeds Edit.

The coeds have taken their shears
And seated themselves to edit,
And a brisk little paper appears
That is much to their credit.

I can fancy fair Grace and sweet Ann
And Mildred and Maude and Polly
All trying as hard as they can
To write something jolly.

Clever girls, they are writing it too!
Each sentence illumes with its glitter;
From the top of the title page through
Each line is a titter.

Dear little coeds, you're away
Above using mere kitchen utensils;
You have proved that you're clever, but, say,
Who sharpens your pencils?

Too Precise.

"Do you mean to say that actress sheds real tears on the stage?"

"No," said the man who is painfully punctilious, "I didn't say she shed real tears. I simply said she shed tears. If you choose to insert the word 'real,' thereby implying that some actresses shed imitation tears, you may do so. I am not so skeptical."—Washington Star.

The Ideal Hearth.

Give me no furnace, dull and bare,
Its only sign of life hot air;
Nor steam heat either would I take,
Whose harsh pipes rattle men awake;
Nor natural gas, whose empty flame
Is ever tiresomely the same;
Nor yet a wood fire, whose huge bulk
Knows of no pause 'twixt blaze and sulk.
For me a coal fire, heaped and glad,
Which I can poke when I get mad.

—Chicago News.

A Simple Deduction.

Stuper—Here's a nice letter for a man to receive! The scoundrel who wrote it calls me a blithering idiot!

Teeple—What's his name?

"That's just what I'd like to find out. But there's no signature."

"Don't you recognize the writing? It must be somebody who knows you."—Life.

The Individual Standard.

An owl sat musing on a limb,
And all the world seemed queer to him.
Said he, "Why will these people keep
Awake in daylight, meant for sleep?"

A man of philanthropic mind
Set out to elevate mankind.
Said he, "Why can't all persons be
Correct in manners, just like me?"

—Washington Star.

His Guiding Star.

Clarissa—Clarence, you had better write your offer for my hand to pa on your typewriter.

Clarence—Why, dear, that would be bad form.

Clarissa—Yes, Clarence, but it would make pa think you were full of business.—Chicago Record.

What It Takes.

"A camera, I grant you, takes pictures,"
Said the amateur. "Ah, but it's funny!
When you have to buy plates and such fixtures,
You find that it also takes money."

—Philadelphia Press.

Nothing New.

He emerged from the ruins of the wrecked train casually, dusted his clothing and yawned.

"You appear to take the thing coolly," remarked a doctor.

"Oh, yes," he replied. "You see, I operate my automobile in a rocky country."—Philadelphia North American.

Of Equipment.

To smooth the way life's journey through
I'd choose a gift not wholly new,
Yet fine and rare; not wealth immense,
But boundless stock of common sense.

—Indianapolis Journal.

THE GRAY SQUIRREL

HE IS THE QUICKEST WITTED OF ALL OF HIS TRIBE.

This Saucy Long Tail Knows Enough to Shun the Man Who Carries a Gun—The Peculiar Feeding Habits of the Squirrel Family.

If only conceit and contentiousness were ponderable, "Mr. Long Tail," as the negroes name the squirrel, would weigh as much as a calf. The three sorts of squirrels have this in common, they war with pretty nearly every sylvan thing and most of all with each other. The red, or fox, squirrel will not tolerate either the black or the gray fellows in his chosen haunts. The black squirrel in turn flouts the gray and drives him out, and the gray revenges himself by stealing the hoardings of his lowly brother, the ground squirrel.

The gray squirrel is far and away the quickest in wit of the three. At the opening of the shooting season young gray squirrels become gun shy and learn to dodge at the sight of armed hunters ever so much more quickly than the other sorts. They learn also to differentiate. While the sight of a man with a gun makes them whisk away around trees or lie crouched flat against a high branch, they will hop boldly out before one unarmed, chattering saucily and even coming within a yard or two for a nut or berry.

The squirrel family are epicures. Only the sharpest hunger will drive them to feed upon buds or young leaves. They will not store bitter acorns in the nest along with hickory nuts, chestnuts, chinquepins, sweet acorns and walnuts. Instead, they bury the bitter ones under a few inches of earth and leave them undisturbed until spring, when the acorns are ready to sprout. Then, by nature's alchemy, the bitter has become sweet, the starch in the cotyledons having turned to sugar and the astringent taste almost vanished. Science says we owe to the squirrel planters much the larger part of our oak forests, as well as some nutwoods.

Occasionally a squirrel ventures into a wild strawberry field. But it is only occasionally. His two chief enemies, the big blue hawk and the black snake, have too good a chance at him there. More commonly he saves his fruit tooth until mulberries are ripe, contenting himself meanwhile with sucking birds' eggs as fast as they are laid. He can plunder the nests only of small birds. Robins, catbirds, jays and thrushes fight him stoutly and often successfully. The jay, a fellow thief, makes the biggest outcry of all, after the manner of thieves, great or small. But when the finger long mulberries swell and grow black and full of rich juice there is a truce throughout the woods, especially those along the water side. Nobody needs to steal anything. Bird and beast find spread for them a riotous plenty.

A week after mulberries ripen young squirrels are in their prime. It is amazing what a different flavor the fruit puts into the flesh. For the whole summer, indeed, a tender squirrel is a tidbit. Mulberries last until the early corn is in the roasting ear, and before the late fields harden hazelnuts are in the milk. Ten active squirrels left undisturbed will make away with the best of an acre of corn. The furry marauder runs up the stalk, whips off the husk and gnaws the milky grains until he cannot hold another. A peculiarity is that he never returns to a half eaten ear, but pitches on a fresh one. Likewise, though he may snatch a nut from another squirrel and run off with it, he will never eat it if the first owner has gnawed through to the kernel.

It is a liberal education in dainty feeding to watch a squirrel rifling a hazel copse. The nuts grow in clusters at the very tips of slender stems. "Mr. Long Tail" runs down the stem as far as he dares, lies along it, reaches with his fore paws and catches the nut cluster. Still holding it fast, he backs a little, then sits upright, holding the green frilled cluster fast, and sinks his sharp teeth in one nut after another and sucks out the kernel. Then when he has eaten the very last he lets the hull fly back to place. It may have held a dozen young nuts, but he rarely misses one.

A failure of mast is sure to result in the migration of squirrels. All save the few saucy enough or bold enough to plunder cornribs set out about the same time, commonly about the 1st of October, in search of new feeding grounds. Often they travel hundreds of miles, crossing considerable rivers by the way. This is the more wonderful because commonly they have great fear of water. They swim well for a few yards, but beyond that the big bushy tail drags them down. In the migrating, old hunters say, they develop a faculty very close to reason. When a broad stream is reached, they run up and down it, hunting for bits of stick or bark small enough to be moved and light enough to float them over. Upon these improvised rafts they get safely across by taking pains to keep their tails out of water.—New York Sun.

More Than Enough.

Johnny arrived at school in the morning five minutes late. He explained that the clock at home was slow and that the street car had broken down with him on his way to school.

"Johnny," the teacher said, "either of those excuses would have been sufficient, but the two together make a suspicious superabundance. You will stay in this room after school hours and copy out a page of your reader."

The moral is that when you are late in keeping an engagement you should not come primed with too many excuses.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

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Wanted--Driving Horse,

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TO LET—House, 8 rooms, city water, No. 7 Faxon Ave., now occupied by Warren D. Higgins. HENRY H. FAXON. Mar. 26. 1m

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CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.

Quincy, April 25. tf

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Half House, 8 rooms, 16 Cottage street, with stable.
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Three tenements, 51 Howard street, Quincy Neck.
Double House, 4 rooms in each half, 15 Brackett street.
Half House, 6 rooms, Pond street. Land with same if desired.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
Stable with city water, 28 Coddington street. $5 per month.
Stable and sheds near Quincy Centre on Coddington street. $4.00 per month.
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon 1 6:25 a. m. | Full Moon 16 3:12 a. m.
First Quarter 8 6:34 a. m. | Third Quarter 24 6:34 a. m.
New Moon 30 3:30 p. m.

A Game of Tag.

Leo—Look out, young man; I'm it.—New York Journal.

Naval Policy Board Completed.

Washington, March 29.—Secretary Long has completed the personnel of the navy policy board by appointing as members Captain Evans, Captain Taylor, Captain Clark, Captain Chadwick and Colonel Reid. The other members of the board are Admiral Dewey, president; Rear Admiral Crowninshield, Captain Sigsbee, Captain Stockton and Captain Walker.

Subjected to Severe Test.

Bethlehem, Pa., March 29.—The armor plate manufactured by the Bethlehem Steel company for the new Russian battleship has been accepted. Three projectiles were fired at an average velocity of 1925 feet per second, and made less than 2½ inches penetration and no cracks.

The Kaiulani's Poor Beginning.

New York, March 29.—The new American bark Kaiulani, Captain Dabol, which sailed from here on Feb. 20 on her maiden voyage bound for San Francisco, and which was spoken on March 5, returning partially dismasted, has returned in tow of tug John Nichols. Her main and fore topgallant masts are gone. The Kaiulani was built at Bath, Me.

Clintonians Have a Grievance.

Clinton, Mass., March 29.—Citizens of Clinton have issued a call for a mass meeting, to be held on March 30, to protest against the alleged violations of law on the part of the metropolitan water board.

Explosion In Paper Mill.

Erie, Pa., March 29.—Eleven dryers in a paper machine in the H. F. Watson company's mill exploded last night, wrecking the portion of the building in which it was located, killing one man and wounding four more.

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SUCCESS IS ASSURED.

Many "Insurgents" Fall In Line on Puerto Rican Compromise Bill.

Davis Makes a Strong Argument For Free Trade.

Proposition Which He Thinks Will Satisfy This Country and the Puerto Ricans.

Washington, March 29.—The agreement of all factions concerned that a vote on Puerto Rico shall be taken in the senate on Tuesday afternoon is a pretty fair sign that enough of the insurgents have been won over to put the success of the compromise bill pretty well beyond question. The belief is general that the insurgents who stand out to the end will dwindle down to a half dozen. The men who are now marked as doubtful are Beveridge and Hoar, but it is probable that both will be among the senators who will speak between now and Tuesday afternoon, and that they will seize the opportunity to make plain the grounds upon which they consent to accept a part of what they wish, rather than lose the whole.

An important utterance was made on the bill by Mr. Davis (Minn.), who advocated free trade between the United States and Puerto Rico. His principal proposition was that the necessary money to be raised by taxation should not be raised by a duty levied upon Puerto Rican products, but by an internal revenue tax levied upon rum and tobacco produced on the island. This system, he thought, would better suit the people of the United States and those of Puerto Rico than the proposed tariff and would be just, equitable and constitutional.

Mr. Davis said he did not think it was necessary for him to enter upon a constitutional discussion of the subject. While he deemed the question very important he regarded it as entirely nonpartisan. His remarks, he said, would be directed to the house bill, which had become a part of the senate measure. He said that it could not be denied that from the time the measure was reported to the house until today there had been a rising tide of protest against it, and that protest had culminated in righteous indignation. It was based upon the principle that Puerto Rico, under all the circumstances, should have free trade with the United States. Mr. Davis maintained that a tariff could not be levied as between Puerto Rico and the United States, although it was perfectly competent for congress to provide for the collection of internal revenue taxes on the island.

Mr. Davis contended that the amendment that he had proposed would go far to appease the storm of protest and indignation which had arisen and would satisfy the people of this country and the Puerto Ricans themselves. "If I interpret the signs of times in this country," he said, "there is intense opposition to this bill among our people. This will be allayed by the adoption of the proposition in my amendment. And as to the Puerto Ricans, they would be quite satisfied by the levying and collecting of internal revenue taxes on rum and tobacco."

All sorts of arguments, Mr. Davis said, had been urged in support of a tariff on Puerto Rican products. First it was charity, but that had been swept away by the passage of the $2,000,000 appropriation bill. Then it was that "beyond Puerto Rico lie the Philippines."

"When we come to deal with the Philippines question we will take care of that. Puerto Rico is little more than 700 miles from our coast; the Philippines are 8000, and Puerto Rico is naturally a part of the North American jurisdiction; the Philippines are a part of the domain of Asia. Against the product and people of the Philippines, when the time comes, the rights of American labor will be protected by any party that may be in power."

Mr. Davis said it was inconsistent to extend our laws relating to the coastwise trade to the island and not extend our tariff laws. As to the feeling in the country upon the question, he said: "I think I would be as firm as anybody under a sudden, transitory public manifestation of feeling, but when that sentiment speaks to us week after week, in constantly swelling volume, we must take heed of it. This question is well understood by the people.

"They understand well, too, that upon distilled spirits and tobacco there is not an imposition of a mill of taxation by this bill. The subjects of taxation upon which we place heavy burdens go scot free on the island of Puerto Rico. And what do they propose as an exchange for that kind of taxation? Why, the imposition of a tariff. It is so easy to place a tax upon these articles that I shall be surprised if the proposition to do so does not meet the approval of congress and the people. What are the people going to say if this bill passes? They will say: 'Free rum and a tax on the flour the people eat.'"

Mr. Davis said that no man could tell how much the tariff would yield, and as no man could say that the export tax was constitutional it seemed to him that there ought to be no hesitation as to the course to be pursued.

In conclusion he said: "In my judgment the only course for us is to abandon this pernicious mockery of a tariff between Puerto Rico and the United States and return to the pathway of plain duty."

The house devoted practically the whole day to consideration of the army appropriation bill. Several minor amendments were adopted, and about half the bill was considered. There was a good deal of extemporaneous debate during the day, little of which was pertinent to the bill.

Sut Three Survivors.

Melbourne, March 29.—The coasting steamer Glenelge foundered during a gale off the Gippsland coast. Out of a ship's company of 33 only three were saved.

MORE IRREGULARITIES

Found by Receiver Muir In Examination of Books of Merchants' Bank.

Rutland, Vt., March 29.—The affairs of the Merchants' National bank, which has been closed since Monday, on account of a defalcation of $145,000 by the cashier, Charles W. Mussey, are in charge of D. D. Muir as temporary receiver. Mr. Muir, with the teller and bookkeeper, is engaged in an examination of the books. Considerable evidence bearing on the irregularities of the cashier were disclosed yesterday. It appears that the bank recently directed him to buy a certain number of United States 4-percent bonds, and he was given a director's private check for something over $13,000. The check, however, it appears from the bank's records, was not used for the purpose intended, but was taken to the Baxter National bank of this city and used to liquidate some drafts which had been protested, and which amounted to more than $12,000. The bonds desired by the directors were purchased, however, payment being made by a draft on New York, which in turn was protested.

It appears, also, that on all loans made by Mussey to McClure he charged 6 percent, and in this way he realized about $8700 on his transactions with the music dealer, to whom he claims to have given the sum which he is accused of taking from the bank. The notes given by McClure and indorsed by H. O. Edson were all made payable to McClure's order, and they were kept in Mussey's private desk, to which no one but himself had access.

The instalment notes given by McClure's customers, which were taken by Mussey as collateral, were kept in a private box in the vault of the bank.

Not Guilty of Embezzlement.

Boston, March 29.—After a trial lasting three days, John J. Whittier, late superintendent of station A, Worcester postoffice, was acquitted by a jury in the United States district court upon the charge of embezzling government funds. Whittier denied ever having taken postal funds, but said there had frequently been deficits in the accounts. Many mistakes, he was confident, had been made in making change in selling stamps. He had frequently taken from the money order funds to make up the shortage in the postal funds, and he had intended to make up the deficiency.

Elopement, Separation and Reconciliation.

Fall River, Mass., March 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Philip Scully have become reconciled and are now residing in the old Barnard mansion in this city. Mrs. Scully was formerly Miss Jessie Barnard, granddaughter of the late Mrs. Barnard, from whose home she eloped about 16 years ago with her grandmother's coachman, Philip Scully. On March 16 Mrs. Scully obtained a decree from the probate court allowing her to live apart from her husband. The reconciliation followed the decree of the court.

Mrs. Blake Chosen President.

New York, March 29.—The new woman's suffrage association, to be known as the National Legislative league, was formed here yesterday. Fifteen states were represented. Mrs. Lillie D. Blake presided. She said that the object of the league was to obtain for women equality of legal, civil and industrial rights through action by the national congress and the state legislatures. Mrs. Blake was elected president.

Five Victims Thus Far.

Attleboro, Mass., March 29.—The ruffian who has been assaulting women of Attleboro has had a price placed upon his head, as the selectmen have offered a reward for his capture. The unknown man has assaulted five women since Saturday night, one sustaining a fracture of the nose and concussion of the brain, another had her spine hurt so that she is critically ill, and others were badly bruised.

Compromise at Columbus.

Columbus, March 29.—The machinists' strike was settled last night. The employers agree to take back all the old men, but they are left free to employ non-union labor on equal terms with union labor. The machinists get a 9-hour work day and 25 cents an hour, price and a half to be paid for all overtime. The settlement is a compromise.

Big Bouts Will Come Off.

Albany, March 29.—The bill repealing the Horton boxing law passed the senate yesterday, and now goes to the governor for his signature. As the repealing bill does not go into effect until Sept. 1 next, the fight arranged between Corbett and Jeffries, the McCoy-Sharkey and the Ruhlin-Sharkey bouts will come off as scheduled.

Had Long Been Missing.

Boston, March 29.—The badly decomposed body of Carnelius A. Durgin, who had been missing since Dec. 18, was found wedged between the timbers under Fitz' coal wharf on Wednesday. Durgin was employed on the wharf and had evidently fallen through a hole in the planking. He was 55 years old.

To Be Distributed Gratis.

Santiago, March 29.—A large quantity of farm implements arrived here yesterday for free distribution throughout the province and hundreds of applicants have already been supplied. They say they can soon raise enough to support their families.

Story of Robbery Declared Untrue.

Buffalo, March 29.—Mrs. Frances M. Wolcott of this city, divorced wife of Senator Wolcott, who, according to a story published yesterday, was robbed of $40,000 worth of jewelry while in Paris, declares that there is no truth in the story.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

There has been rain on the south Atlantic coast, followed by clear weather and snow or rain from the lower Ohio valley northwestward and also in the extreme west. There will be rain or snow in western New England. In the eastern portion it will be fair. The high area in the northwest will dominate the weather conditions for the next two or three days and temperatures somewhat below the seasonal average may therefore be expected.

ENGLAND NOT THE ONLY SUFFERER.

President Kruger Says Every Home In South Africa Has Been Desolated.

New York, March 29.—The World today prints a special interview with President Kruger of the South African republic, obtained by its correspondent at Pretoria on Feb. 7. Mr. Kruger said:

"I sent a message to The World saying that the losses in a war 'would stagger humanity.'

"The British laughed at me and said they would only take a month to conquer us.

"Did those 650 dead at Spion kop and those hundreds who were killed in other battles please the British?

"Are they laughing now?

"When you came through London did you see much laughter?"

The correspondent told Mr. Kruger of the scenes in front of the London war bulletin boards—the weeping relatives and the sorrowing friends. The president continued: "Yes, that is only one side of the picture. Here we have the same scenes, only our casualties are not so great.

"Every home in South Africa has been desolated, and the war has only begun. Wait until the war is ended and those who will suffer on account of it will be numbered by the hundreds of thousands. Did Chamberlain and Milner and the capitalists who were back of them think of those things before they drove us to the wall? Are the tears of widows and orphans to pay for the gold fields?"

The president asked concerning the opinion of the American people on the subject of the war, and remarked: "Tell the Americans that I appreciate their expressions of sympathy. I am greatly pleased to hear that committee have been formed to raise funds for our Red Cross."

When asked concerning the progress of the war, Mr. Kruger said: "My burghers are fighting bravely, and they will continue to do so until Great Britain ask for peace or withdraws her soldiers. Even as your forefathers fought against great odds in the Revolutionary war, so are we struggling, and even as God was with your people, so is he with us.

"I and my burghers are willing to end the war tomorrow if Great Britain will say that we are thereafter wholly independent and if she will guarantee that those Cape Colonists who have joined our army shall not be molested, and that their property shall not be taken from them.

"We always asked that we be left alone, and that is what we desire now. We crossed the frontier into Natal and Cape Colony because the farmers who owned the land asked to be taken under our protection. If England will end the war and promise to give us our independence we will return the land thus taken, but we want to be free."

Double Disappearance Explained.

Norwich, Conn., March 29.—The body of Miss Annie C. Lamb was found floating in Peque Tanuck cove on Wednesday. On Jan. 24 Miss Lamb and Frederick H. Moll, a tailor, for whom she worked, disappeared, and their whereabouts was unknown until last Monday, when the body of Moll was found in the same place where the woman's body was discovered. Moll had deserted his wife and four children, leaving them destitute. It is supposed that Moll and Miss Lamb jumped overboard.

A Brother's Brave Act.

Waterville, Me., March 29.—George York of Unity Plantation, while crossing the Kennebec river in company with his brother, slipped into a large hole and was carried beneath the ice. His brother carefully followed the body until it appeared again at another hole, jumped into the water and swam with it to the shore. Afte some hours of hard work York was restored to consciousness.

Japan Preparing For Trouble.

London, March 29.—A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Kobe, dated March 28, says: Renewed trouble between Russia and Japan in Korea is imminent. The movements of the Russian fleet indicates the probability of the seizure of a Korean port. The war office officials at Tokio are holding conferences; and there has been considerable military and naval activity in Japan this month.

A Most Generous Gift.

New York, March 29.—A woman who is a member of the congregation of St. Bartholomew's church, in this city, has given $250,000 to be used in building a clinic for the parish house of that church, where diseases of the eye, ear, nose and mouth may be treated free. The donor's name is not announced.

Fire Didn't Reach Oil Tanks.

St. John's, March 29.—Sealer Aurora, just arrived, narrowly escaped destruction by fire. The wooden bulkhead near the boiler began burning, but the flames were extinguished before they reached the tanks in which were stored thousands of gallons of seal oil. She has on board a crew of 270 men.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Manager Burns has signed Tucker, formerly of Boston, to play first base for the Springfield Eastern league team this season.

Richard Sands, 60 years old, died suddenly at New York. He was known as the champion clog dancer of the world.

The Brooklyn Baseball club has sold the release of First Baseman Lachance, Catcher Cresham and Pitcher McKenna to the Cleveland club. The price of the players is not made public.

W. J. Rainey, aged 63, a millionaire coal and coke operator, died at Baltimore. He went to Baltimore from Cleveland to have an operation performed. He was one of the largest coke producers in the country.

Major General Thomas L. Mountain, retired, died at Danville, P. Q., aged 73. General Mountain served through the Indian mutiny, during which period General White, the defender of Ladysmith, was an officer on his staff.

The passenger agents of the Trunk Line association have fixed a special rate of one fare for the round trip to the national G. A. R. encampment, to be held in Chicago next August.

Charles Durand, president of a prominent manufacturing concern, and at one time speaker of the Connecticut house of representatives, died at Ansonia, aged 80 years.

MEN OF MARK.

A Boothbay (Me.) fisherman, Ab Ak, says he has the shortest name on record. There is said to be no abbreviation about it either.

Ex-Senator Philetus Sawyer of Wisconsin has given to different towns in his state five hospitals and three public libraries.

Senator Beveridge makes it a rule never to return a card with the "not in" that disappoint so many callers, but sees each of his visitors, if it is possible for him to do so.

General French of South African fame is a short man of broad and sturdy build and, though an excellent horseman, presents a rather undignified picture in the saddle.

Dr. William MacNeill Whistler, the brother of the artist of that name, who died in London the other day, was a surgeon in the Confederate army during the civil war.

President McKinley's summer tour this year will begin in July and will probably include a trip to San Francisco, where he will witness the launching of the battleship Ohio.

General Sir William Butler, who was commander in chief and acting governor of Cape Colony before the war broke out, has begun suits against the London papers which have been attacking him.

Archdeacon Barker is one of the heroes of Ladysmith. A Boer shell fell at his feet, and the archdeacon picked it up, as it was on the point of exploding, and dropped it in a tub of water, extinguishing the fuse.

Ex-Premier Crispi is seriously ill with influenza, complicated with bronchitis, and he is unable to retain food. Moreover, a recent operation which he underwent for the removal of a cataract proves to have been a failure, and his condition is causing anxiety.

President Loubet is a terror to all sticklers for official dignity. In his simple frankness he is capable of keeping every one at the banquet table with the remark, "Well, we are so comfortable here that we do not see why that formality about the ladies leaving should be insisted upon."

The Toronto Mail and Empire publishes the report that Russell A. Alger, ex-secretary of war, is about to make Ottawa his permanent home. He has many business interests in Canada and is president of the Laurentides Pulp Manufacturing company at Three Rivers, of which his son is general manager.

Professor Dean C. Worcester, who has just resigned his chair in the University of Michigan, has had an offer of a salary of $15,000 a year as manager of certain mining interests in the Philippine Islands, and when his duties as commissioner are fulfilled he may accept the offer. His salary at the University of Michigan was $1,600.

THE HONEY MAKERS.

If honey granulates, it is safe to say that it is pure.

In hiving swarms all washes for the hives are useless.

During the warm spells in winter bees will almost invariably rear brood, especially toward spring.

When you are certain that the bees have enough stores to last them, it is best not to disturb them in any way.

Early in the spring is a good time to transfer, when the bees are getting a little honey and when there is very little honey in the combs.

If a colony becomes queenless, be sure they have unsealed brood of the proper age to raise another, and when this one is raised be sure that she becomes fertile.

When the bees are covering the doorsteps and entrances to the hive with a greenish, disagreeable looking excrement, it is a pretty good indication that they have dysentery.

Foul brood is not a disease of the bees, but of the sealed brood. The symptoms are a dwindling down of the colony because the brood fails to hatch. The capping of the sealed brood will be found to be sunken.—St. Louis Republic.

THE CYNIC.

The older people become the more excuses they are able to find.

Every man falls heir to something—usually to a bad case of kin.

Every one thinks he works for a man who is mighty unappreciative.

After a man does a clever thing he usually talks about it too much.

There is a disease among cattle known as big jaw. Many people catch it.

If you have a bad dream about a man, don't tell him. Nearly all men are superstitious.

Nearly every man owns a collar and cuff box and keeps his collars and cuffs in the bureau drawer.

A man may perhaps have a better time if he goes on a trip alone, but his health is better if he takes his wife along.—Atchison Globe.

THE COOKBOOK.

The tomato is now definitely assigned a place as a tonic among foods. A noted physician has made extensive experiments with the juice as a medicine and says as a health preservative it is unequaled.

A fairly good substitute for whipped cream, when the genuine cannot be had, is prepared thus: Beat the white of one egg to a stiff froth, add one cup of milk (one spoonful at a time), sweeten to taste and flavor with vanilla.

Beef and pigs' livers are less strong if soaked in cold salted water ten minutes, and any liver is less hard and dry on the edges if dipped in boiling water and the skin pulled off and veins removed before cooking. Wipe dry, roll in flour and fry quickly in hot fat.

THE ROYAL BOX.

Tsou-Hsi, the empress dowager of China, is a mysterious woman, sometimes called an Agrippina and styled by others a Maria Theresa.

The Grand Duchess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, granddaughter of George III, receives an annual income of $15,000 from the English government.

Spain, in all her poverty, manages each year to give her boy king $1,400,000, of which the prudent queen regent is able to lay aside more than one-half.

King Leopold of Belgium would have a fortune of about $75,000,000 had it not been for the vast sums he has sunk in the Belgian colony in the Kongo country, which still draws heavily on his majesty's resources.

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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M. 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

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Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

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r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
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WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.
Cars leaving Neponset on the even and half hour run to Braintree, ok and Brockton without change, 30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holy.

Neponset and Squantum.

NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 d every hour until 9.30 P. M.
SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M ry hour until 10.00 P. M.

uincy and East Weymouth.

CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Point and 22 minutes later from North uth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M. 1.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 0, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 50, 8.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednes. Saturdays.)
EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes late. rth Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 , 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2 , 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

ncy and North Weymouth.

QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M.
NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

cy and Weymouth Landing.

CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., 30, 1.30 and every hour until 10.30 P. M.
WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

uincy and East Milton.

CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every s of and 25 minutes past the hour until , then 10.20 and 10.59 P. M.
EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then inutes of and 25 minutes past the hour P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

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QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 0 minutes past the hour until 9.50 he 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook he 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Grain-

SUNDAYS.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK.

BOERS CONCENTRATE.

Considerable Force at Glen, Fifteen Miles From Roberts' Headquarters.

Mounted Commando Raiding Close to Bloemfontein.

Indications That Another Conflict of Some Magnitude Is Close at Hand.

London, March 30.—A dispatch from Bloemfontein says that the Boers are active north of Glen, about 15 miles from Bloemfontein. It is reported that they are concentrating in considerable force. Reinforcements of all arms are being sent up from Bloemfontein, including the Seventh division and a portion of General French's cavalry.

It does not seem probable that the Boers will give serious battle in the fairly open country north of Glen. Still, their evident strength indicates more than a corps of observation.

In small affairs the Boers are daringly aggressive in all parts of the field of war. The Johannesburg mounted police, esteemed by the Boers to be their best mounted commando, are raiding the country near Bloemfontein, harrassing the farmers who have given up their arms to the British and carrying off cattle.

There is a Boer report from Natal that a Russian soldier of fortune, Colonel Ganotzki, with 100 horsemen, is operating close to the British outposts on the western border.

The Boers have reoccupied Campbell, and are in strength near Taungs and Barkly West.

They shelled the British camp at Warrenton Wednesday, but moved out of range that night. Yesterday (Thursday) two British guns enfiladed the Boer trenches, quieting their Mausers.

Lord Methuen and the forces that had been operating in the Barkly district have been recalled to Kimberley by Lord Roberts. No explanation has been given for this, but the mounted troops are dissatisfied at having been ordered back.

The Boers and loyalists at Kenhardt have been dispersed and caused to retreat. General Parsons is about to enter the town unopposed.

Lord Roberts is making extensive arrangements to police and safeguard all the Free State towns in the territory occupied.

Dispatches from Maseru assert that the Boers who returned to Ladybrand from Clocolan have taken up strong positions and sent pickets far in every direction to watch Basutoland, in the expectation that part of General Buller's army will invade the Free State on that side.

According to Pretoria advices, Mafeking was bombarded for seven hours on Tuesday.

It is reported in London, in a well-informed quarter, that Lord Kitchener will be offered the post of commander-in-chief in India, succeeding the late Sir William Lockhart, so soon as decisive successes have been obtained in the Transvaal, and that General Hunter will succeed him as Lord Roberts' chief of staff. The Indian newspapers have been urging Kitchener's appointment.

The Bloemfontein correspondent of The Morning Post, telegraphing Wednesday, says: President Kruger boasts his intention to re-take Bloemfontein within a week, and it appears probable that the Boers are advancing in force southward.

Double Murder and Arson.

Calais, Me., March 30.—A terrible crime, due, it is thought, to insanity, was committed by Fred Reynolds at Red Beach, a small town about 10 miles from here, on Thursday. Mrs. Reynolds and one son were killed with an axe, another son was seriously injured, and the house burned to the ground. After completing these actions, Reynolds ran up the street, flourishing the axe. He was finally taken into custody, offering no resistance, and brought to this place for safe keeping.

Criminal Law Not Violated.

New York, March 30.—The grand jury has abandoned its investigation into the alleged wrecking of the Third Avenue Railroad company, Assistant District Attorney Unger having advised that body to discontinue the inquiry because there was nothing to show the violation of any criminal law. The expert accountants who were employed by Receiver Grant to look into the books of the company stated that they had found nothing irregular in the books.

Held For the Murder of Nelligan.

Galveston, March 30.—Captain H. M. Ward of the steamer Lawrence has been indicted for murder in the first degree for the killing of Michael Nelligan, boatswain's mate of the gunboat Machias, on March 22, and for the assault to murder Edward Nelligan, fireman of the cruiser New York. Following a preliminary hearing Ward was admitted to bail in $5000.

Doesn't Want the Nomination.

Worcester, Mass., March 30.—Joseph H. Walker has despatched a statement to the chairman of the Third district Republican committee refusing to accept a nomination for congressman this session. He intimates plainly that so far as the congressional contest is concerned he is done with it forever.

YOUTSEY "HAD BETTER GET IN."

Statement That if He Tells All He Knows He Will Be Rich For Life.

Lexington, Ky., March 30.—The Morning Herald of this city print this morning the following special from Winchester, Ky.:

"If Youtsey will tell what I think he can he can hang Taylor and destroy the Republican party in Kentucky. I feel sure that I can arrange for enough of the appropriation for Youtsey to make him and his wife comfortable for the rest of their lives. Culton is going to confess in the morning and Youtsey had better get in while he can. The money is going and he might as well have his share."

The above is what James Andrew Scott said at the Reese House. He was addressing N. H. Witherspoon and Judge C. S. French, respectfully brother-in-law and father-in-law of Youtsey.

Scott had telephoned Witherspoon in the early afternoon: "Meet me at the Reese House on the quiet," and he had been promptly met. Judge French was called in later. The party stayed in consultation until midnight, Scott insisting that Youtsey should confess and make himself rich, while the others listened passively and then replied: "Youtsey has told all he knows and can say nothing more."

"Tallow" Dick Coombs, the negro, has been arrested at Bettyville on a warrant charging him with being an accessory to the assassination of William Goebel. Since the detectives left Frankfort there have been all sorts of reports as to whom they are after.

Bay State Legislature.

Boston, March 30.—Another plan for a canal across Cape Cod has probably followed its numerous predecessors into oblivion, through rejection by the senate of the bill permitting the Boston, Cape Cod and New York Canal company to issue $12,000,000 in stocks and bonds, without regard to the cost of the proposed canal. The vote on rejection was 12 to 18. The principal objection to the bill was that it was directly contrary to the so-called "stock watering" act of the state.

The house refused to accept the adverse report of the committee on the bill permitting letter carriers to ride free on street railways, and the bill will probably pass that branch.

The joint committee on the judiciary of the legislature, to which was referred the petition for the removal of Edgar J. Sherman, a justice of the superior court, presented a report, vindicating the justice on the ground that the petitioners' charges were not sustained.

Sentiment Attributed to Harrison.

Indianapolis, March 30.—A special from Washington to the Indianapolis News says that General Harrison has expressed some pretty blunt views on the Boer question and has written a friendly, personal letter to Secretary Hay on the subject. Either in this letter or in some communication he is credited with having said: "He hoped the Boers would find some place on the green earth where they would have a right to live unmolested by the British. They have more than once sacrificed their land and their homes, and moved on, to avoid the British aggression." General Harrison was asked about the matter and said: "I have nothing to say upon the matter nor do I want to be drawn into any newspaper controversy by confirming or denying the report."

Court Martial For Deming.

Washington, March 30.—At the war department it is admitted that Captain Deming's arrest at San Francisco is merely preliminary to his trial by court-martial for violations of the articles of war. His troubles arise out of an escapade on the Pacific coast while en route for Manila. It is stated that while he may have misappropriated government funds the sum is amply secured by his bond of $20,000. The gravest feature of his case is an allegation that he forged the name of his clerk to a pay account for $150 and secured the money and appropriated it to his own purposes.

Not Looked Upon as Serious.

London, March 30.—The British government has not received any news tending to confirm the advices from Japan as to Russian designs in Korea, and is inclined to doubt their accuracy. Premier Salisbury apprehends no possibility of an immediate rupture between Japan and Russia. There is no indication that official circles regard the situation in China as serious as it is made out in the press dispatches.

Disagreed With His Officers.

Washington, March 30.—Commander Very has been relieved of the command of the Castine and ordered home from Manila by regular steamer. He will be relieved of the command by Commander Bowman, now at the Mare island navy yard. Commander Very has had some trouble with officers attached to the Castine, due, it is said, to his methods of enforcing discipline aboard ship.

No Sunday Sales of Cigars.

Boston, March 30.—The law prohibiting the sale of cigars on Sunday by holders of a common victualler's license is expected to be strictly enforced in this city. There are 1400 common victualler's licenses in Boston, but the large hotels will not be affected.

Sharkey an Easy Victor.

Baltimore, March 30.—Tom Sharkey and "Stockings" Conroy of Troy, N. Y., were to have gone 10 rounds at Music hall last night, but Sharkey put Conroy out in the third round with a stiff left punch on the jaw.

To Cure Nervousness in One Week
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Take Cleveland's Celery Compound Tea, 25c. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

VIEWS OF BEVERIDGE.

Constitution Gives Congress Authority to Govern New Possessions.

Good Policy to Give Puerto Rico Free Trade.

Defeat of Proposition to Strike Out Provision of Dingley Law Duties.

Washington, March 30. — Senator Beveridge of Indiana, in the senate yesterday, delivered an exhaustive speech in support of his position that the constitution specifically gives congress a free hand in our island possessions, while not extending to them of its own force, and that in pursuance of this power congress should establish free trade with Puerto Rico as beneficial to all parties, leaving other questions in that and other islands to be settled as they arise.

The speech will very likely attract as much attention as and at least take rank with his maiden utterance on the retention of the Philippines, being more thoughtful and scholarly if less fervid and oratorical. First and always, Senator Beveridge argues for a colonial system, administered by congress with a free hand under that section of the constitution which says: "The congress shall have power to dispose of and make all needful rules and regulations respecting the territory or other property belonging to the United States."

The alternatives are three—the colonial system; the admission that the islands are integral parts of the United States, which he holds impossible; or the abandonment of the islands. The extension of the constitution to the islands and their recognition as parts of the United States, he said, is unthinkable till years, perhaps centuries, of education and guidance shall fit them for participation in our national life or for self-government.

He turned a neat point on the Democrats here by pointing out that such extension of the constitution would forever prevent any alienation of those islands or their independence. The spirit of our free institutions he held more fundamental than written constitutions and the best guarantee of good government for our possessions. The attitude of the opposition he denounced as hypocritical and insincere, since its argument for extension of the constitution he held to be only an alarmist argument for the abandonment of our new possessions.

Free trade with Puerto Rico, he held, should be established as best for all parties; but it must in no way be considered a precedent in the disposition of questions relating to the other islands. If, however, he could not secure a free trade amendment to the Foraker bill he would then support the bill as securing ultimate free trade.

Mr. Beveridge closed his speech saying: "Mr. President, the great movement on which the American people have embarked is a movement of conscience as well as of power; of civilization as well as of commerce. It touches the shores of every sea. Directly or indirectly it affects all humanity. We go forth on a world career; we must conduct it with a world statesmanship—a statesmanship that considers the effect of every law we pass upon the peoples over whom our influence is extending, and upon the world at large, as well as upon ourselves.

"Administration of government means more than balance sheets; more than weights or measures. It means this, but it also means the weighing of the hearts of men and the balance sheets of the affections of the governed people. The American masses, in whose breasts dwell the purity, power and hope of the republic and of the world understand this well. They feel and deeply know that we are henceforth the master people of the world. They doubt not that human progress is one vast and swelling harmony which not even all the discords of history can destroy, and they mean that in all that divine and splendid composition the noblest, highest, purest, tenderest note shall be that struck by the American people as the sovereign power of earth."

A direct vote was taken by the senate on the proposition to strike from the Puerto Rico measure the provision levying 15 percent of the Dingley law duties on Puerto Rico products. The proposition was defeated by a vote of 16 to 33. While the vote is regarded as presaging the passage of the pending measure, it is not regarded as indicating the final vote on the bill.

After four days of stormy debate the house passed the army appropriation bill. As passed, the bill is only slightly modified from the form in which it came from the committee. One of the last amendments adopted opens the soldiers' homes to the officers and men of the volunteer and regular armies incapacitated by services during or since the Spanish war. The chief incident of the day was a defense of the war department against the charge of reckless extravagance in the fitting up of the transport Sumner, made by Mr. Driggs of New York. Mr. Parker (N. J.) produced the itemized expenses furnished by the war department, to show that there had been no extravagance.

Without opposition, the house confirmed the title of Mr. Boreing of Kentucky to his seat. His seat was contested by Mr. White, another Republican, and the report of the committee that investigated the case was unanimously in favor of the sitting member.

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At 10.30 o'clock A. M.

The House owned by the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and the House corner Coddington and Spear streets, owned by the Trustees of the City Hospital.

These Buildings are sold in pursuance of Chapter 49 of the Public Statutes of Massachusetts, and are sold to be removed within ten days from date of sale.

Per order,
C. F. KNOWLTON,
Com. of Public Works.

March 27. 4t

A. G. OLNEY, - - Auctioneer.
Wollaston, Mass.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Groceries, Canned Goods, Counters, Scales, Fixtures, etc., etc.,

Will be sold at Public Auction on

Saturday, March 31, 1900,

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.,

In the store on the

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Being the store formerly of W. W. Walsh, also the good will of said store.

The store will be open for inspection on THURSDAY and FRIDAY preceding the sale.

March 27. 4t—p-1w

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And large supply of Sundries as the result of the late fire.

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	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	31	35	48	46
Monday,	48	55	26	48	48
Tuesday,	48	65	44	44	50
Wednesday,	46	44	45	51	44
Thursday,	48	43	47	52	50
Friday,	49	58	39	56	55
Saturday,	—	39	45	48	45

New Advertisements Today.

Quincy Steam Dye House.
To Let—Double House.

Good Afternoon.

Oom Paul's press agents, both in this country and in Europe, are trying hard to earn their money.

Every resolution calling for information that the democrats have asked Congress to adopt has furnished an additional reason for the re-election of President McKinley.

The Senate has saved the reputation of Massachusetts in refusing to pass the stock watering Cape Cod canal bill to a third reading. The State cannot afford to be a party to such schemes.

Here's a chance for the flying machine man. A responsible Paris club offers a prize of $20,000 to the one who can take his machine over a specified route of seven miles in thirty minutes.

Governor General Wood has received another reward for his good work in Cuba, a ten-pound daughter born Thursday. There is no record of a previous birth in the palace, and all Cuba is pleased.

The Chief of the U. S. Weather Bureau has issued an order against cigarette smoking by its employes. He says he has convinced himself by investigation that a cigarette smoker is not fit to be trusted with important work.

It is probably a fact that there are too many children to a school room in Quincy, but the city is doing much better than other cities, some of which do not supply sufficient school buildings. In Lawrence the average is more than 50 pupils to a room, and in some rooms 90 children.

There is danger of Brookline going license some of these years, unless the temperance people brace up. What a blow that would be to our aristocratic neighbors. The vote at the annual town meeting Thursday was 910 yes, to 1296 no. There were 764 in this rich town to vote against the eight-ho r day in a total of 2027 votes.

During the coming five year our city will undergo a vast transformation. Hardly a week goes by but what some great public improvement is announced. With the acquisition of the shore reservation and the building of the boulevard by the Metropolitan Park Commission; the acquiring of the summit of Third hill, and the erection thereon of a great ornamental standpipe and the converting of the grounds into a beautiful park; with the erection of a $75,000 government building near the City Square; with the erection of two new depots, one at Quincy and the other at Atlantic; with the erection of the Wollaston fire station, which judging from the plans will be highly artistic; with the abolishment of the grade crossings throughout the city; with the possibility of a new City Hall and Coddington school within that period; with the construction of the South Metropolitan sewer and our entrance thereto; with the building of a new bridge across Weymouth Fore river; and with the completion of the Sea street boulevard to Houghs Neck, makes a future for this municipality of which every citizen well may be proud. Whatever the city undertakes in the future let it be done well,—let it harmonize with these great public works.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ Attention is called by the Electrical Review to the act that in all the discussion of a trans-Pacific cable, little or nothing has been said about cable ships. These vessels are peculiar and expensive, and though there are something like thirty-five of them in existence, not one of the thirty-five flies the American flag, therefore, the Pacific cable is to be entirely of American production, we must have at least two cable ships, costing about $600,000 each, and they cannot be built in a day or a month. The expense of a plant for making ocean cables the Electrical Review puts at $1,000,000. It must be at the water's edge, in order that the cable may pass direct from the machines into the vessel's hold. The cable itself will cost about $13,000,000, and the total expenditures before a message is sent across the broadest of the seven seas is estimated at $20,000,000. Which is a lot of money from some points of view, though not so much from others.—Philadelphia Star.

Litchfield on Trial.

C. A. Pinkham of Wollaston was among the witnesses for the defence, on Thursday, at the trial of George E. Litchfield in the United States district court, charged with counterfeiting. Litchfield has been connected to some extent with newspaper work and the printing business in Boston for several years. He is said to have been allied with the Winthrop crowd of counterfeiters which was broken up last fall, and the principal of which, William Davis, is now serving a four years' sentence, he having confessed to a plot, in which he implicated Litchfield and also Porter N. Bliss, a photographer. The case against Bliss will be presented as soon as that of Litchfield has been disposed of. Davis alleged soon after his arrest, that Litchfield did the printing of the bills, and that Bliss had charge of the photogravure work.

Greek and Trusts.

The subject of the Senior debate at the Quincy High school on Wednesday was:

Resolved, that Greek should be taught in High schools.

The affirmative was taken by Miss Hayden, Miss Holbrooke and Mr. Lawton.

The negative by Mr. Loring and Miss Murphy.

Merits of question and merits of debate, both were in favor of the affirmative.

Critic, Miss Swain.

The Junior Debate was on the subject:

Resolved that trusts are a benefit to the United States.

Affirmative, Mr. Murphy, Miss McDonald and Miss A. Walker.

Negative, Miss Connelly, Miss Davidson, Mr. Wright.

Decided in favor of the negative.

Team D Won.

Teams D. and G. of the Merrymount Club rolled Thursday night. Team D won the first two and the third string was a tie.

TEAM D.

	1	2	3	Total
Freeman,	79	78	72	229
Glover,	77	70	85	232
Jameson,	78	72	75	225
*Stanley,	65	65	65	195
Lyman,	77	108	98	283
	376	393	395	1164

TEAM G.

	1	2	3	Total
F. M. Coe,	79	74	80	233
Bowker,	61	75	93	229
Thompson,	65	59	81	196
Hunting,	77	66	63	206
C. L. Coe,	75	69	78	222
	357	334	395	1086

*Stanley absent; average taken less five pins each string.

The Negro.

Rev. Henry Durham, Chaplain of the third North Carolina regiment in the late war, will address the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, on The Negro in the South. Mr. Durham is a Negro himself and representing the Slator Industrial School is able to talk very interestingly upon his subject. Music by boy's choir. All men are invited.

Vespers.

Music for vespers at the Unitarian church Sunday, April 1,

"Come my Soul thy Suit Prepare," Rutenber
"As Christ Upon the Cross," Bullard
"The Soft Sabbath Calm," Baruby-Shelley
"Jesus the very thought is sweet," Hosmer
"Before the throne of Glory," Nevin

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Atkinson have resigned as superintendent and matron of the Weymouth almshouse. They will be succeeded by Mr. and Mrs. William Brown of Hopkinton.

—Charles Spring of Hingham died on Thursday, aged 74 years. He was a deputy sheriff of Plymouth county for 20 years.

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HUMOR OF STRIKERS.

Difference Between Striker at Work and on a Strike.

One Strikes for the Boss, the Other for Himself.

Just a Vacation to Shake Off Nine-Hour Dust.

Editor of the Daily Ledger:

The humor, "which idleness and weariness beget," inclines to the grim rather than the flamboyant order. It is nevertheless quite often caustic and to the point. From the idle groups of stone cutters now on the streets of Quincy shoots intermittant flashes of wit and passes of dry biting sarcasm, that moves the listeners to smiles or frowns just as occasion requires.

That striking stone cutters can "toss the jow" is perhaps nothing remarkable, but as things are at present with them here, it may be of interest to note a few of the passages mostly in relation to the strike, that one might hear any hour of the day while moving among them.

The first of March was a kind of a gala-day, every cutter was happy and hopeful, they were not out on strike, only taking a short vacation until the new order of things could be fully arranged. One cutter dryly remarked "a strike! na na jist a day or twa t' hoast off th' cheap nine-hour dust."

This explanation was somewhat verified by a group further along the sidewalk, to an approaching striker came the question:

"Well, how'd like it?"

"Like what?"

"Vacation."

"Well, I can't strike on it anyway."

Perhaps the following was more to the point, if it did not, quite answer the question intended. It will be remembered the morning and forenoon of the 1st of March was very stormy, and only important business would take one outside. A party standing inside his doorway queried a passing cutter:

"What are you out for today?"

"Three dollars and eight hours," was the prompt reply.

Nothing more was said.

After a few days of the "vacation" had passed, and no signs of an immediate settlement, one striker ventured to suggest that the bosses couldn't have much work on hand.

"Work!" snapped another, "it ain't work they want its money."

Bosses are not all so high-minded as not to speak to their help when they meet them on the street, and one on his way down town eyed a few of his men standing on the corner, drew his horse and saluted them thus:

"Ain't you fellows foolish?"

The answer was "Yes, but we're goin' to take a few days and rub it out."

"Go to work and sweat it out," was the quick retort."

And the reply was: "That would be all right, if you didn't keep rubbing it in."

This conference exploded at end of the whip, and the horses had almost jumped, in one moment, too far to be heard a muttered "hump-thick-heads," which was promptly responded to with a well pronounced "skin flint." The above and what follows may not mean that there is any taint of misanthropy among the striking granite cutters, only the jagged point of the bosses seen at a sharp angle, and if the Quincy bosses have any resemblance to the "world old, arch enemy of man. It is only the cutters who see it, and very probably only a few at that.

But in a discussion on the trouble, one striker summed it up in this way, "The bosses here are like the devil; the more you give in to them, the worse they make it for you."

The striker however does not always turn his shafts of sarcasm on the bosses, but occasionaly pokes the temper of his fellow craftsmen in trouble.

Compliments like the following are not infrequent when in a teasing mood.

"The bosses won't offer you no minimum."

"No it's th' likes o' you they'll get for that."

Sometimes the improved appearance of the cutter since he quit work, is made the subject of a little pleasantry. One who has gained a few pounds of good flesh, was remarked on as "looking well."

"Yes," he replied "changed my diet, more gall and less dust."

Conundrums are sometimes resorted to for the sake of a little fun, and, if simple, they generally bear on the present state of affairs.

There may not be any difference between a cutter on strike, and a cutter at work, except in a general way.

A strike, however, has discovered that, "a cutter at work strikes for the boss, and when on strike he strikes for himself."

As day after day passes by and no apparent signs of a settlement, the question very naturally crops up whenever two or more of the beleaguerants meet. The other day we heard it put in all seriousness:

"When do you think it will be settled."

The answer shot out clear and emphatic:

"Just as soon as both sides find out what fools they have been."

Probably that won't occur until another event happens, of which we were notified at the close of an animated talk today.

"Settle!" said he, "go settle in your grave man, don't you know the bosses ain't goin' to settle this till H—freezes over." Observer.

Saw No Danger.

A rather amusing incident happened Thursday, when two little boys, aged three, of Old Colony street, decided to take a ride. They climbed into a milk wagon while the driver was in a neighboring house, and one taking the reins and the other the whip, the animal was started. At a lively pace he was driven up one street and down another, and it was with much sorrow on the part of the little fellows that their ride had to end when some larger boys saw the danger they were in and stopped the horse. The boys were returned to their home and worried parents unhurt and much pleased with their little experience.

Prizes at Whist.

Thirty-eight tables were in use Thursday evening at the whist party at Odd Fellows' hall. Prizes for the best scores were awarded as follows: East Wind placque, to George Weston; pocket book, to Charles Crane; china ash receiver and pipe, to George Crane; silver mounted memorandum book to Mrs. H. A. Feltis; white enamel jardinier stand to Mrs. Lackie; wedgewood violet jar, to Minnie Wilson; china salad dish, to Mrs. Emma Marnock; china pitcher, to Julia Merchant.

National Delegates.

The Republican City Committee met Thursday evening and fixed upon Tuesday, April 17, as the date for holding the caucuses.

At the caucuses delegates will be elected to the district convention which elects two delegates and two alternates to National convention. Delegates will also be elected to the State convention which elects four delegates at large and four alternates to the National convention.

The Democrats have already elected delegates to their National convention, the choice being made at the State convention last fall.

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CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

Sunday will be All Fool's day.

Tomorrow will be the last day of March.

The public schools close today for a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. Herbert Hayden's little son is in a critical condition.

Master Clifford Burns, who has been quite ill is convalescent.

Miss Collins will have her Easter opening of millinery, April 2, 3 and 4.

Miss Erminia Kolb teacher in Cochituate, is home on her April vacation.

George Peverly, clerk at the Hancock House, is going on the road selling self-heating flat-irons.

Mr. E. Gould's youngest child swallowed poison on Wednesday but is reported out of danger.

A sister of David K. Gage of West Quincy died suddenly in Tilton, N. H., last week, aged 51 years.

Many surmises are made as to what is the nature of the business that is soon to be started in Quincy.

Charles N. Ditson, a long resident of Quincy and an ex-Selectman, is moving to Huntington avenue, Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ellis of Crescent street are receiving congratulation on the birth of a daughter.

Miss Rose Cunniff of Charles street was confined to her home the past week with an attack of the grip.

W. Walter Ewell and John Blagdon captured the prizes at the Granite City club whist Wednesday evening.

The musical of Miss Graham at Bethany church Thursday evening was an enjoyable occasion for her many friends.

Frank E. Burrell and Frank Cooledge, two Quincy Point residents, have gone into the meat and provision business at South Braintree.

J. W. Pratt has built many attractive houses in the vicinity of Independence avenue, and has a few more to sell at popular prices.

Rev. Herbert W. Wells, the rector at Waltham, will give the lecture this evening at Christ church. Rev. W. R. Breed will speak at Waltham.

The next regular meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian Alliance branch will be held in the vestery on the afternoon of Wednesday, April 4. An Interesting speaker will be present and all ladies are cordially invited.

The alarm from Box 43, at 7.32, Thursday night, was for a slight fire in the house of Peter Farrell, off Common street, caused by a lamp exploding. The damage was slight. A recall sounded five minutes after the alarm.

Commissioner Knowlton opened bids Wednesday for water pipe. Five bids were received ranging from $26.70 per ton to $33.40 per ton. The award was given the United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co. of Philadelphia, the lowest bidder.

The funeral of Mr. William Craig announced to be held Saturday from Franklin street, will be held from Christ church at 2.30 o'clock. It will be attended by Rural lodge of Masons, South Shore commandery, K. T., and other Masonic bodies.

The joint Committees on Finance, Fire Department and Public Buildings held another meeting Wednesday evening, and considered the order for a new fire station at Wollaston. The committee decided to omit the wardroom from the building, and to report an order for $15,000.

A very pleasing birthday party was tendered to Miss Alda Shay Wednesday evening at her residence, Hamilton street, in honor of her seventeenth birthday, many of her friends being present. Games and a grand good time was enjoyed. Later in the evening at her residence, Hamilton, Miss Shay was presented with a beautiful opal ring, and there were also numerous other gifts from friends. Music was rendered through the evening by Mrs. Ernest Shay, Miss Lena Cleaves and Miss Eldred. Dancing was also one of the attractions. Refreshments were served. Miss Shay's friends wished her many more happy birthdays.

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Pressing, Altering and Repairing done in a first-class manner at the lowest prices.

Lace Curtains, Blankets, Piano Covers, Carriage Robes, Bath Rugs, Rugs, etc., cleansed.

Men's Straw and Felt Hats Cleansed 25 to 50c
Kid Slippers Cleansed, 15 and 25c.
Neckties Cleansed, 10c.
Gloves Cleansed, 10 and 15c.

March 30. tf

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The Lowest Department Store Prices in the State.

Main Store, and the entire upper portion of Tirrell's Block devoted to our mammouth stock.

Gray Enamel Ware. Everything you can think of.

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Crockery. Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, Tea Sets, Stone China, English and French China, odd pieces in fancy and decorated ware.

Whist Prizes. Over 500 articles suitable for whist prizes at popular prices.

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NINETY YEARS OLD.

Birthday Reception of Mrs. Susan Weld Curtis.

On Thursday, at the home of her niece, Mrs. Anne Vinton, at Norfolk Downs, Mrs. Susan Weld Curtis, celebrated her ninetieth birthday. Four generations of her progenitors were present, and numerous friends from far and near, called to greet her on this notable occasion, bringing loving tokens of rememberance. A poem written for the occasion by her nephew, Mr. A. J. Preston, was read by one of the great grand children as follows:

Warp of joy, and woof of sorrow,
Weaveth time's unceasing loom,
Here today, and gone tomorrow,
Pilgrims marching to the tomb.

Countless millions, Earth hath greeted,
Countless millions passed away,
Since those dear old eyes first opened,
Ninety years ago today.

As the "Pole Star" in the heavens
Sinks not, with its mates at dawn,
So God's love and wisdom keeps you,
While your old mates, all are gone.

Freedom's tree hath bloomed and blossomed;
Slavery's chains have dropped away
Since your heart began its beating,
Ninety years ago today.

Countless blessings God hath sent thee,
Faith and hope to light thy way,
Since you entered life's long journey,
Ninety years ago today.

Children's children love and greet you,
For your comfort, hope and pray,
Grateful for the gift God sent them,
Ninety years ago today.

Passing through the "Golden Portal,"
You will not a stranger be,
Parents, husband, sisters, brothers,
There will wait to welcome thee.

Twilight shadows gently closing,
Burdens past; and work all done,
Tender, loving voice will call thee,
Dear old pilgrim—welcome home!

Mrs. Curtis is a well preserved old lady, with a sweet bright face and a profusion of lovely soft white hair, her sight and hearing are remarkable for one of her advanced years. The daughter of Edward Preston of Dorchester and Rebecca Weld of Roxbury, she was born in Harrison Square, Dorchester; married in 1829 Ebenezer Curtis, who died in 1877.

The old house still stands in which she was born on March 29, 1810, during the administration of James Madison, the fourth President of the United States. It is difficult to realize, that there is one among us today, whose memory goes back to the times when Napoleon Bonaparte was in the zenith of his fame. Mrs. Curtis was five years old when the great battle of Waterloo was fought and over fifty years old when our great Civil war broke out.

It is a remarkable fact that during all her long life she has spent only five dollars for doctors' services in actual sickness.

Preston's Point, now Commercial Point, in Dorchester was a wedding gift to her grandfather. It was here in 1797 that her father started the first plant for the manufacture of salt in New England. He found after several years' experience, that the seasons were too short for success in that business. He managed, however, to manufacture enough to "salt down" nearly all his assets, which was probably a blessing in disguise, as his heirs had no occasion to quarrel over them, and hence, grew up to be industrious God fearing, men and women. I have never measured them, but should judge that Mrs. Curtis has braided mats enough during the past fifty years to reach from the Neponset river to South Scituate, if they were stretched out in a single rope, and she still keeps busy and loves to work. That she may live to celebrate her hundredth birthday, is the sincere wish of her numerous relatives and friends. A. J. P.

Ice Supply Secured.

Although the Meadow Brook Ice Co. were not fortunate enough to cut any ice upon their own pond the past winter, they have been fortunate in securing an ample supply from New Hampshire so that they will have no difficulty in supplying their customers with all the ice needed. The ponds in New Hampshire are remarkably free from contaminating matter and the ice that is now being unloaded from the cars at South Quincy and stored in their houses is as handsome ice as one often sees. None of it is less than twelve inches in thickness and it runs from that to twenty-four inches. The snow has all been planed off and the massive cakes are as clear as crystal. In fact being almost transparent.

The company purchased between 1,700 and 1,800 tons, which required nearly one hundred cars to transport. A gang of twenty-five or thirty men are at work unloading the cars, and they will unload from twelve to thirteen cars per day. The unloading process is quite interesting, and does not lack for spectators. A car is shunted onto a spur track running into Kavanagh Bros., yard, and from this a run has been built to the ice houses. Several men are kept in the car sliding the huge cakes onto the run when it is passed from man to man to the ice house where it is stored away by another gang, and then covered with shavings to keep it from melting.

MILTON.

The funeral of Mr. John B. Kendrick was held on Wednesday afternoon from his late residence on Adams street and although private, was largely attended by relatives, neighbors and friends, also prominent members of the Boston Athletic Association, Newton Athletic club and the Unquity club. The casket was almost buried beneath the floral tributes which were very beautiful.

The Boston Athletic Association sent a massive broken wreath of lilies, ferns and roses, with sickle of pinks, mounted on a pedestal of ferns and pansies. It stood over six feet high and came from Boston in a special carriage which also took it to the cemetery. The employes of the Boston Athletic Association sent a floral anchor of roses and pinks. There were also wreaths from the Unquity club, and tributes from the Newton club, relatives and friends.

The Rev. A. H. Mulnix officiated and spoke feelingly of the upright and sterling qualities of the deceased. The pall bearers were: Messrs. J. Albert Simpson, A. A. Brackett, Richard Folsom, and Alfred Amadon. The burial was in the old Codman cemetery at Dorchester.

Hugh Hamilton of Pierce street has bought the Staples house on Sheldon street.

The Thursday Evening club were the guests of the Unquity club Thursday evening.

Samuel J. Curtis has gone into the venetian pottery business, and is meeting with good success.

The entertainment at the Congregational church Wednesday drew a large audience. A very fine programme was rendered consisting of vocal and instrumental music and readings.

A lively contest is expected at the special election next Tuesday for the choice of a representative to the General Court, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George R. R. Rivers.

Arthur Gardner, who as been confined to the house for a week with the grip is about again.

A special meeting of the Unquity club was held Wednesday evening at which resolutions were passed on the death of John B. Kendrick, who was one of its board of managers.

Samuel M. Osgood, one of East Milton's aged residents, died Thursday after a brief illness of the grip. He was about 83 years of age and leaves a widow and two sons.

William Glover, a well known resident of Milton, died suddenly, Wednesday, in a car of the Boston, Milton and Brockton street railway. Mr. Glover boarded a car at Milton at 4.50 P. M., and while waiting for the car to start sat talking to a friend. Suddenly he fell over and expired. He was taken to the Milton police station, where the remains were viewed by the medical examiner, who pronounced death due to heart disease. He was 54 years of age, and leaves a widow and one son. He lived on Hillside street.

Strike Pay.

Messrs. Alex. Mundy and William Elrick, of the press Committee of the Quincy branches of the National Granite Cutters Union, deny the report that the pay days for strike pay are few and far between. They claim that there has been no violations of agreements and that the cutters will be paid in full this week. The visit of National Secretary Duncan to Washington this week occasioned a few days delay, but the members understand the reason fully.

On Thursday about $6000 was distributed, the men receiving about $12 each. This would make about 500 who are receiving strike Pay.

Milford May Settle.

A Worcester dispatch of Thursday says, it is expected that Norcross Bros. and the Milford granite cutters will come to an agreement similar to that signed by the Stony Creek cutters employed by the Worcester firm. This is a wage rate of thirty-three cents an hour and a work day of eight hours. The agreement between the cutters employed by the Webb Granite 7-8 Construction Company and the members of the firm is on the same basis.

Music Hall Losses.

The losses by the recent fire in Music Hall block have all been adjusted. The total loss on building and contents was $28,450, divided as follows: Real Estate and Trust Co., $15,750; Boston Bargain store $8,300; John H. Gillis, $700; Quincy Clothing Co., $3,500; Marchetti fruit store, $200.

—Instead of beieg twelve days behind the rest of the world, Russia is now 13—1900 is a leap year in the Julian calendar, so that February had 29 days. March 1 in Russia was March 14 in the United States.

A Card.
We the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
E. J. MURPHY,
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BOERS AND THE BRITISH

An Austrian Officer's Views on Their Respective Tactics.

LACK OF DISCIPLINE IN BOER ARMY

Count Sternberg Says European Officers Can Do Little With Burghers, Who Think Themselves Cleverer and Fight on Different Plan. Praises British Army, but Condemns Generalship.

The New York Herald's European edition recently published the following:

Count Adelbert Sternberg, a distinguished Austrian officer who fought with the Boers under Cronje and was taken prisoner at Paardeberg, has just arrived in Paris.

To a correspondent the count said:

"The foreign officers with the Boer forces have accomplished little. The Boer has no high opinion of European officers. He believes that he is much cleverer than they. It is also difficult when one cannot speak the language to exercise command in an army which has a tactical organization that depends on the good will of each unit and not on strict discipline.

"Besides, every European officer is inspired by one principle—that of offensive warfare. The Boer only knows one principle—that of defensive warfare, which is made dependent on the greatest saving of human life.

"The unsatisfactory organization of the Boer army prevents any central leadership. Thus during a battle there is no movement of troops to support a hardly pressed part of the line of battle.

"But the worst part of the Boer tactics is that there is absolutely no scouting service. General Cronje made a mistake, but I doubt if he could have saved the situation. His mistake was that he was entirely ignorant of the movements of the English and took no trouble to find out. When the enemy were all around him, he still insisted on believing that a frontal attack was intended and said, 'Let the English come on.'

"He thought the turning movement of Roberts was only a feint to get him to weaken his center. That is why he remained at Magersfontein and only began his retreat when he was already surrounded.

"As regards the British soldiers, I can only say that our troops, with their existing training and present rules of war, would have done no better. I have learned to admire the English army without shutting my eyes to the mistakes that were made.

"I am, however, convinced that our generalship is better. The English leading of men was too ruthless in regard to loss of human life."

PAN-AMERICAN SHOW.

Artistic Building Designed For a Wonderful Electrical Exhibit.

Elaborate designs have recently been completed for the electricity building for the Pan-American exposition to be held at Buffalo May 1 to Oct. 31, 1901. Displays of all kinds in the practical and artistic uses of electricity, together with complete exhibits of electrical machinery and appliances, are to be conspicuous features of the great exposition.

The designs contemplate a very handsome and commodious building. The structure is to be 500 feet from east to west and 150 feet wide, giving an exhibition space of 75,000 square feet.

The south facade fronts the mall, and the north fronts the midway. The east end is toward the massive electric tower, while the west end faces the grand canal. The building is long, low and inviting. The design of the facades shows artistic grouping. The openings of the pergolalike loggias, placed at frequent intervals, present a delightful effect, showing more and more of the reveals of the pilasters and openings as the eye travels to the end of the building farthest away from the observer.

There is a pleasing ending at each corner of the building, with a low domed pavilion tower, and the building is interrupted at the center by the double towered entrance. This entrance, wide and high, is spanned by an ornamental arch and supported each side by columns. The towers also have minor entrances through them.

The connecting work between the towers, the towers themselves, the pavilions at the corners of the buildings and similar places are to be brilliantly illuminated and made gay with banners and flags.

The modeled relief work of the building is of choicest design. The general ornamentation of the building is to be frescoes in an interesting mixture of reds, greens and yellows. The general color scheme follows that of the machinery and transportation building and other groups of buildings of the exposition.

New Mineral Found.

A 15 inch fissure vein of copper ore was recently discovered crossing the lode at the Mohawk mine, near Houghton, Mich., and at first it was thought to be copper sulphuret. It proves to be an absolutely new mineral, never before determined by mineralogists, says the New York Sun. Professor George A. Koenig, the scientist of Houghton, whose authority is recognized in Europe and America, has conducted extensive experiments with the mineral and pronounces it a combination of copper, nickel and arsenic, possessing great value. He has named the mineral "mohawkite," from the mine where it was found.

IVORY SOAP PASTE.

In fifteen minutes, with only a cake of Ivory Soap and water, you can make a better cleansing paste than you can buy.

Ivory Soap Paste will take spots from clothing; and will clean carpets, rugs, kid gloves, slippers, patent, enamel, russet leather and canvas shoes, leather belts, painted wood-work and furniture. The special value of Ivory Soap in this form arises from the fact that it can be used with a damp sponge or cloth to cleanse many articles that cannot be washed because they will not stand the free application of water.

DIRECTIONS FOR MAKING.—To one pint of boiling water add one and one-half ounces (one-quarter of the small size cake) of Ivory Soap cut into shavings, boil five minutes after the soap is thoroughly dissolved. Remove from the fire and cool in convenient dishes (not tin). It will keep well in an air-tight glass jar. COPYRIGHT 1899 BY THE PROCTER & GAMBLE CO. CINCINNATI

The Quarry Sales.

The real estate sales recorded the past week include the transfers of the granite quarries to the Quincy Granite Quarries Co. Fourteen in the list of 27 were on this account as will be seen below:

Andrew Milne to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.
John Cashman to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.
Walter Berry et al to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.
Luther S. Anderson to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.
Catherine E. Kelley to Old Colony Railroad Co., $1.
William E. Macurda to Walter S. Pinkham, $1.
Prisco Melchionda et ux to William G. A. Pattee, $1.
Quincy Savings Bank to William F. Stedman, $1.
Winthrop H. Chick to Della Landers, $1.
Winthrop H. Chick to Michael Landers, $1.
Dennis Cashman to John S. Gramer, $1.
Edith A. Costain to Elizabeth Costain et al, $1.
Charles P. Hutchins to Annie M. Keating, $1.
Henry H. Savage et al, trs., to Delia A. Harkin, $1.
Charles F. Adams et al, trs., to Emily A. Gould, $1.
George H. Williams et ux to John E. Shea, $1.
John E. Shea to Elizabeth M. Williams, $1.
Quincy Quarry Co. to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.
Prout Brothers' Granite Co. to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.
Charles F. Adams, 2d, et al, supervisors, to George H Hitchcock, $1.
George H. Hitchcock to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.
Peter T. Fallon et al to Quincy Granite Quarries Co. (2), $2.
Horace B. Spear et al to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.
Charles F. Adams, 2d, et al, supervisors, to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.
William R. Thomas to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.
George S. Patterson to Quincy Granite Quarries Co., $1.

Civil Trial List.

The following cases are marked for trial at the civil session of the district court in Quincy next Tuesday:

465—Stetson vs. Nelson et al.
43—Vinton vs. Cunningham et al.
45—Lyons vs. Barry.
77—Bradeen vs. Field.

MARRIED.

KOEGLER—OLLER—In Quincy, March 29, by Edgar G. Cleaves, justice of the peace, Mr. John A. Koegler to Miss Minnie Oller, both of Quincy.

DIED.

CRAIG—In Quincy, March 27, Mr. William Craig, aged 45 years, 5 months and 5 days. Funeral Saturday, March 31, from Christ church at 2.30 P. M.
OSGOOD—In East Milton, March 29, Mr. Samuel M. Osgood, aged 81 years and 5 months.
GLOVER—In Milton, March 28, Mr. William Glover of Hillside street, aged 54 years.

IF YOU ARE GOING TO BUY A HOME

This season, remember I am offering bargains which can't be matched by any builder or real estate owner in the city. I am going to build a number of first class, stylish, modern Houses, ranging in price from $2,000 to $4,000, and shall offer them at the same low prices which prevailed last season. These houses are to be built on Independence and Federal avenues, and are the best lots in South Quincy. Handy to steam and electrics, good neighbors, and every lot is dry. The first of these at No. 25 Independence avenue is now completed and will be cheerfully shown to all parties, whether intending to purchase or not; 6 rooms and bath, besides finished attic and basement. This is a corner lot. Also another of six rooms and bath, nearly finished, at No. 31 Independence avenue. This lot bounds on two streets. Favorable terms will be made to responsible parties on either of above.
J. W. PRATT, Builder,
March 24-1m 4 Bennington street.

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Wanted--Driving Horse,
Not over 7; sound; weight about 1,050 and good driver. Address Box 524, Brockton.
March 29. 2t

WANTED—Protestant Girl for general housework. One willing to go to New Hampshire for the summer. Apply at 26 Spear street, Quincy. March 27-5t

TO LET.

TO LET—Double House, seven rooms each, city water, No. 28 Granite street, near City square. Apply to LEWIS BASS.
March 30. tf

TO LET—House, 8 rooms, city water, No. 7 Faxon Ave., now occupied by Warren D. Higgins. HENRY H. FAXON.
Mar. 26. 1m

TO LET—On Elm Street. One-half of double house, five rooms and attic. City water. Apply on premises. S. C POPE, 31 Elm St. March 26-tf

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FOR SALE—One 100-egg Prairie State Incubator. Eggs from A-1 Barred Plymouth Rocks. A few Setting Hens. Call at No. 17 Field street, Quincy. March 29-3t

Wagons For Sale.
ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO.
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SUITE of three rooms on third floor in Quincy Savings Bank Building. Suitable for lodge or association purposes.
CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

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The Houses are in complete repair.
Farm, 50 acres, house and outbuildings, head Summer street.
Large store, 162 Hancock street, city water dry cellar and workshop.
House, 7 rooms, 12 Washington street.
Half House, 8 rooms, 16 Cottage street, with stable.
Half House, 4 rooms, 19 Kidder street.
Half House, 5 rooms, city water, 13 Field street.
Three tenements, 51 Howard street, Quincy Neck.
Double House, 4 rooms in each half, 15 Brackett street.
Half House, 6 rooms, Pond street. Land with same if desired.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
Stable with city water, 28 Coddington street. $5 per month.
Stable and sheds near Quincy Centre on Coddington street. $4.00 per month.
Small stable, No. 2 Quincy street. $3 per month.
100 Windows and Blinds for sale.
Wharf, with office, blacksmith shops, etc. Quincy Neck.
Basement, head of Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage or pasturing purposes.
Gravel suitable for cementing, concreting and roofing for sale.
Fifty loads of loam for sale.
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Quincy, March 13, 1900. 1m

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A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a. m.	Full Moon	16	5:12 a. m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a. m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a. m.
New Moon	30	3:30 p. m.			

Didn't Forget Them.

Visitor—And are you the eldest?

Daughter of the House—No; I'm the eldest but two.

Visitor—Who are the other two?

Daughter of the House—Father and mother.—Fun.

Mountains of Salt.

Sardinia is the place where almost all the salt, which is a state monopoly consumed in Italy is produced. It comes from near Cagliari, where for several miles there is nothing but salt to be seen—in pyramids, mounds, almost mountains. For this work about 3,000 men are employed, most of whom are convicts. The wages range from 20 cents to $1 a day, according to the work, of which the convicts receive only half. However, they succeed sometimes in leaving their prison with enough savings to enable them to start anew honestly, often becoming in their old age respectable, responsible persons. The salt works produce about 200,000 tons yearly.—San Francisco Argonaut.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

Rain and snow occurred from the middle Mississippi valley eastward through the Ohio valley to the middle Atlantic coast. Fair weather is indicated for New England. The high area in the northwest will drift slowly eastward, and temperatures somewhat below the seasonal average may be expected east of the Mississippi river for two or three days. On the New England coast winds will be fresh, and mostly northerly.

Oystermen to Form a Combination.

New York, March 30.—D. C. Sanford of New Haven, who is at present in this city organizing a combination of the oystermen of New York state, New Jersey, Connecticut and Rhode Island, says that he has secured options on 85 percent of the oyster business in this territory. The oystermen, he says, are anxious for the formation of a combination.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Death of Millionaire Reynolds.

Monson, Mass., March 30.—Theodore Reynolds, 57, who was reputed to be worth almost $10,000,000, and was owner of two woolen mills and a straw shop here, and third largest stockholder of the Boston and Albany railroad, died Thursday evening, after a supposedly slight illness. He leaves a half brother, Eli Reynolds of Medway, but the disposal of the property is causing anxiety among those who have it in charge.

—The Ram's Horn has noticed that men always begin to differ when they begin to think.

UNANIMOUS DECISION.

United States and England Share Delagoa Bay Railroad Award.

Tribune of Arbitration Orders Portugal to Pay $4,650,000.

This Is In Addition to $140,000 Paid on Account Ten Years Ago.

Berne, March 30.—The tribunal of arbitration yesterday announced the long-awaited award in the Delagoa Bay railroad case.

Portugal is condemned to pay to the United States and England the sum of 15,314,000 francs, equal to about $3,000,000. With interest at 5 percent since 1899, the total will be about $4,650,000, in addition to $140,000 paid on account in 1890. This makes the total cost to Portugal $4,790,000.

The following is the text of the decision: "The Portuguese government, as the defending party, is condemned to pay to the government of the United States and to Great Britain, the claimants, altogether, in addition to the $140,000 paid on account in 1890, the sum of 15,314,000 francs in legal Swiss money, with simple interest on this sum at the rate of 5 percent per annum from June 25, 1889, up to the date of payment of said sum.

"This sum, after deducting of what is necessary to defray the cost of arbitration falling on the claimants, and in addition to the balance of $140,000 paid on account in 1890, shall be employed in the payment of bondholders and other creditors, if there is need, of the Delagoa Bay Railroad company, according to their standing.

"The claimants will draw up a scale of distribution for this purpose. The Portuguese government will have to pay into the hands of the government of the United States the sum which, according to said scale, shall accrue to McMurdo, represented by said government in its quality of bond-holding creditor of the first and second degrees. It will pay the surplus to the government of Great Britain for the benefit of all others having rights.

"The cost of arbitration, according to a scale to be drawn up in accordance with clause 5, of the arbitration compromise, will be borne in equal parts by the three parties to the suit, that is to say, a third part to each of them.

"An authentic copy of the present award will be delivered through the intermediary of the Swiss federal council to each of the three parties to the case.

The award is unanimous.

Passengers' Lives Jeopardized.

New York, March 29.—A new source of danger manifested itself yesterday in the Manunka Chunk tunnel on the Lackawanna railroad in New Jersey. When a passenger train was passing through the tunnel both the engineer and fireman were overcome by gas and dropped unconscious. When the train emerged, the conductor realized that something was wrong and found the men senseless in the cab. He acted as engineer until Oxford was reached. There the men soon revived.

Caught Fire at Her Pier.

New York, March 30.—Shortly before 3 o'clock this morning the steamship Old Dominion, lying at pier 35, East river, was discovered to be on fire. Captain Durkie and a crew of 40 men were on board at the time the fire broke out. They were aroused by the flames, which appeared to come from the crank shaft of the engine room, which is located amidships. Three alarms were turned in. Captain Durkie thinks that all on board have been rescued.

Successful Liquor Raid.

Brockton, March 30.—Spurred to summary action by numerous complaints, the police raided the "Dempsey Farm," so-called, just over the Abington line, and seized a large quantity of liquor. Dempsey was arrested. Incidentally, Daniel Wilkins was taken into custody, charged with shooting Daniel Hylands, during a row on Wednesday at the farm, with intent to kill.

Annulment of Measure Demanded.

Constantinople, March 30.—The porte has informed the United States legation that in future the importation of American pork will be prohibited, giving as a reason for the prohibition that the meat is injurious to the public health. Lloyd C. Griscom, United States charge d'affaires, protested energetically, demanding the annulment of the measure.

Died at Age of 103.

Plymouth, Mass., March 30.—Felicity Pickard died at the home of her son on Bradford street Thursday. She was one of the oldest white persons in the United States, being 103 years, 9 months and 16 days old. She was born in France and removed to this country when quite young. Until very recently her mind was clear and her health good.

Reformer Still In Custody.

London, March 30.—The Hong Kong correspondent of The Times says: Kwong Yu Pui, a member of the Chinese reform party, was recently abducted from here and taken to Canton. The governor of Hong Kong and the British consul at Canton have protested to Li Hung Chang, but Kwong is still detained.

Can't Show In Smoky City.

Pittsburg, March 30.—Mrs. Langtry, who is booked to appear at the Alvin theatre in this city next Monday week, will not be permitted to produce her play, "The Degenerates." This was decided by Mayor Diehl, who received numerous protests against the production of the play, on the ground that it is immoral.

Anti-Pool Room Bill Passed.

Albany, March 30.—The Sanders bill, which will effectually close up the pool rooms, was passed in the assembly yesterday without debate by a vote of 79 ayes to 12 nays.

THE FALL RIVER CONTROVERSY.

Textile Council Secretary Intimates That Arbitration Proposition May Be Accepted.

Fall River, Mass., March 30.—In view of a remark made in Boston by Secretary Tansey of the Textile council, the manufacturers feel that the matter of forming a sliding scale is not altogether hopeless. Secretary Tansey is the president of the council, and when his attention was called to the possibility of arbitration in the formation of a standard from which to work out a scale, he said he did not understand that the manufacturers meant, when they talked as they did at the conference, that they were willing to leave the matter out. He told in detail how the manufacturers mentioned arbitration.

There was no disposition on the part of the manufacturers to allow the union secretaries to see the mill books, but Simeon B. Chase, treasurer of the King Philip mills, volunteered the information that he was willing to allow any disinterested party whose integrity was unquestioned to look over his books to see if the statements made about the basis of a scale were not correct. Treasurer Shove of the Granite mills said that he felt the same way. But Mr. Tansey said he did not understand that it was implied that the manufacturers were willing to arbitrate on the whole matter.

If they did, he for one was very glad to accept such a chance for arriving at a settlement. He thought that all the other members of the council would feel the same way. The possibility of a judge of the higher courts consenting to act struck him as a very wise thing. So, if the manufacturers want to pursue the matter further, they now have only to indicate their wishes.

Machinists' Difficulties May Soon End.

Chicago, March 30.—The Record says: Striking machinists in the United States may return to work Monday, pending a settlement of the strike by a board of arbitration. The board of arbitration will consist of President O'Connell of the International Association of Machinists, and President Seldon of the National Metal Workers' association, each of whom will select two others from their respective associations, the board to have full power to act in settling existing difficulties. The sessions of the board will be in Chicago. It is estimated that there are 8500 machinists now out who will be affected by the decision.

Boston's Exhibit at Paris.

Boston, March 30.—The exhibit this city will make at the Paris exposition is complete. It is a model in plaster of the metropolitan district, covering a radius of 12½ miles from the state house, constructed on the scale of five inches to the mile. It was compiled by Mr. Curtis. There are some 250 miles of railroad, with cuts, bridges, embankments, 300 miles of stream, modelled and painted, and 200,000 trees. There are 26,000 blocks and single houses, each correctly located. There are 2750 miles of streets, each being modelled to scale. Dwelling houses to the number of 157,000 are located and built up from their mapped ground plan.

An Heiress to General Wood.

Havana, March 30.—Mrs. Wood, wife of the governor general, gave birth to a 10-pound girl yesterday. Mother and child are doing well. The records of Havana do not show the birth here of any other governor general's child. Under the Spanish regime the wife of a governor general, when expecting to be a mother, invariably left for Spain that the child might be born there. The Discussion said of the event: We wish all happiness to the governor general, to his wife and to the Cuban little girl, who, we hope, will be a fervent partisan of the independence of her native country.

Denied Themselves Necessaries of Life.

Providence, March 30.—Thomas Bocock, 75 years of age, was found dead at noon Thursday on the floor of the basement at 39 Bowen street, where he lived, and his wife, Mary, 73, was found in a critical condition on her bed and died Thursday night. Medical Examiner Palmer says Bocock died from want and exposure, and that Mrs. Bocock, when found, was suffering from the same causes. The couple are reported to have had considerable money in the bank, but would not use it to purchase the necessaries of life.

"Rum Rules Church and State."

Providence, March 30.—Yesterday afternoon's session of the New England conference was the temperance anniversary. Rev. Charles A. Crane, D. D., of Boston gave the address on "Rum, the American King." He said: "This king rules church and state; taxation in his favor is a greater burden than all other put together. Laws are enacted and nullified at will and Sabbath observance overridden. The corrupt influence of the saloon permeates all society, muzzles the pulpit and controls our municipal government."

A Compromise Agreement.

Buffalo, March 30.—An agreement has been reached by the Carpenters' union and Carpenter Contractors' association whereby a strike has been averted. The carpenters demanded a minimum rate of 30 cents an hour, eight hours to constitute a day's work. The agreement reached provides for an eight-hour day, the men to receive 25 cents an hour for rough work and 30 cents an hour for finishing. Time and a half will be paid for overtime and double time for Sundays and holidays.

Boers Denounced as Slaveholders.

Philadelphia, March 30.—At yesterday's session of the Delaware Methodist Episcopal conference a resolution denouncing the Boers as slaveholders was unanimously adopted. The conference is composed of colored preachers and laymen of Delaware, Maryland and a portion of Pennsylvania. The slavery complained of was the present apprenticeship system in vogue in the Boer republic.

Was a War Veteran.

Concord, N. H., March 30.—Darius Merrill, chief clerk of the pension bureau, died Thursday, aged 73. He was a veteran of the Civil war. He had held office in the pension bureau for many years and also had served as clerk to the state treasurer. He stood high in Masonry.

CHILD BRUTALLY ASSAULTED.

Man Thought to Be a Lunatic Pounded Her Until She Became Unconscious.

Danvers, Mass., March 30.—Ruth Allen, aged 6, was on her way home from school at the dinner hour Thursday, and while passing along a sparsely settled road she was followed by a man, who is believed to be a lunatic. Engaging himself in conversation with the little girl he enticed her into a field and there informed her that he was going to kill her, as well as two or three other girls in the neighborhood.

The girl gives a well-connected story, and is of the opinion that when the man left her he believed she was dead. She says that immediately after her assailant informed her that he was going to kill her he commenced to pound and kick her, and then she says she thought she was going to sleep. She must have remained unconscious for nearly an hour, and recovering she dragged herself to the house of Henry Berry. She was in a serious condition, her face badly cut and her body covered with bruises, where the fiend had kicked and pounded her.

When her father arrived she told him that she went to sleep just as the man had raised a stick to strike her. Physicians reported that there had not been a felonious assault attempted, and that her wounds wholly resulted from the blows of the man, who undoubtedly believed the girl was dead after she became unconscious.

Ruth is an unusually bright girl, and the affair has created excitement in this section. The police have a good description of the man, who has been seen several times in this town during the past few weeks, and it is thought he will soon be captured.

Refusal to Quash Indictment.

Boston, March 30.—Charles H. Cole, late president of the Globe National bank, came up for arraignment in the United States district court on Thursday before Judge Lowell, on the indictment charging him with misapplication of the funds of the bank and with making false entries in the books. The exceptions taken in behalf of the defendant to the decision overruling his demurrer, and the motion to quash the indictment, were called to the attention of his honor, who noted the exceptions and handed them to the clerk, and also denied the motion to quash without hearing arguments. Cole was then called, and having been acquainted with the offense charged by the clerk, he entered a plea of not guilty.

Man Killed and House Wrecked.

Saxton's River, Vt., March 30.—The attempt to thaw out dynamite in a stove yesterday resulted in a terrific explosion, which caused the death of Francis Farr, aged 50, the serious injury of Gladys Stoodley, aged 7, and the wrecking of a small house. The explosion was in the house of E. H. Stoodley, near which blasting operations were in progress. Farr, a workman, was trying to thaw out the dynamite at the stove, and in some way not clearly determined the powerful stuff was detonated.

The Ubiquitous Aguinaldo.

Takoma, Wash., March 30.—Captain Conradi of the transport Garonne, from Manila, reports that Aguinaldo, according to reports current there, is able to visit Manila in disguise almost as often as he wishes. How this is accomplished no one seems to know, but it is known positivey that he attended a grand masked ball at Manila on New Year's night, and has been seen there several times since. He is heard from occasionally, as being first in one place and then in another.

New Feature in Fishing Vessels.

Gloucester, Mass., March 30.—The large fishing vessel, Helen Miller Gould, was launched at the yard of John Bishop, in this city, yesterday. With the building of this vessel begins a radical departure in the mode of fishing from this port, the vessel being provided with auxiliary power, having, in addition to her sails, a 130-horse-power engine. She is the most costly fishing vessel ever built in this section.

Dallas Machinists Strike.

Dallas, March 30.—All machinists in Munger's cotton machinery manufacturing works, the largest of the kind in the world, went on strike yesterday. The men refused to do extra work required by the company and the International Association of Machinists authorized the strike.

Cut In Two by Circular Saw.

Gorham, Me., March 30.—Moses Stanley, aged 65, superintendent of Bickford & Co.'s new steam sawmill, was operating a circular saw Thursday night, when he attempted to fix a nut and lost his balance, falling directly in front of the revolving saw. He was cut in two.

Tom Reed's Daughter a Lawyer.

New York, March 30.—Forty-eight young women were graduated last night from the woman's law class of the University of New York. Miss Katherine Reed, daughter of ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed, was one of the number.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Chief Wilkie of the secret service announces the discovery of a very poor counterfeit $1 treasury note, check letter B, series 1891, B. K. Bruce, register.

The lady who gave $250,000 to St. Bartholomew's church, New York, to establish a clinic is said to be Mrs. Caroline C. Hoagland.

The Shah of Persia has appointed Mofakham Ed Dowleh minister plenipotentiary of Persia to the United States. The Persian mission here has been vacant for some years past.

The president has nominated Captain Charles S. Cotton to be rear admiral.

Dr. Francis S. Barbarin, for 27 years the curator of the Corcoran art gallery at Washington, is dead. He was born in Newport, R. I., 67 years ago.

The steamer Bermuda, which acquired notoriety as a filibuster during the Spanish-Cuban war, was sold at public auction at Philadelphia, to satisfy claims of creditors, for $36,750.

A man giving the name of John Prew and claiming to hail from Burlington, Vt., was arrested at Lowell for alleged attempt at suicide by asphyxiation at the Washington tavern.

CUBA'S BRIGHT FUTURE

Secretary Root Talks of His Visit to the Island.

NATIVES FRIENDLY TO EDUCATION

Cubans Making Progress Toward Self Government—Many In Office. Difficulties In the Way of Elections—Annexation Not a Present Question—Army In Good Condition.

Secretary Root and his party recently returned to Washington, making the last stage of their journey from Cuba by rail from Charleston, S. C., where they landed the other day. To the New York Sun reporter who talked with him the secretary expressed himself as very much pleased with what he had seen and heard while in Cuba. The island was tranquil, he said, and almost everybody appeared to be satisfied with the manner in which Cuban affairs were being conducted by the United States government.

"The real political situation is, I think," said the secretary, "that the Cubans are beginning to understand that steady progress is being made toward the establishment of their government, and I think they will be satisfied as soon as they appreciate that. I do not think they wish the present condition of affairs to continue always, but the strongest men in Cuba believe that progress is being made as rapidly as possible."

In answer to a question as to the capabilities of the Cubans for exercising self government Mr. Root says: "Great numbers of Cubans have been trusted with special duties under American direction. They are employed in greater proportion than the Americans as civil officers. In the postoffice, the custom house and in all the civil administrative offices there are many more Cubans than Americans. Under Colonel Bliss, the collector of customs at Havana, Cubans are learning how to be collectors of customs. They are learning the workings of custom house machinery, the main features of which are honest administration and application. They never had an opportunity of learning anything like that before.

"Now, this is different from the political machinery, and the first opportunity they will have of exercising political rights will be in the municipal elections which will take place soon. May 1 has been talked of as the date for holding these elections, but I do not think it practicable to hold them then. They are waiting for information from the census office about establishing election districts, and there is a great deal more to be done that will take time, because the men who will have charge of the elections are not familiar with the duties which they will have to perform. Here in this country we have the election machinery all ready. All we have to do is to set it working. In Cuba there is no election machinery. I talked with a great many Cubans as to how boards of inspection and registry should be selected. They will have to consider this and also the extent of territory to be covered and the means of access to places of election. We have always found it difficult in New York to get boards of inspection and registry to perform their duties properly. These boards have to be taught, although many of the members have been instructed in the duties in previous elections. But in Cuba it is all new. They haven't even seen it done.

"As to qualifications of voters they seem to be settling down to a threefold alternative qualification—first, all those to have the right to vote who own property, a very small class; second, all who can read and write, and, third, all who have been soldiers in the Cuban army."

The secretary was asked if the Cubans could organize a good, stable government.

"I think they can learn to," he answered, "and that they are very anxious to learn and are taking kindly to it. A good many of the strongest Cubans and of the radical Cubans, leading veterans, protested to me against having the Cubans judged by men who talked about the United States having selfish and bad intentions toward the island."

Concerning annexation Mr. Root said: "I do not consider annexation a present practical question. Undoubtedly there are people who are agitating for annexation, but the great mass of the people are busy getting ready for the establishment of a government, and when that time comes the annexation question can be discussed. Of course," he said in answer to a question as to what form of government the people would want, "it will be a republican form of government."

Referring again to the municipal elections, Mr. Root gave as another reason for believing that they could not take place on May 1 that no candidates had been named. There would have to be a campaign, he said, and that would take time.

The army in Cuba, he said, was in very good condition. There were very few men on the sick list. He spoke of the improved sanitary conditions in Cuban cities and said that he would like to have American people go to the island to see how the towns are cleaned.

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late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Emery L. Crane of Quincy, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of April, A. D., 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Daily Ledger, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of

EMILY S. LEE,

late of Bradford, Vermont, having estate in said County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to Carrie E. Lee of Quincy without giving a surety on her bond.

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Worth Reading.

To the Editor:

I think it my duty to inform your readers of a remedy that should be in every household.

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Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

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Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

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The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

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r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
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e EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later orth Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 0, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

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e QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M.
e NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

ncy and Weymouth Landing.

e CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., 50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.
WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every s of and 25 minutes past the hour until M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.
EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour 0 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and n at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 he 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook he 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Brain-

SUNDAYS.

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Sometimes I wonder which is best for me—
The sunny harbor or the stormy sea.
How may the soul woo rest, yet grow more brave;
Woo calm, yet battle with each warring wave;
Win love, yet not forget the loveless kind;
Win heaven itself, yet bear the world in mind?

—Ella Giles Ruddy.

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The April meeting of Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, will be held on Monday afternoon at three o'clock with Mrs. Frank Brewer of 154 Granite street.

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Mr. and Mrs. William H. North have issued invitations to the marriage reception of their only daughter, Grace Carolyn and Mr. Edmund Foster Clark at the Brunswick hotel, Boston, April 17, from eight thirty until eleven. The marriage will be solemnized at half past seven. The Norths formerly lived in Quincy and have many friends and relatives here. They have made their home at the Brunswick this winter.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Cushing of North Weymouth entertained the Algonquin Whist club this evening.

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John Barbour returned yesterday from a business trip out west. He was glad to get back to Braintree, where the cyclones will not bother him any more.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gale of Appleton street are rejoicing over the advent of a son, whom they have named Charles Hanson, after Mrs. Gale's father, who is a noted minister in Boston.

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Invitations to Saturday afternoon teas in the Cochato club house at Braintree have been sent to all members. The first meeting will be this afternoon from four to six.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. Nye of Methuen are guests of Mrs. Nye's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Spencer, of North Weymouth.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Guy and niece, Miss Addie J. Park left for Philadelphia and Washington on Friday afternoon. They are to enjoy a ten days' trip.

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The many friends of Mrs. Benjamin J. Weeks, who was injured last Saturday by a fall at her home on Edison street, which has kept her confined to her bed since that time, will be pleased to hear that she is very much better and will be able to be out again in a few days.

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Invitations are issued by Mr. and Mrs. David R. Godfrey of Weymouth to the marriage reception of their daughter, Henrietta and Shelley Alvia Neale of Braintree, April the eleventh.

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The Ivalbo whist club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. B. H. Woodsum, Summer street, Braintree.

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At the parlors of Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, Greenleaf street, on Tuesday afternoon will be given Miss Thompson's talk on "The Becky Sharp Edition of Vanity Fair." This will be one of the most entertaining talks of the series, especially to those who saw Mrs. Fiske as "Becky" at the Tremont threatre this winter.

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Mrs. Jesse F. Stephens of Wollaston have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Townsend of Holbrook.

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Joseph G. Spear of Braintree is meeting with good success with his new greenhouse and has radishes, lettuce, string beans, besides pansies and other plants in full bloom.

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Mr. Archer S. Pratt of Randolph started Tuesday with friends on a trip to New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Old Point Comfort and other resorts.

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Mr. Lowell Hayden and Alva Morrison give a dance this evening in the hall of the new Cochato club building.

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At the whist party of the City Band society last evening the ladies' prizes were taken by Mrs. Mary R. Thomas and Miss Gill. The gentlemen's prizes by Mr. William Elrick, Mr. John Troup and Mr. James Copeland.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Caroline Trask, formerly of Weymouth, but now superintendent of the Colorado Domestic Science association at Denver, to Mr. A.J. Norton of the firm of Nareau & Norton, architects at Denver.

Miss Eva L. Marden entertained a number of her young friends Friday evening at her home on Coddington street. The evening was passed in a pleasant manner with the usual party games. A lunch was served before the young people left for home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frye and family, who have been spending the winter at The Greenleaf have returned to their home in Melrose. They will be missed by their daughters, Mrs. Hall of Russell park and Mrs. Luther Glover of Elm street.

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The Philergians of Braintree met Thursday with Mrs. Stanwood Hollis. Miss Alice Morrison gave a parlor talk upon the Books of Wisdom of the Bible which was most interesting. Miss Morrison acquitted herself with credit and is deserving of great praise in the line of study which she has adopted. Mrs. Newell will entertain the club Friday, April 13, when a lecture will take the place of the regular meeting.

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Miss Clara Leavitt Baxter is spending the Easter recess of Vassar college, at her home on Greenleaf street.

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The Becky Sharp edition of Vanity Fair is the topic of what will surely be one of the most interesting of the many afternoon task given by Miss Ellen Thompson. The reading will be on Tuesday afternoon.

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Miss Florence L. Perry and Miss Elizabeth B. Pray, both of Braintree, leave Friday night to spend the holidays in Washington.

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The Massasoit whist club were entertained by Irving Stoddard at his home on Washington street, Braintree. last evening.

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Miss Daisy B. Pratt and Mr. E. Russell Wilder were united in marriage on Sunday evening at the home of the bride's father, Mr. A.H. Pratt of Weymouth. Mr. Arthur Bates Hayward was best man and Miss Emily Wilder, maid of honor. Mr. and Mrs. Wilder will reside at Roxbury.

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Mrs. S. W. Thorndike and Mrs. Franklin Shaw of Braintree are in Paris awaiting the opening of the exposition. They will remain there two months.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Ida Lovell of Weymouth and Mr. George A. Bates of Milton.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Clapp of Mr. Vernon avenue, who have been in Florida and Washington, D. C., are expected to arrive in Braintree today.

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A committee of the Braintree club have made arrangements to hold another ladies' night in their rooms on Holbrook avenue, Friday evening, April 6.

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Last Wednesday evening the committee of the Pine Tree Club of Braintree entertained the club and friends in Pythian hall with the following programme, which was very interesting: Piano solos, Miss Emily Arnold; soprano selections, Miss Hastings of Boston; buck and wing dancing Master Carlton Beals, piano accompaniments Miss Arnold; banjo selections, Master Carlton Beals; readings, Master Fred Arnold. All the entertainers were recalled after their first appearance.

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Mr. and Mrs. John H. Churchill of Walker street gave a final whist party for the Compass club at their home on Wednesday evening, The game continued from eight to ten oclock, at which time four prizes were awarded. Mrs. A. Priest claimed first woman's prize, a tray cloth of Mexican work; Mrs. Alfred Jelinek came second, and won a cut glass dish. Elijah G. Hall won first man's prize, a clock set in Wedgwood, and Charles Stecher was second, being presented with a case of nut picks and crackers combined. Sultana roll, cakes and confections followed, after which the men indulged in a quiet smoke.

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The home of Miss Bertha Tenney of Braintree, Monday evening was the scene of a very merry party. Friends of Miss Tenney were present from Quincy, Randolph, and Holbrook. Whist and an excellent collation were enjoyed during the evening.

—According to the Electrical Review, it is not unlikely that by the end of the year one may travel from Washington, D. C., to Portland, Me., by trolley cars with only the most insignificant breaks in the continuous lines of railway.

WATER FINANCES.

Amount of Pipe Laid in 1899 Surprisingly Small.

And Much of It Was Very Small Too.

14,000 More Feet Laid for Same Amount in 1897.

Commissioner Cavanagh in his annual report for 1899 says. "I claim, without fear of contradiction, that the affairs and records of this department will show an honest effort to efficiently and economically carry out the business of this departmen."

It is not easy often to prove by figures that there has been extravagance or a waste of money, but unfortunately for the Commissioner he has made comparisons in his annual report of the work of the Water division over which he was in sole control.

Considerable less water pipe was laid last year than in 1898 or 1897, although the appropriation was $30,000 each year. The total number of feet in 1899 was 19,718; in 1898 it was 27,479 feet, and in 1897 it was 33,911 feet. Nearly one-half of that laid last year was two-inch pipe, or 8,987 feet in a total of 19,718. This is more two-inch pipe than has been laid by the city in all previous years since the purchase of the works, June 1, 1892, as it has generally been regarded as too small. In 1893 the city took up or replaced 490 feet of 2-inch pipe; in 1894, it took up 1,686 feet, in 1897, it took up 1,772 feet; and in 1898, it took 839; a total of 4,787 feet, but in the absence of a board of Water Commissioners. Commissioner Cavanagh took up no 2-inch pipe, but added instead 8,987 feet.

In view of the fact that such a small total of pipe was laid, and that it was mostly 2-inch pipe, costing much less to buy and to lay, taxpayers may well wonder how the appropriation was expended. If $30,000 was sufficient to lay 33,911 feet, including 19,664 feet of 6-inch pipe in 1897, it should have laid more than 19,718 feet in 1899. The cost apparently was over $1.50 per foot.

The appropriations each year since 1892 and the numbhr of feet laid is shown in this summary:

Year.	Appropriation.	Feet Laid.
1894,	$30,000	62,712
1895,	45,000	34,909
1896,	18,000	16,344
1897,	30,000	33,911
1898,	30,000	27,479
1899.	30,000	19,718

The number of hydrants set was also much less, the total for 1899 being but 30, whereas in 1898 it was 42. And there were also 9 less gates added in 1899 than in either 1898 or 1897.

The number of new service connections was larger, there being 411 in 1899, against 257 in 1898, but these do not affect the appropriation as the cost is paid by the house owners, and the department has the benefit of the receipts.

The appropriation of 1899, with receipts, for construction, according to the Auditor's statement of Jan. 1, was $35,894.54. In addition to this the Commissioner had $9,000 for Water Maintenance, but a recent report to the City Council shows that this was overrun $573.01.

According to the Auditor's report, the $35,894.54 was expended as follows:

Pay roll,	$11,735 37
N. Y. & B. Despatch Express,	11 25
Sumner & Goodwin,	242 12
Streets,	20 15
J. F. Sheppard & Son,	8 00
Lead Lined Iron Pipe Co.,	5,659 71
Boston Lead Manufacturing Co.,	573 65
Thomas Hoey,	91 41
A. C. Harvey Co.,	153 55
B. Johnson,	70 98
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.,	401 09
A. B. Packard,	174 54
M. F. Brennan,	193 61
Harrington, King & Co.,	34 86
Wollaston Foundry Co..	75 40
Callahan Supply Co.,	2,373 02
Boston Bank Note Co.,	35 00
Peter Haverly,	15 00
David Roach,	15 00
Coffin Valve Co.,	2,899 00
J. F. Kemp,	3 60
Harrington Valve Manufacturing Co.,	53 00
Charles Miller,	13 35
Cornell & Underhill,	10,253 37
Star Pipe Janster Co.,	40 00
E. J. Sandberg,	3 00
R. J. Teasdale,	35 06
W. H. Sampson, Jr.,	33 75
Chapman Valve Co.,	12 92
Builders' Iron Foundry,	93 60

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SCRIPTURAL STORIES

Cited by Pettus as a Parallel to the Attitude of Gallinger and Beveridge.

Senatorial Dignity Is Cast Aside and Fun Is Enjoyed.

Proctor Advocates Free Trade and Says We Should Keep Faith With Puerto Rico.

Washington, March 31.—Merriment swept away the traditional dignity of the senate yesterday. Staid sticklers for senatorial decorum held their sides and shouted with laughter while the crowded galleries joined in the laughing tumult, to restrain which not the faintest effort was made. Senator Pettus of Alabama, the oldest member of the body, delivered the funniest speech heard within the senate chamber in many years. It sparkled with wit and bubbled over with humor. Its sarcasm was keen, but not bitter.

Mr. Pettus' speech was mostly personal in its application. He first took Mr. Gallinger to task. "I was very much entertained by the senator from New Hampshire yesterday," he said, "when he informed us that he was not a lawyer, and he proved it to us, not only by asserting it, but by his argument." He then related an anecdote illustrating his point, in which a preacher of old time had figured in Alabama.

"The minister," he said, "was as learned in the Bible as my friend from New Hampshire is in the law. He said: 'Brethren, my text today will be the following: Seven sons did Milkah bear unto Enon. Now I expect the brethren,' the preacher went on, 'if you would look at the commentaries you would find various meanings to this text; but taking a common sense view of it, I will say this: I expect that Enon was sick and the doctor told his sons, seven great, strong fellows, that it was absolutely necessary that he should have milk for his nutriment; and thereupon the seven sons went out to look up the cows. The sons could not find them; but they came across a bear and they milked her and carried the milk to Enon; and so, brethren, it is writ: Seven sons did milk a bear unto Enon.'

"That preacher," concluded Mr. Pettus amid an outburst of hearty laughter "had as accurate a conception of the scriptures as some of our senators have of the law of the land."

Mr. Pettus then turned his attention to the speech of Senator Beveridge, and said: "We had a wonderful declaration yesterday from our great orator. It was so marvelous that I dare say that such a thing has never before been heard in the senate. When you get a genuine orator he is absolutely absolved from all rules of logic or common sense. When it is necessary in the fervor of oratorical flourishes to prove a proposition true or false, rules of common sense and the decent observance of what is due to others must not stand in the way of maintaining 'my reputation' as an orator. It will not do.

"Mr. President, I was amazed at that speech. I tell you the senior or junior senator from Iowa, I do not know which, and the senior or junior senator from Maine, I do not know which, will have to take some action in reference to that orator. There will have to be some caucus on the matter. These four wise men from Maine and Iowa could not devote their time, if they want to serve their party well, better than to take some consideration of the orators in this chamber.

"Mr. President, the Master once had to select a man to lead the children of Israel out of Egypt and through the wilderness to Canaan. He did not select an orator. No, he selected one of these men from Iowa or Maine, and his name was Moses. And he was a stubborn man, too. But Moses told his Master to His face that he could not do it, because he could not speak to the people. And what was the reply?

" 'There is Aaron, he speaks well,' and they took Aaron along, not in command, but as a kind of deputy. And when Moses, on his Master's order, went up into the mountain for the tables, the orator left in charge had a golden calf framed, and he put all the people down to worship the golden calf. More people worship the golden calf now than did in those days. But while Aaron and his people were all down worshipping the man of God appeared and pulled his sword and demanded to know who was on the Lord's side, and the orator jumped up from his knees, drew his sword, and got on Moses' side and went to killing the Israelites along with Moses.

"All these orators will do the same thing. The best one of them. We saw an instance of it yesterday."

At the conclusion of his speech, Senator Depew was the first to congratulate Mr. Pettus, and the New Yorker's hearty hand clasp was followed by such an ovation as a man seldom receives in the senate. During the entire session, Mr. Pettus received the congratulations of his colleagues.

Previous to Mr. Pettus' speech, Mr. Proctor had delivered a forceful argument in support of free trade with Puerto Rico, and urged the keeping of our promises. He expressed his approval of the civi government feature of the pending bill, and his regret on account of the tariff provision that he could not vote for it.

"It is practically admitted," he said, "that free trade with Puerto Rico does not harm the sugar or tobacco interests materially, but they claim that it creates a precedent that may harm them if adopted in reference to the Philippines and Cuba. It will be time to cross those rivers when we come to them, and in my opinion the crossing will not be difficult when the proper time comes for action.

"The people look upon this as a matter of principle, and their moral sense has been shocked and the national heart and conscience stirred by the fear that this measure of taxation will be adopted by congress."

GRIEVE NOT, DEAREST HEART.

SONG.

Words by JULIAN JORDON. Music by EDUARD HOLST.

Grieve not, Dearest Heart.—3.

GOVERNMENT OF THE PHILIPPINES.

Authority of the Commission Will Be Supreme Over All Matters Not Strictly Military.

Washington, March 31.—The cabinet was in session yesterday for an hour longer than usual, and the leading topic of discussion was the instructions to be given the new Philippine commission. These instructions, it is learned, have not yet been formally communicated to the commissioners, but in all probability they will be within a day or two.

It is known, however, that it is the purpose of the president to make the civil government of the Philippines, represented by the commission, superior to the military in all matters pertaining to the government of the islands not strictly military in character. It is believed that Judge Taft, before he accepted the chairmanship of the commission, had a perfect understanding with the president as to the relations which should exist between the civil and military authorities, and also that from the time the commission arrives in Manila its authority will be supreme, under the president, as to all matters of government.

Secretary Gage occupied some time in making a statement of the receipts and expenditures of the government. He stated that since July 1 1899, there had accumulated a surplus revenues over receipts of about $53,000,000, and that by the end of June of this year, it probably would amount to over $60,000,000. This surplus is accounted for by large receipts from customs and by a material reduction in the expenditures on account of the war. The secretary is of the opinion that the present rate of taxation might safely be reduced to some extent and it was with a view to a possible recommendation to congress by the president on the subject that the secretary made his statement.

Vocay's Exciting Experience.

New Orleans, March 31. — Charles Locay, formerly governor of Bluefields, has arrived here. He left Nicaragua a few weeks ago, being deputized by President Zelaya to place some railroad bonds with New York capitalists. In view of the strained relations between the two countries he was arrested in Costa Rica and his money taken from him. He was finally exiled and placed aboard a steamer for New Orleans. He will return to Nicaragua. The incident is likely to create further complications.

Red Beach Murderer's Third Victim.

Calais, Me., March 31.—The 3-year-old son of Fred Reynolds, who murdered his wife and 7-year-old boy, besides fatally injuring the younger lad, is dead. The coroner held an inquest at Red Beach, where the family lived, and where the affair took place, and the jury returned a verdict that Mrs. Reynolds and the two boys came to their death at the hands of Reynolds. He was held for the grand jury after a preliminary hearing before Judge Fowler.

Another Arrest In Rutland Bank Case.

Rutland, Vt., March 31.—Marvin A. McClure, the music dealer of this city, whose notes for $145,000, discounted by Cashier Charles W. Mussey of the Merchants' National bank, caused the failure of that institution and the arrest of that official on Monday last, was himself arrested on Friday on charges of embezzlement and grand larceny. The arrest was made on complaint of John A. Mead, president of the closed bank.

A Sensational Suicide.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 31.—A man waded out as far as he could from Goat island yesterday, shot himself three times in the head, pitched forward into the water and went over the falls at the Cave of the Winds. From papers and letters left behind he is thought to be Hippolyte Schneider of Pittsburg. The letters were rambling and indicate that the man was insane.

Looking For Evidence Against Truth.

Hartford, March 31.—United States Postoffice Inspector Bulman has arrived in this city from New York for the purpose of looking up evidence to be used in the case of Francis Truth, the "divine healer," arrested in Boston recently on a charge of violating the United States postal laws. Truth formerly was located in this city.

Bold Theft of Government Property.

New York, March 31.—Thomas J. Errickson, locomotive engineer at the United States proving grounds at Sandy Hook, and Martin Sorenson, a government labor foreman, are under arrest charged with having stolen a whole car load of steel rails, besides looting the proving grounds of gun carriages, brass work and lead.

Worried to Suicide.

Seymour, Conn., March 31.—The body of Walter Tuttle was found in a well in the yard of his home at Southbury. In the pockets a quantity of cobblestones were found, evidently placed to keep the body under water. Tuttle had been acting strangely since the death of his father a week ago. He was 35 years old.

Won't Have to Borrow.

Lisbon, March 31.—In the chamber of deputies yesterday the minister of foreign affairs announced that the government would soon pay the amount awarded by the Berne tribunal in the Delagoa Bay railway arbitration without having recourse to a loan.

Probably Caused by Chemicals.

New Haven, March 31.—Fire completely destroyed a four-story brick building at 106 Park street. The total loss is estimated at $50,000. The fire is believed to have been the outcome of an explosion of chemicals.

Half a Century In the Navy.

Pawtucket, March 31.—Thomas Black, aged 76 years, died here Friday. He had been a seaman in the United States navy for 51 years, and previous to that had been on merchant vessels for several years.

Iowa Statesman Kills Himself.

Waterloo, Ia., March 31.—Ex-Speaker Alford of the Iowa house of representatives committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. Failing health caused despondency.

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BY SEWELL FORD.

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Mr. Ralph goes on to say: An hour later each sat upon his separate ant hill on the extreme right of the battlefield, where an endless, awful volleying of rifle fire had sounded ever since daybreak, for hour upon hour. The correspondents were 2,500 yards behind the firing line of the British, who lay in rows upon their bellies firing at unseen Boers in an invisible trench which spat out bullets as a needle bath sprays water.

I fancy the younger correspondent was congratulating himself upon his safety, but as he did so there came a sound like heavy hail upon a tin roof, and bullets whistled, pinged and spatted all around him. The sound came from behind his back. There the Boers had made a flank movement, dashing furiously toward the ambulance and transport wagons, banging at them with a volley and setting all the drivers and horses in a panic. In the same panic the two correspondents ran straight into the danger zone of the main battle.

They fell when they found the air as thick with bullets as ever a pudding was with plums—and when, wherever they put down a foot, there was a spurt of sand from a falling shot. "There was no other way to run," they said to one another. "It looked as if the Boers would cut us off in the other direction."

Thicker and thicker came the hail, for the Boer sharpshooters had seen the two men run and drop and were sending a cross fire where they lay. They buried their noses in the red sand and talked and thought.

They see a Coldstream Tommy run to a tiny sagebrush that wouldn't stop a pea shooter and gratefully take its shelter.

They see another Tommy lying flat as a flapjack and reaching stealthily, blindly over the ground to gather little stones—none bigger than a hen's egg. He gets five or six of these and builds a whimsical shelter four inches wide and three inches high. He is content until, ten minutes later, an explosive bullet hits his foot and smashes it.

"SNIPING."

Thus Mr. Ralph tells us his story. Is it not a graphic one?

Another feature of modern actions is the individualism with which the soldiers act. When you spread 10,000 men out over a ten mile front, they do not touch elbows by any means. With the enemy spread out in a similar manner it becomes a battle not between regiments, but between men. It is not exactly a hand to hand encounter, but a series of rifle duels. Many of the battles between the Boers and the British have been exactly of this kind.

Tommy Atkins calls this "sniping." Instead of charging madly on the trenches he takes cover early and works his way forward by dashing from rock to rock until he gets within range of the trenches. Then he waits for something to shoot at.

After awhile he decides that the dark spot just over the edge of that rock way off yonder is a Boer's hat. He watches it closely and waits for it to lift. When it does, he lets drive. Perhaps he exposes himself as he does so. If he does, it is probable that the Boer replies. Then the duel is on. It proceeds until one or the other is killed. The survivor seeks another antagonist.

Accompanying this article is a picture made from a drawing by Rene Bull, a special artist of the London Sketch. It shows Sergeant Mason of Thorneycroft's mounted infantry indulging in just such a duel. The sergeant claims to have killed two Boers when he found himself being peppered by a third. For half an hour the two men lay, each behind his own rock, "sniping" at the other. Five times a Boer bullet tore through the top of Mason's helmet, and finally one plowed through his right shoulder. But this did not make him quit the game. Shifting his rifle to his left arm, firing from the other side of the rock, he surprised the Boer and killed him.

When you imagine men strung out at distances of five or ten yards along a line eight or ten miles long, each intent on hitting a sheltered enemy nearly a mile away, you get a clear idea of what a modern battle is like.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For Week Beginning April 1. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—Always ready.—Luke xxi, 29-36; xii, 35-40.

By several illustrations which can hardly be dignified with the titles of parables Christ in these passages from Luke discourses upon His second coming and emphasizes in particular the importance and necessity for being ready at all times for His advent, which practically may mean to us to be ready at all times for death.

1. The signs of His coming (Luke xxi, 29-31). As they knew from the shooting of the fig and other trees that summer was coming, so from certain signs Christ said His disciples were to discern His coming. Signs will precede the second advent and signs often precede the call of the angel of death. And we may well be on our guard and not so engrossed with the affairs of this life that we shall fail to see these signs should God manifest them unto us.

2. The uncertainty of Christ's coming. "If the good man of the house had known what hour the thief would come, he would have watched and not have suffered his house to be broken through. Be ye therefore ready also, for the Son of Man cometh at an hour when ye think not." While Christ spoke sometimes of signs preceding His coming, He more often emphasized the fact that His coming would be as a thief in the night. "No man knoweth the day nor the hour when the Son of Man cometh." God has revealed to no one the time when Christ shall come again. The apostles expected an immediate advent, but were disappointed. At various times in the past prophets have set appointed times for His coming, but their predictions have failed. The same is true of death. No one knows the day nor hour when he shall die who dies naturally. Suddenly, unexpectedly, without warning, death often comes. How necessary therefore that we should be "always ready." How important therefore that we should be constantly on our guard; that we should have our loins girded and our lights burning; that we should be like unto the servants who wait for the return of their master from the wedding feast—who never cease waiting and watching no matter how long his coming may be delayed, and who are always ready no matter at what watch of the night he may appear.

It will pay us to be ready and watching when Christ calls. "Blessed," He says, "are those servants whom the Lord, when He cometh, shall find watching. Verily I say unto you that He shall gird Himself and make them to sit down to meat and will come forth and serve them. And if He shall come in the second watch or come in the third watch and find them so, blessed are those servants." What more could we ask at the end of life than to have Christ pronounce us "blessed?"

THE PRAYER MEETING.

Let the leader begin the discussion on the topic and then throw the meeting open for voluntary participation.

Bible Readings.—Ps. xxiii, 1-3; lxxxviii, 15; xc, 12; Jer. xxvi, 12-15; Math. xxiv, 44-46; xxv, 1-13; John ix, 4; I Thess. v, 1-6; II Tim. iv, 1-8; II Pet. iii, 1-10; Rev. iii, 1-3; xvi, 15.

Education For the Ministry.

Though, on the whole, the movement both within and without the church is toward a higher standard of education for the ministry, the fatal case with which a particular case is judged to be a legitimate exception to the general rule eventuates in altogether too long a list of men taking only a half course of study. We do not say that there are no legitimate exceptions, though we do maintain that exceptions are too readily discovered. Never was the need of the culture bestowed by university training more indispensable for the clergy than now, just because higher education is so rapidly increasing among the rank and file of the laity, to say nothing of the power of intellectual culture in the humblest work. Never was the need of a thorough Biblical, theological and historical course greater than now, just because of that tendency to generalize and speculate concerning sacred things which is characteristic of the hour. General education and special education are both necessary for this most responsible of all vocations, and the latter cannot fail to be ineffective if it has not the former for a foundation.—Churchman.

The Power of Prayer.

Show me a man who has been a power in prayer, and I will show you a man who has given himself up to do and to be what God wants him to do and be. If you would have this power in prayer, you, too, must make this complete surrender to the will of God. You may be praying for some special blessing, but God cannot give it to you until you are wholly His.—Francis E. Clark.

With God.

To talk with God—no breath is lost;
Talk on, talk on!
To walk with God—no strength is lost;
Walk on, walk on!
To wait on God—no time is lost;
Wait on, wait on!

To grind the ax—no work is lost;
Grind on, grind on!
The work is quicker, better done,
Not needing half the strength laid on;
Grind on, grind on!

Martha stood, but Mary sat;
Martha murmured much at that!
Martha cared, but Mary heard,
Listening to the Master's word,
And the Lord her choice preferred;
Sit on, hear on!
Work without God is labor lost;
Work on, work on!
Full soon you'll learn it to your cost;
Toil on, toil on!

Little is much when God is in it;
Man's busiest day's not worth God's minute.
Much is little everywhere
If God the labor do not share:
So work with God, and nothing's lost;
Who works with Him does best and most!
Work on, work on!

—Selected.

MAGAZINES FOR APRIL.

Timely Extracts Taken From Various Publications.

OUTLOOK FOR BUSINESS IN CUBA.

Advantages of British and European Capitalists Over Americans—Sculptor French's Statue of Washington For Paris—Polyglot Politics In Pacific Islands—Notable Easter Performance In Kansas.

The necessary elements for the restoration of prosperity in Cuba are, first and foremost, government and equitable laws. These being secured, the next requisite is plenty of cash capital. This is an ineludible necessity. No amount of Yankee ingenuity or Anglo-Saxon energy can accomplish results unless backed up by cold cash. It is often mistakenly supposed that the introduction of American business methods is all that is needed to start the heyday of prosperity in Cuba and that men whose only capital is their alleged brains and energy can float successful enterprises on a paper basis. The day has gone by when such ideas can prevail. It is money, not methods, that is needed, says E. Sherman Gould in Cassier's Magazine for April. Some free lances, with nothing to lose and everything to gain, will doubtless make lucky strikes, but their individual success will tend but little to the general prosperity.

It is not to be gathered from the above that capital must await the full consummation of a fixed rule in Cuba. Step by step it will follow the advance of every measure making for good government, treading closely upon the heels of every point gained in that direction, and doubtless great profit will attend the earlier and bolder investments. Indeed the entrance of large moneyed interests and the establishment of a strong government will react upon one another, and large bona fide investments will demand and receive strong protection.

The question that is most interesting at present is: Who, besides Cuba herself, is to be benefited by all this? Shall it be Americans? It seems to be taken for granted that the Americans who have opened up these opportunities are the ones to be benefited thereby. This is by no means certain. It is quite possible that to them may be applied the proverb, "Sic vos, non vobis." British and European capitalists, traders and industrials also, have their eyes fixed upon the "Pearl of the Antilles." They have many advantages over Americans. They have more money and are therefore bolder, quieter and swifter operators and have already longer experience in the foreign field. Their merchants, operating upon a carefully studied system of long credits, will beat the American competitor who insists upon cash payments and even payments in advance. They thoroughly understand the grand tactics of commerce, while Americans adhere in the foreign field to the policy, very wise in the home market, of presenting the goods with one hand and the bill with the other. No extensive business can be done in the Spanish speaking countries on this basis.

The existing railway system of Cuba has already practically fallen into British hands. The cigar factories are understood to have gone the same way. When foreign capitalists enter into such heavy operations, they take a fair look ahead and stand prepared to offer spot cash for lowest figures and war risks. Also, when determined on making a venture, they take lowest figures instead of offering them. At the present time in Cuba they have, too, the great advantage over Americans that, in case of need, they can invoke the aid of their governments, whereas Americans cannot appeal, except in a very roundabout and usually unsuccessful way, against their own authorities.

Daniel C. French, the sculptor, is the subject of an article by W. A. Coffin, the artist, printed with reproductions of a number of Mr. French's works and other illustrations in the April Century.

One of the sculptor's latest works is the equestrian statue of General Washington for Paris, which will be placed in the Place d'Iena, a very fine site near the Trocadero. This will be the only public monument in Paris executed by an American artist, except the Lafayette statue by Mr. Paul Wayland Bartlett, which is to be unveiled in the Place du Carrousel on the Fourth of July, 1900, under the auspices of the French and the United States governments. Mr. French has had as his collaborator in this work Mr. Edward C. Potter. It was Mr. Potter who modeled the horses and two of the figures of the Quadriga at the World's fair, and the steed for the Grant monument in Fairmount park and the charger for the Washington are also his. Mr. French and Mr. Potter worked together on the design and execution of the Washington, and it is, as a whole, a joint production.

Washington in Mr. French's statue is represented as taking command of the army at Cambridge, dedicating his sword to the service of his country and appealing to heaven for the justice of the cause. With the head thrown slightly backward the figure holds with the left hand and arm the military hat and the bridle reins, and, the other arm being extended perpendicularly, the right hand holds the sword exactly upright. The pose is heroic and dramatic. The spirit of the motive is admirably expressed in the action of the figure, and the head is noble and commanding in aspect. The horse, with arched neck and showing splendid lines of construction and action, is imposing and holds its proper place in the work, which is as a whole superlatively excellent in style. The pedestal was designed by Mr. Charles F. McKim. The total height from the ground to the head of the figure is about 30 feet.

"With the passing of the natives comes or will come permanently as well as inevitably the ascendency of the white man, and with the ascendency of the white man comes politics. No more complex mesh of local and long distance political relations is conceivable than obtains in the islands of the Pacific. Uncle Sam's problem in the Philippines is only a fraction of what lies beyond and around his new domain," says Arthur I. Street in Ainslee's Magazine. "The government schedule of the entire continent of Europe with Swedes in the extreme north, Slavs on the extreme east, Turks in the south, Latins and Celts on the extreme west and Anglo-Saxons and Britons on the north and west does not compare in complexity with the situation in the international empire of the Pacific. Down in the East Indies is the system of compulsory cultivation and perpetual lease practiced by the Dutch as a means of controlling and making useful the more or less unintelligent natives. In Sarawak the native is under the voluntary domination of a white rajah.

"In the Fijis and New Zealand a nominal and active government is conducted by civilized electors, aided by native chieftains of limited power. In Samoa is or has been the tripartite suzerainty of Germany, France and England. In New Guinea a territorial area is divided between three nations. In the New Hebrides is neither local kingship nor chieftainship nor European dominance, and yet there is European suzerainty shared in by three powers, and in the Solomon islands, where savages still survive, there is the like situation. In New Caledonia is a remnant of the convict period of Australia, where the population is gradually being made up of ex-criminals on parole and where the unpenalized residents when they talk of employing help remark nonchalantly, 'Je prefere l'assassin.' In Tonag is a native, a black king, and in Hawaii is the spirit of republican annexation."

"Because of its surroundings and uplifting by its earnest methods and teaching the Easter performance of 'The Messiah' by the Swedish colony at Lindsborg, in central Kansas, is each spring one of the interesting events of the west," writes Charles M. Harger of "Singing 'The Messiah' on the Plains" in the April Ladies' Home Journal. "A musical festival that out on the comparatively sparsely settled prairies can bring together 10,000 people during holy week, many of them coming 200 miles, must be excellent indeed. The growth of the audiences in this instance year after year indicates a thorough appreciation of a worthy rendering of Handel's great oratorio.

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Four hundred men and maidens participate in these renditions. The orchestra numbers 50 pieces and is supplemented by a three manual pipe organ. The leaders, directors and soloists are all members of the Lindsborg community and teachers in the college there.

The cooling of buildings in warm weather somewhat after the manner followed in warming them in winter has frequently suggested itself as a matter of comfort and even of economy in the case of workshops, for example, where trying summer temperatures may seriously affect productive capacity, says Cassier's Magazine for April. Except in a few cases, however, in chocolate making, for instance, where the temperature must be low enough to enable the chocolate to harden, and in making the familiar gelatin capsules in which medicines are administered, such cooling has not been practiced, though exception should also be made of a few attempts to cool theaters and other amusement halls by blowing in air which had previously been passed over ice racks. But cooling dwelling houses has been an unpracticed art until quite recently. Particulars have recently been given of what has been done along this line in a dwelling in which there is a system of indirect hot water radiators located in ducts over which air is led by natural draft in winter. In summer water at a temperature of 60 degrees F. is circulated through these radiators, and the air cooled by them is distributed through the house. As a probable forerunner of many similar installations this plant is an interesting one to engineers and architects as well as to house owners who have the means to indulge in such a luxury.

Lace trimming will be much used on summer gowns, the heavy renaissance and the handsome applique or floss worked nets being given the preference, says The Ladies' Home Journal for April. The heavy piece laces and insertings are of very deep and pale cream shades rather than white. They come in heavy designs connected by delicate threads. Heavy lace is used on fine woolen and silk materials, and the lighter mechlin, valenciennes and black chantilly insertings will be used on cottons. Black lace will be worn on black and white swisses.

A Queen to Found a Hospital.

The queen of Italy will be patroness of the congress on tuberculosis to be held at Naples in April, says the New York Tribune. The interest shown by Queen Marguerite is emulated by the queen of Greece, who is going to found a hospital for consumptives near Athens.

Quincy and Boston Electric Street Railway

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 30, 1899, cars will be run on the different routes as follows:

Quincy to Neponset.

Cars leave Quincy for Neponset:

Via HANCOCK STREET, 6.40 A. M. and every 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.10 A. M. and every 10 minutes past the hour until 10.10 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 5.55, 6.25 A. M. and every 25 minutes past and 5 minutes of the hour until 10.25 P. M., then 10.40 and 11.10 P. M.

Neponset to Quincy.

Via HANCOCK STREET, 7.00 A. M., and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Via HANCOCK STREET and NORFOLK DOWNS, 6.30 A. M. and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via WOLLASTON, 6.15 and 6.45 A.M., and every 15 and 45 minutes past the hour until 10.45 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.30 P. M.

☞ Cars leaving Neponset on the even hour and half hour run to Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton without change, until 9.30 P. M. The 10 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only.

Neponset and Squantum.

Leave NEPONSET for Squantum at 6.30 A. M. and every hour until 9.30 P. M.

Leave SQUANTUM for Neponset at 7 A. M and every hour until 10.00 P. M.

Quincy and East Weymouth.

Leave CITY SQUARE (10 minutes later from Quincy Point and 22 minutes later from North Weymouth)—5.45, 6.20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M.; 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, 3.20, 3.50, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.35, 5.50, 6.20, 6.35, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20 9.50, 10.50 P. M., (11.50 Wednesday and Saturday.)

Leave EAST WEYMOUTH (20 minutes later from North Weymouth and 25 minutes later from Quincy Point)—6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 A. M.; 12, 12.30, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.30, 3, 3.30, 4, 4.30, 5, 5.30, 6, 6.15, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, 10.30, 11.30 P. M.

Quincy and North Weymouth.

Leave QUINCY at 7.20 8.20 and 9.20 A. M. 5.20 P. M.

Leave NORTH WEYMOUTH at 7.45, 8.45 and 9.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M.

Quincy and Weymouth Landing.

Leave CITY SQUARE at 5.30, 6.20 and 7.20 A. M. and every hour until 12.20 P. M., then 12.50, 1.50 and every hour until 10.50 P. M.

Leave WEYMOUTH LANDING at 5.50, 6.40, 7.50 and every hour until 12.50 P. M., then 1.20, 2.20 and every hour until 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and East Milton.

Leave CITY SQUARE, 5.55, 6.40, then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.25 P. M., then 10.20 and 10.50 P. M.

Leave EAST MILTON 6.25, 7.00 A. M., then every 5 minutes of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M., then 10.20, 10.50 and 11.20 P. M.

Quincy and Brockton.

Leave QUINCY for Braintree, Holbrook and Brockton at 6.20 and 6.50 A. M., and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 9.50 P. M. The 10.20 P. M. car runs to Holbrook only. The 10.50 P. M. car runs to South Braintree only.

SUNDAYS.

The first car for Neponset leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Neponset at 7.20 A. M.

The first car for Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.00 A. M. and the first car from Weymouth Landing leaves at 7.30 A. M.

Cars leave City Square, Quincy, for E. Weymouth and Weymouth Landing at 7.30 A. M and West Quincy at 7 A. M. and on the hour and half hour throughout the day.

Cars leave Quincy for Houghs Neck on the even hour and half hour from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., then 11.00 P. M. Returning cars leave Houghs Neck for Quincy on the even hour and half hour from 7.30 A. M. to 10.30 P. M., then 11.30 P. M.

Sunday time same as week days on other lines except that the first two trips are omitted.

TRANSFERS.

Transfer tickets from South Braintree for West Quincy are good at Doble's Corner or City Square. From Braintree to Weymouth a Quincy avenue or City Square. From other routes at City Square only.

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New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

[Subject to change without notice.]

On and after Oct. 22, 1899, trains will run as follows: (See note of explanation at bottom.)

TO BOSTON. Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON. Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *6 12	abc	6 32	*5 53	ihgfedcba	6 22 r
r 6 42	abc	7 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 28	cba	8 49 r
r 7 42	abc	8 02	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 7 56	ad	8 15	10 28	cba	10 49 r
r 8 12	abc	8 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r
r 8 26	ad	8 45	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	1 28	cba	1 49 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	2 28	cba	2 49 r
r 10 12	abc	10 32	3 28	cba	3 49 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 12 12	abc	12 32	4 58	cba	5 19 r
r 1 12	abcd	1 32	5 15	da	5 36 r
r 2 12	abc	2 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 3 12	abc	3 32	5 45	da	6 06 r
r 4 12	abc	4 32	5 58	cba	6 19 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 12	abc	6 32	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 7 12	abcd	7 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 39	abcdefghi	8 07	7 28	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	9 28	cba	9 49 r
r 9 34	abcdefghi	10 02	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 58	ihgfedcba	11 27 r
r 11 12	abc	11 32	11 28	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 42	abc	8 02	6 28	cba	6 49 r
r 8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	12 43	cba	1 04 r
r 9 33	a	9 51	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 1 27	abc	1 47	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	6 58	cba	7 19 r
r 7 12	abc	7 32	8 28	fedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	10 28	fedcba	10 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32			

*The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop, as follows:

a, Wollaston, b, Norfolk Downs. c, Atlantic. d, Neponset. e, Pope's Hill, f, Harrison Square. g, Savin Hill. h, Crescent Avenue. i, South Boston. r, Quincy Adams.

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Quincy Temperature at Noon.

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1899.	In 1898.	In 1897
Sunday,	37	31	35	48	46
Monday,	48	55	26	48	48
Tuesday,	48	65	44	44	50
Wednesday,	46	44	45	51	44
Thursday,	48	43	47	52	50
Friday,	49	58	39	56	55
Saturday,	40	39	45	48	45

New Advertisements Today.

To Let—Furnished Rooms.

Good Afternoon.

The appearance of newspaper stories of big winnings in the Arkansas Hot Springs gambling establishment indicates that business is dull with the gams.

Success to the big projects which are suggested for the city, and others which are not yet announced. Now is the time to pull together as the growth and improvement of Quincy will be astonishing.

Senator Woodsum is showing his metal at the gas investigation at the State House. He doesn't propose that the time of the committee shall be frittered away, and a lot of irrevalent stuff introduced.

Kentucky Democrats will gain nothing in the end by their attempts to distract public attention from their own rascalities by making sensational charges connecting Republicans with the killing of Goebel. The truth is bound to be found out.

The Senate did well in passing the bill authorizing President McKinley to appoint a commission to study Asiatic commercial conditions. Now let the House do likewise. We already have a large Asiatic trade, but there is more to be had and we want it.

We continue to hear more of the economy (?) of the Department of Public Works of 1899. The water extensions of last year were expensive in cost, and expensive in results, as the large amount of two-inch pipe put in must very soon be replaced by larger pipe.

The meeting of the City Council of Monday evening next promises to be the most important of the year. Not only will Mayor Hall submit the annual budget, but also several communications of great moment to the future of Quincy. Progress is in the air, and it will not down this year.

Hon. A. P. Greeley, who has resigned the office of Assistant Commissioner of Patents to practice patent law, making a specialty of copy rights and foreign patents, in Washington, was recently referred to by a prominent and successful patent lawyer as "the ablest and best equipped man that has ever acted and served as Commissioner of Patents. The government lost the services of this valuable official by not paying him sufficient salary. The hint should not be lost on Congress.

An effort is being made to misrepresent what the Ledger said relative to civil service and the firemen. We admit that some Democrats are better fireman than some Republicans, but it is possible and undoubtedly a fact, that at least a few Republicans are better firemen than some Democrats. Some of the Democrats who predominate as call men of the Quincy fire department are doing all they can to defeat Republican success in the city. How long would a business man keep in his employ men who antagonize his interests? Why should Republicans be excluded from fire companies? It is not politicans of either party whom the city wants as firemen, but men who are good fire fighters. Why should a Republican administration extend the civil service to continue in office aggressive Democrats, who in many cases are not good firemen? It should not.

Drift of Opinion.

☞ President Wm. McKinley said recently, at a banquet, at the close of a brilliant address: "It is not possible that seventy-five millions of American free men are unable to establish liberty and justice and good government in our new possessions. The burden is our opportunity. The opportunity is greater than the burden. May God give us strength to bear the one, and wisdom so to embrace the other as to carry to our distant acquisition the guarantees of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness." These stirring words should not only re-assure us, but serve as a rebuke to those who have so inconsiderately opposed his earnest efforts to overcome the obstacles of a most trying situation.—Beverly Times.

☞ In speaking of $5 hotel rates during the national Democratic convention in Kansas City it is supposed to be understood that this refers to accommodations such as the president of the United States, rich lobbyists, ladies from New York accompanied by maids, star actors and other plutocrats are accustomed to and demand. It includes velvet carpets, brass bedsteads, silver candlesticks, with red silk shades on the dining room tables, meals served in a manner which might satisfy the crowned heads of Europe, pure cream in coffee, cut glass, silverware, the banishment of flies, electric fans and all that. There will be plenty of hotel accommodations of a plain character at the regular rates of from $1 a day with flies, to $2 to $3 a day without flies.—Kansas City Star.

☞ The internal revenue report for January showed a falling off of more than twenty-five per cent. in the manufacture of paper cigarettes in the two great cigarette-making districts of New York, as compared with the production of the corresponding month of the previous year. We hope this proves that men and boys are learning wisdom and abjuring the cigarette. A more skeptical writer suspects it is because the cigarettes, by being composed of a mixture of Turkish or Eyptian tobacco, are so much stronger that with the best, or worst, intentions the smoker cannot consume so many as when he smoked the plain American tobacco ones. If this is the case the decreased revenue does not indicate increased virtue. — New Bedford Standard.

Thanks and Praise.

The following letter was sent by Mayor Hall, March 24, to Chief Engineer Choate of the Milton fire department. The feelings the city was certainly well voiced by His Honor:

"My Dear Sir: Allow me to express for myself and the city of Quincy the obligations which we are under for your very prompt and efficient reply to our call for assistance early Sunday morning, March 18, and at the same time to express my satisfaction at the fine appearance of your department and equipment, and also to add my testimony to the efficiency of its drill and discipline.

"We certainly are under very great obligations to you and your men for the services rendered, and I trust that they were cared for in such manner as to compensate, in part, for their early call and active labor.

"Should you be so unfortunate as to be obliged, at any time, to call for assistance, I assure you that we shall gladly respond, and will serve you at all times in every way possible."

A similar letter was probably sent to the Boston engineer. The above letter came from a Milton source, and not from City Hall, so we are unable to publish the Boston letter.

Almost an April Fool.

Several grocery and provision men in City Square have been made the victims of a swindler this week.

The fellow called upon the storekeepers, to whom he said he had hired a house on Johnson avenue. He wanted to purchase some goods. The storekeepers were of course ready to sell. The fellow purchased a bill of goods which he ordered sent to the house with the bill. The goods were sent and were received by the fellow, who said he would call and pay the bill. Up to the present time he has failed to come to time, and a visit to the house shows that he is not there or anyone else, and the grocers are just so much out.

The same fellow also called upon a furniture mover and hired him to go to a certain house in Boston, and move his goods out. The expressman went after the goods, but could find no party by the name given, or of anyone who wanted to be moved to Quincy, and he had his trip for nothing.

IF YOU ARE GOING TO BUY A HOME

This season, remember I am offering bargains which can't be matched by any builder or real estate owner in the city. I am going to build a number of first class, stylish, modern Houses, ranging in price from $2,000 to $4,000, and shall offer them at the same low prices which prevailed last season. These houses are to be built on Independence and Federal avenues, and are the best lots in South Quincy. Handy to steam and electrics, good neighbors, and every lot is dry. The first of these at No. 25 Independence avenue is now completed and will be cheerfully shown to all parties, whether intending to purchase or not; 6 rooms and bath, besides finished attic and basement. This is a corner lot. Also another of six rooms and bath, nearly finished, at No. 31 Independence avenue. This lot bounds on two streets. Favorable terms will be made to responsible parties on either of above.

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March 24-1m 4 Bennington street.

The New Depots.

Many questions have been asked of late what the new depot is to be like and where it is to be located. The plans for the new depot have been made and work excavating will soon be commenced.

The new depot will be a story and a half building, somewhat larger than the present structure. The centre of the depot will be at the head of Depot street and it will occupy nearly two-thirds of the present structure on the north and extend beyond the street railway tracks on the south.

It will be of two shades of mottled brick, creme and chocolate, with granite trimmings. There will be one large waiting room with a ticket office in the centre on the west side. The size of this waiting room will be about 45 by 20 feet.

The interior finish will be of yellow pine, natural finish. The depot will be lighted by electricity and heated by steam. The toilet and baggage rooms will be on the south end of the building.

There will also be a covered platform at the north and south ends of the building, as well as on the track side of the depot. The latter platforms will probably be somewhat wider then that in present use. The depot at Atlantic will be exactly like that for Quincy.

Model of Boston.

Another of Boston's star exhibits at the Paris Exposition was put on public view Thursday afternoon, when George Carrol Curtis, in his studio at 6 Stanwood street, Dorchester, exhibited the big model of the metropolitan district of Boston, on which he and a score of assistants have been working for the past ten months.

With a circumference of 30 feet, made of plaster of paris, painted in oil, and weighing about one ton, the model, on a scale of 5 inches to the mile, represents in relief all the district within a radius of 12 1-2 miles of the State House. It has been completed under the direction of the Massachusetts board of Paris Exposition commissioners.

It is based on the most accurate and detailed maps yet produced of the area and was compiled by Mr. Curtis from about three hundred of the latest maps, including United States coast, park commission, town, city and private maps and original surveys, photographically reduced or enlarged from manuscript map. There are some two hundred and fifty miles of railroad, with cuts, bridges, embankments, 300 miles of stream, modelled and painted, and 200,000 trees, 2,750 miles of street, each being modelled to scale. Dwelling houses to the number of 157,000 are located and built up from their mapped ground plan.

The most cursory glance would reveal the indentity of the place. For the artist had duplicated, with wonderful accuracy, this city and its suburbs. The big piece of plaster is, indeed, so skilfully modelled to simulate nature that one is equally tempted either to take a dive in the blue waters of the harbor, essay a jaunt to the summit of the Blue Hills, or mount the State House stairs to the cupola of the gilded dome.

The discriminating choice of colors is a feature of the model The chance of variety in grass grown hills, various sorts of trees, sandy and rocky shores, river valleys, brick blocks, roads and bridges is splendidly improved. Boston with its chiefly brick construction, shows red in contrast to the little river valley villages, with their white wooden structures. The pine trees show up in dark green beside the deciduous vegetation in lighter color. The grass has still another tint. The macadam roads are grayish purple, the rivers light blue, and the deep azure of the harbor washes the sun-colored shores of Nantasket and Nahant, and the more darkly shaded rocks of the granite islands in the harbor.

The city is shown with the gilded dome, the Ames building, Bunker Hill monument, Arlington street, the Old South and the other churches, the library, the railroad stations, the Common, Frog pond and Public Garden, with even their walks. Commonwealth avenue with its two rows of trees, the docks, railroads, high buildings and chimneys are plainly seen, and the suburban towns, with church spires and clustered villages, stand up as light spots against the green fields and darker trees.

The Blue Hills loom highest of all, on the southwest edge, with heavily timbered slopes and granite cliffs, and even the observatory on the summit.

The model will leave at once for Paris but when it is brought back it is expected it will be shown in the Boston Public library or some other public place.

Job printing at the Ledger office.

DOES COFFEE AGREE WITH YOU?

If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. The children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the direcitons in making it and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c. and 25c.

CITY BREVITIES.

A Local Budget with the News in a Nut Shell.

The patent granted to George W. Brown was for a gage attachment for fastener-setting machine.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held on Wednesday next, at 3 o'clock.

On Thursday the National Granite bank declared a dividend of 3 per cent payable on and after Monday, April. 2.

Rural lodge of Masons, St. Stephen's chapter and South Shore Commandery attended the funeral this afternoon of Mr. William W. Craig.

Rev. Merrill C. Ward is moving this week into the house, near the West Hingham station, owned by Mrs. Clara (Estes) Lincoln of Quincy.

Patterson, the Wollaston florist, is one of the largest violet growers in this vicinity some days picking over a thousand of the fragrant blossoms.

The Boston Home Journal Saturday on its front page has a fine portrait of Mr. Chandler W. Smith of Wollaston, president of the Boston Music Trade association.

The next regular meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian Alliance branch will be held in the vestry on the afternoon of Wednesday, April 4. An Interesting speaker will be present and all ladies are cordially invited.

Prof. A. E. Frye arrived in New York from Cuba Thursday. He reports 3099 schools with 130,000 children enrolled. A copy of one of his text books in Spanish has been received by Supt. Lull.

The annual parish meeting was held in the Washington Street Congregational church, Wednesday evening. Supper was served by the Ladies' Aid society, and the business of the coming year transacted.

At the People's service of the Wollaston Methodist church, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, the pastor will speak upon the topic: "The newspaper and the Kingdom of God, or the Rev. C. M. Sheldon's experiment as editor of the Topeka Capital."

Boys created havoc Friday at the unoccupied house of F. W. Grant off Putnam street. Every pane of glass in the house was broken, as well as some of the blinds. The damage done will be in the vicinity of $25. The boys are known and will probably appear in court next week.

Merrymount lodge No. 55, I. O. G. T. especially desires that all ex-members of the lodge, together with all friends of the temperance cause will be present with them at the Universalist church, Sunday at 2.30 P. M., where the anniversary sermon will be given. In this univeral invitation, the pastor and people of the Universalist church heartily join.

Elmer E. Paine received word yesterday of a serious accident at Springfield to his brother, Harry W. Paine. He was employed as a telephone lineman and was at work on a pole with another man, when it snapped at the butt, causing both men to fall to the ground. The second man escaped with a broken arm, but Mr. Paine struck on his head causing injuries from which his recovery is doubtful. Mr. Paine left last night for Springfield.

Rev. Merrill C. Ward will be formally installed as pastor of the Universalist church, Quincy, April 5, at 7.50 P. M. The sermon will be preached by Rev. G. L. Perin, D. D., pastor of the Every Day church, Boston. Other clergymen who will take part are Rev. C. H. Pennoyer of Braintree, Rev. L. W. Atwood of South Weymouth, Rev. Melvin S. Nash of Weymouth, Rev. R. Perry Bush of Chelsea, Rev. A. E. White of Methuen, Rev. Edwin N. Hardy of Quincy and Edmund Hersey 2d of Hingham. The choir of the Hingham Universalist church will participate in the service.

Collection of Garbage.

The Board of Health of 1889 found the plan of letting out the contract at Houghs Neck for the collection of garbage to work so well that they recommended the soliciting of sealed bids this year for the collection of the entire city garbage under the supervision of the board. The Board of Health of 1900 has advertised for bids in accordance with this recommendation for a term of three years which will be opened next Monday at 8 P. M. A bond is required. It is expected that the city will receive a revenue, whereas in the past it has been an expense.

Patriarch Militant's Ball.

The First Regiment, Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., of Massachusetts will hold its annual military and civic ball in Odd Fellows' hall, 515 Tremont street, Boston, on Tuesday evening, April 17. The First Regiment is composed of Grand Cantons Shawmut, No. 1; Bunker Hill, No. 2; and Canton Ridgley, No. 13. All the militay bodies throughout the state will be represented. Quincy is well represented in the First Regiment.

Councilman Johnson a Deacon.

A member of the Cavalry Baptist church writes concerning the annual meeting this week, already reported, as follows:

At this meeting the members more than ever exhibited the Apostolic desire for the distribution of laborers which is the true secret of succes as those who have been in the front of the Lord, battle gladly and willingly gave place to other willing hands so that they also might take a fair share of the work.

Among the many officers elected the most outstanding was the election of brother John L. Johnson as deacon. Brother Johnson who is one our most esteemed city Councilmen is to the very core of his being a sound Baptist, of great force of Christian character and the better qualities which go to make true Christian manhood.

The past year has been one of marked advance in all the departments, of work in the church and Sabbath school. Our church debt has been greatly reduced by the willing offerings of the people, and regular church funds have been greatly augmented in the same way; while the attendance at our regular services have more than doubled. Altogether the outlook is most encouraging for the ensuing year. Many strangers are finding within our walls not only a home but the best of spiritual food and the warmest of Christian fellowship.

Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr celebrated the third anniversary of their wedding at their home on Granite street on Wednesday evening. The hours was spent very enjoyably. A dainty collation was served. Games and music were indulged in. Songs were sung by Mr. Angus Martin, A. Parsons and Miss Maggie Drumgold.

Those present were: Miss May Drumgold, Roderick McGregor, Miss Josie Nicholson, John McAuly, Effie McLennon, Archibald Parsons, Thomsena McLennand, Malcome Ross, May McDonald, Joseph Beatin, Maggie McLennand, John Wickham, Effie Stewart, Fred McKinnon, Maggie McFadden, Dan Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. T. Ross, Miss Effie Haven of Wollaston, Maggie Cook, Maria Stewart, Effie McLennand, Mr. Charles Fadder.

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March 28. tf

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Office, Adams Building, Quincy, Mass.

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"There is no country in the world in which young people are more ambitious to get into occupations in which they can earn a livelihood than the United States In fact, the hunger for work is too great for the good of our youth. Again, those youths who get the greatest amount of schooling furnish the most productive populations, as, for instance, Massachusetts, with its seven years of schooling for each boy and girl, produces in manufacture, commerce, and agriculture an aggregate of wealth per inhabitant which is nearly twice that of the average product of the nation. In 1880 this product was from seventy to eighty cents per day for each inhabitants, while that for the country at large was only forty cents. Of course the educated person wishes to save his hands by the employment of machines, and is not so willing to perform mere drudgery by hand when he can see methods of performing it by machines, but in the number of hours that he works per day and in the intensity with which he works he excels the illiterate laborer. A man of education does one day's work at his office and frequently does another day's work when he gets home for the evening. In regard to the declaration that education for women gives them a distaste for marriage with men of moderate means, and therefore increases the number of old maids I can only say that I do not wonder that an educated woman is more particular about the kind of husband she gets than an illiterate. Then again a woman with an academic training can afford to be independent to a certain degree. In closing I would like to quote these words by famous English authorities on the general subject of education and crime. Sir George Kekewich the head of the parliamentary school board for England and Wales says:—

"Every time I hear of a new school being opened I say to myself, there goes another prison." Sir John Gorst, one of the parliamentary leaders, says: "Every pound spend on the education of the young saves many pounds in the increased efficiency of the working population in the absence of the necessity for further jails and workhouses." Dr. Harris.

—It is said that Rouquefort cheese dates back to Pliny's time. Some of it smells as though it were a great deal older than that.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure.

No acid except that from the grape—pure, healthful cream of tartar—is used in Royal Baking Powder.

Royal Baking Powder imparts that peculiar sweetness, flavor and delicacy noticed in the finest cake, biscuit, rolls, etc., which expert pastry cooks declare is unobtainable by the use of any other leavening agent.

Alum is used in making cheap baking powders. If you want to know the effect of alum upon the tender linings of the stomach, touch a piece to your tongue. You can raise biscuit with alum baking powder, but at what a cost to health!

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

DIED.

DENTON—In Braintree, March 30, Mrs. Daniel Denton, aged 92 years and 14 days.
GAUDREAU—In Braintree, on Hall avenue, March 26, Alexina, wife of Frederick Gaudreau, aged 31 years.
CARMICHAEL—In Braintree, on Pond street, March 22, John R. Carmichael, age 60 years, 2 months, 9 days.

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Doctors recommend them for Biliousness, Sick Headache, Constipation, all Liver and Bowel Complaints. They cleanse the blood of all impurities. Mild in their action. Of great benefit to delicate women. One pill is a dose. Thirty pills in a bottle enclosed in wood—25 cents; six bottles, $1.00. Sold everywhere or sent post-paid.
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WATER FINANCES.

(Continued from page 1.)

Granite Shoe store,	24 00
C. M. Jenness,	5 58
Thomas Cotton,	10 50
Mike Crowley,	82 78
John Funningham,	1 36
George Rodman,	4 86
J. T. Havahan,	159 00
	$35,612 44
Balance,	$262 10

The material used as per report of the Commissioner was as follows:

30 hydrants.
68 gates.
8,987 feet of 2-inch pipe.
2,160 feet of 4-inch pipe.
6,394 feet of 6-inch pipe.
533 feet of 8-inch pipe.
144 feet of 10 inch pipe.
1,500 feet of 16-inch pipe.
411 services.

What should this material cost?

Commissioner Knowlton evidently intends to lay more pipe, and larger pipe, on the same appropriation, as he advertised for proposals for 29,760 feet, and none of it 2-inch pipe, as will be seen:

800 feet 16 inch, weighing 1500 pounds, per length of 12 feet.
300 feet 12 inch, weighing 950 pounds, per length of 12 feet.
6500 feet 10 inch, weighing 725 pounds, per length of 12 feet.
625 feet 8 inch, weighing 530 pounds, per length of 12 feet.
10,535 feet 6 inch, weighing 360 pounds, per length of 12 feet.
1,000 feet 4 inch, weighing 220 pounds, pe length of 12 feet.

Although there has been a sharp advance in pipe, the cost of all the above at the bid of $26.70 per ton accepted, is less than $12,000.

Doubly Sold.

The auction sale of the two houses on Coddington street, one owned by the Quincy Mutual Insurance Co. and the other by the Quincy City Hospital, made necessary by the widening of Coddington stroet, took place this morning.

The sale was advertised for 10.30 o'clock, but through an error on the part of the auctioneer, he commenced the sale at 10 o'clock. At that hour there were half a dozen present. The Insurance Company building was first sold, and was knocked off to Henry M. Faxon for $45. The second building was also sold to Mr. Faxon for $230.

As the spectators were walking off someone discovered that the hour advertised was 10.30. The auction notices were secured, and Auctioneer Crane acknowledged his mistake and agreed to set up the cigars. At the proper hour the buildings were again sold. The purchaser was the same, the only difference being that the Hospital building cost him $5 more, and was sold for $235.

The amount of national bank stock held by women in America is estimated at $130,000,000, and the amount of private and State bank stock at $170,000,000.

Farewell Sermon.

The Rev. Frank K. Baker of the East M. E. church, at Braintree, closed his pastorate with that church last Sunday. The New England Southern conference, which convened Wednesday at Providence, R. I., will appoint his successor.

Mr. Baker was born in Huntington, Pa., May 4, 1866. He graduated from Juniata college in the class of '87, and joined the California conference in 1888. His first pastorate was at Sonora, for one year, after which he was appointed to the Golden Gate church, Oakland. During a stay there of two years, he built a new church. He was pastor of the Ione church three years, during which time a new parsonage was built. At one of his meetings in this church, seventy persons made a profession of religion.

He was pastor at the Epworth church, San Francisco, for three years and was called back for a fourth year, but resigned to attend Boston university, taking a post graduate course. He has been there for three years, taking at the same time a course in philosophy at the college of Liberal Arts.

While at the university he has served the East Braintree M. E. church for two years, and has had great success. He has had the largest congregations ever known there, and the church seems to have taken on new life from the first. During this month nine people have been taken into the church.

Mr. Baker will leave April 11, with his wife and two children for a few weeks' stay at New York and will then spend some months with his parents in Pennsylvania. From there he will attend the next annual conference in San Francisco.

Mr. Baker has done considerable lecturing especially in the west and has been highly successful. He has also received a great deal of commendation in his church work, and all who have any knowledge of his work here will realize what a loss his leaving will be to the town. He has always identified himself with the young people, and as a result has brought many into the church. Everybody will remember the excellent work he did some time ago in forming Company B of the Boys' Brigade.

Following is a self-explanatory letter from Mr. Baker:

Mr. Editor:

Before taking my departure, I wish to say a few things about the work of the Boys' Brigade.

When I first came into this community, I found many of the boys drifting along through life without any noble purpose in view and subject to many temptations. My first impulse was to get hold of the boys and endeavor to influence them for true Christian manliness. Having the promise of assistance in the movement, I organized the boys into Company B. of the Boys' Brigade.

No sooner had I done this than the promised aid left me all alone in the work, which I managed to the best of my ability, and as my church and university obligations would permit time.

Success attended all our undertakings, and much wholesome enjoyment, as well as practical, moral uplifting, I believe, resulted to the members. But the older the institution grew, the heavier the burden grew for me, until after failing in my endeavors to secure some responsible person or persons willing to assume a share in the burden, I felt obliged to discontinue the work which I did with heaviness of heart.

The firm with whom we had delat in purchasing the equipment, held me personally responsible for all bills. Every member owned his own uniform, with the exception of a few who never paid for them, but nevertheless kept them just the same, the only property owned by the company being the guns and swords, the flag, the brass drum, cymbals and the bugle. All this part of the equipment was much the worse for usage, and but little could be realized on that part of it, which the firm reluctantly took back. However, all bills are now paid or provided for.

Some of the happiest hours which I have spent in this community have been when out some where in company with seventy-five boys and young men, or with them at our regular meetings, or addressing them as they sat in uniform before me in the church. I shall never forget my associations with them and wish to say as a parting word to them, "Boys make your record clear."

Personally, I think the parents and citizens who so liberally and freely supported this work financially. I have been assured by many that the work has not been in vain, and I rejoice in the knowledge of several cases in which the Boys' Brigade has proved the salvation of the boy or young man.

Yours respectfully,
F. K. BAKER.

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The Houses are in complete repair.

Farm, 50 acres, house and outbuildings, head Summer street.
Large store, 162 Hancock street, city water dry cellar and workshop.
House, 7 rooms, 12 Washington street.
Half House, 8 rooms, 16 Cottage street, with stable.
Half House, 4 rooms, 19 Kidder street.
Half House, 5 rooms, city water, 13 Field street.
Three tenements, 51 Howard street, Quincy Neck.
Double House, 4 rooms in each half, 15 Brackett street.
Half House, 6 rooms, Pond street. Land with same if desired.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 6 Water street.
Tenement, 3 rooms, city water, 8 Canal street.
Stable with city water, 28 Coddington street. $5 per month.
Stable and sheds near Quincy Centre on Coddington street. $4.00 per month.
Small stable, No. 2 Quincy street. $3 per month.
100 Windows and Blinds for sale.
Wharf, with office, blacksmith shops, etc. Quincy Neck.
Basement, head of Granite street.
Land to rent for tillage or pasturing purposes.
Gravel suitable for cementing, concreting and roofing for sale.
Fifty loads of loam for sale.
The Buildings are in the Very Best Condition.
For particulars, enquire of, or address
HENRY H. FAXON, Quincy, Mass.
Quincy, March 13, 1900. 1m

Thayer Academy Play.

The annual play by the senior class of Thayer Academy was presented at Braintree last Saturday evening before a large audience who received the young amateurs in a most kindly manner.

About 400 people witnessed the play which was carried through without a hitch and with surprising quickness, considering that this is the first time it has been given.

The play which is entitled "Sowing Wild Oats" resembles the "Private Secretary," which was given in Boston some years ago and overflowed with odd situations and quaint sayings.

Miss Nella Kingsbury of Holbrook, under whose direction the Academy plays have been so successfully given for some years showed great judgment in the selection of the cast and each character was well taken taken.

Alva T. Southworth of Holbrook, who played the part of "private secretary" was the especial star and his trials and tribulations near drove the audience into hysterics.

Charles McMahon as "Macdonald from India," was also a great favorite with the audience and filled his part most admirably.

"Lawrence MacDonald, who tries to be bad," and upon whom the play centres, was very naturally played by L. W. Newell and "Miss Edith Marsland, his fiancee," was prettily played by Miss Molly F. Kingsbury.

All the members of the cast took their parts very gracefully and naturally and easily showed the result of their careful training. Dancing followed the play until 12 o'clock with music by Cuff's orchestra.

THE CAST.

John Marsland, a wealthy land owner, G. H. Nutting 1901, Braintree
Miss Edith Marsland, his daughter, Miss Molly F. Kingsbury 1901, Randolph
Miss Eva Webster, her chum, Miss Helen Cuff 1902, So. Braintree
Miss Sarah Gildern, their governess, Miss Edith Crowell 1900, Wollaston
Mrs. Dickinson, the landlady, Miss Marion L. Barker 1901, Weymouth
Harry Marsland, Edith's sporty cousin, E. T. Brigham 1900, Wollaston
Lawrence Macdonald, who tries to be bad, L. W. Newell 1901, Braintree
Macdonald from India, his uncle, C. T. McMahon 1901, Braintree
Charles Roberts, private secretary, A. T. Southworth '99, Holbrook
Gilson, a fashionable tailor, Everett Winslow 1902, Quincy
Trip, a bill collector, H. M. Langley 1901, Randolph
Knox, Griff, Sheriff Officers, H. M. Langley 1901, Randolph
Peters, Marsland's butler, L. W. Hollis 1901, Braintree
L. E. Flye 1900, Holbrook

The play will be repeated in Holbrook next Friday evening.

—It is sometimes better taste not to recognize existence of certain things, than to doubly offend by mentioning them.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements in this column inserted at the following rates:

Four lines, or less, one day, - - - 25 cents.
" " three days, - - - 50 cents.
" " one week, - - - - 75 cents.

Additional lines will be charged for pro rata. Seven words equal a line. Long term rates furnished on application.

WANTED.

WANTED—Protestant Girl for general housework. One willing to go to New Hampshire for the summer. Apply at 26 Spear street, Quincy. March 27-5t

TO LET.

TO LET—Furnished Rooms with furnace heat and bath. Apply at 3 Cottage street, Quincy. March 31-3t

TO LET—Double House, seven rooms each, city water, No. 28 Granite street, near City square. Apply to LEWIS BASS. March 30. tf

TO LET—House, 8 rooms, city water, No. 7 Faxon Ave., now occupied by Warren D. Higgins. HENRY H. FAXON. Mar. 26. 1m

TO LET—On Elm Street. One-half of double house, five rooms and attic. City water. Apply on premises. S. C POPE, 31 Elm St. March 26-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One 100-egg Prairie State Incubator. Eggs from A-1 Barred Plymouth Rocks. A few Setting Hens. Call at No. 17 Field street, Quincy. March 29-3t

Wagons For Sale.

ONE Business Express or Butter and Egg Wagon, nearly new; one heavy Lumber Wagon nearly new, with heavy adjustable springs and double box, also a dump box attached; will carry over 4 tons; also a Coupe Carryall. Apply at 66 Newport avenue, corner Elmwood avenue, Wollaston. J. STROUP, SON & CO. March 6. 1m

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CLARENCE BURGIN, Treasurer.
Quincy, April 25. tf

B. F. CURTIS,

49 Elm Street, Quincy.

TO LET.

Single House of 5 rooms, and a good basement, on Elm place, near Universalist church. Rent $10 per month.

Two Half Houses of 6 rooms on Elm Place, in good repair. City Water. Rent $12.50 per month.

Half House of 5 rooms on Baxter Place. City water. $8.50 per month.

NO POCKETS IN A SHROUD.

Oh, ye who bow at Mammon's shrine,
Whose hearts with greed are growing cold,
Who turn your backs on things divine
And worship but the god of gold,
What will it profit you when death
Lays low the head so kingly proud
And robs the wasted form of breath?
There are no pockets in a shroud.

Your thoughts by day, your dreams by night,
Are but of grasping golden gain;
Your guide is but the beacon light
Of riches burning in your brain.
You cast all nobler aims behind
And struggle as a madding crowd
To clutch the dollars, but you'll find
There are no pockets in a shroud.

Ye usurers who grind the poor
Beneath a cold, relentless heel,
Who overshadow many a door
With cloud of misery and feel
No sympathy to see them lie
Beneath the hand of sorrow cowed,
Remember when you come to die
There are no pockets in a shroud.

What is the profit to the man
Whose life to Mammon has been given?
A bridge of gold can never span
The gulf between the earth and heaven!
What will it be to him to find
The wealth with which he is endowed
At death's gate must be left behind?
There are no pockets in a shroud.

This life is but a span; today
We're here, tomorrow we are gone,
Have faded from the earth away
Into eternity's strange dawn;
Yet in the hungry greed for gains
Too many at the gold shrine bowed
Forget that when the life spark wanes
There are no pockets in a shroud.

—Denver Post.

THE MOSS TROOPERS.

How a Body of Canadian Troops Unintentionally Invaded the United States

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Not far from a certain point on the long boundary line which divides the territories of American Jonathan from those of British John is a fair Canadian town which contributes a squadron of cavalry to that small but remarkably efficient little protective army known as the active militia. The major commanding this squadron is a fine fellow, take him by and large, but he has one small fault. He is a "little set in his ways," and "little" used in this connection is merely a qualification suggested by courtesy, for when he makes up his mind you could not convince him that he is not right with anything less than a Maxim at close range.

A few months ago the major commanding completed the cavalry school course necessary for the confirmation of his provisional commission and returned home with brain pan brimming with military enthusiasm. Of course the squadron enjoyed the benefit of his new ideas.

After various minor innovations came a deluge. Nothing would satisfy him but that the light dragoons must take a practice raid instead of camping at the town race course and enjoying dress parades, sham fights and flirtations with the young women visitors like any volunteer corps. In spite of a semimutiny, which was not entirely confined to the rank and file, he carried his point and proudly read off the department of militia's "permission" to his assembled troopers.

The whole town turned out to witness the start and cheered them nobly. Even old John Gribbs, who can show service medals for half a dozen regular army campaigns in foreign lands, declared that it "looked like the real thing this time, sure enough." Every scarlet coated trooper, in addition to usual equipment, had a bag of oats, three days' food rations for himself, blankets and extra kit strapped to his saddle. There were camp kettles, coffeepots, frying pans and what not. The small boys ran alongside of the departing cavalcade and screamed with glee. The general crowd voiced noisy wishes for the success of the outing. The troopers felt the martial blood stirring. All was joy and happiness, excepting perhaps among the well laden horses. But that is a detail. Amid noisy jingle of accouterments, applause from the onlookers and much raising of dust from the clumping hoofs away went the Light dragoons.

So long as they kept to the highways all was conventionally well, but of course the major commanding did not feel satisfied with this. He was out for the most realistic imitation possible of a wartime cavalry raid. And so on the morning of the second day, while the men were sleepily and reluctantly making ready to abandon their bivouac, he called his officers around him and laid down the law.

"Let us suppose that we are ordered to cut the enemy's line of communication at Blankville," explained the major commanding, at the same time pointing to the topographical map spread out at his feet.

"Bang up idea! Splendid! 'Pon honor!" chirped a junior lieutenant who was known to receive square envelopes bearing the postmark of the place.

"All the main roads are strongly patrolled," went on the major commanding impressively, "and it will be necessary to make a cross country trip. Here's where we are now," pointing to the map, "and here is Blankville. It's a fine chance for us to get in our rough riding."

"I should imagine so," remarked the veterinary lieutenant grimly. "All virgin country apparently. No settlers, but plenty of stiff hills, thick woods and broad swamps. If the horses can stand it, I'm sure I don't care."

"But how in the mischief will we find our way?" asked the senior captain, who was of a practical turn of mind. "Don't believe any of us know much about that section."

"Here's the map, and I'll plot our route by compass," declared the major commanding sternly, producing the latter article from his dispatch box. "It's one of the last things we took up at the cavalry school. The topographical instructor complimented me on the rapid progress I made in this branch of the voluntary studies."

The senior captain continued to look dubious, but it is hard to reason with even a faultless commanding officer. And the major—

So the light dragoons deserted the broad though winding road leading to known places and blindly followed their commandant in his bee line cross country trail.

It was prosaic field and pasture riding for the first few miles. Then came trees so close together that it was difficult to find passage wide enough for man and beast. The column had to wriggle its way along much after the fashion of a snake. Regions of rocky bowlders and impassable streams diverted them still further. Yet they held onward right lustily and traveled many miles, with occasional halts for rest and refreshment of chargers and men. About midnight, as they waded knee deep in muck, leading their worn out steeds by the bridles, striving to extricate themselves from an apparently interminable quagmire (which somebody had forgotten to show on the official map), all the rank and file and twelve-thirteenths of the officers made up their minds that the commandant guide was at fault. He, however, continued calm and serene, with sublime confidence in his new acquirement.

Early on the following morning, after as good a night's repose as it was possible to obtain in a mosquito infested vale, the squadron met new trouble. The air became full of smoke and wood ashes. The breeze brought along with it a sound of roaring and crackling which set the poor beasts to quivering and made the men impatient of delay. A forest fire evidently was raging in the neighborhood and speeding in their direction. It was a poor place for human beings, mounted or unmounted, to find themselves. Even the major commanding deemed it advisable to change their course temporarily, and they plugged along for several hours in an opposite direction to that from which the smoke seemed to be coming. Nevertheless the fire drew nearer, and with true pleasure they emerged out upon a promising road.

"Which way now, sir?" asked the senior captain, riding up to the commandant and casting sheep's eyes at the dusty thoroughfare, across which the members of the squadron were slowly urging their horses.

"Pass the word to halt, dismount and slacken girths for a short rest," replied the major, "but don't let either of the trumpeters sound a call or I'll strangle them."

"Eh? What?" ejaculated the subordinate.

"I'm afraid that I've made a confounded mess of it!" groaned the superior.

"Oh, we're all right now!" cried the other cheerfully. "We can make quick time by sticking to this road, and it's bound to bring us out somewhere."

"What do we look like?" demanded the major, with apparent irrelevancy.

"Er—I beg your pardon, sir," replied the senior captain, opening his eyes in astonishment at the question.

"What with faces and clothes scratched and torn from brambles and branches and plenty of dirt from soot and mud caked all over horses and men we are a pretty tough looking lot of soldiers of the queen! More like guerrillas or train robbers!"

"Why, my dear fellow," began the senior captain remonstratingly.

"Hush!" interrupted the major commanding. "I think I hear wheels coming along the road! Quick! Get the men to cover! Everybody hide! We must not be seen!"

Thunderstruck at the incoherent speeches of the commandant and beginning to suspect that his brain was affected, the senior captain did not make proper haste in executing the strange order, especially as it struck him that over a hundred troopers, with saddles half off their sweating steeds, could not find close ambush in a hurry. So the bulk of the squadron was on the road in plain view when the mysterious cause of their commandant's perturbation appeared at the bend.

It was a rattletrap of a buggy drawn by a similar specimen of a nag and holding a single individual, apparently a well to do farmer.

At sight of the soldiery the newcomer pulled the poor horse up on its haunches and without pausing for a second glance turned his vehicle so short that the off wheels went high off the ground and, lashing cruelly at the plunging quadruped, scurried out of sight again as if fiends were after him.

"Now, we've done it!" growled the major commanding. "At least I've done it," he added in a semiapologetic tone. "I've lost my way and brought you over the border. We're in the United States now."

"Hey!" snorted the captain.

"Yes, and that fellow in the buggy has gone off to report us to the authorities most likely," went on the other gloomily. "I suppose you can imagine what that means. With all due deference to the great republic, they are mighty touchy about such things as finding an armed body of British soldiery on their territory. They're not likely to listen to explanations for awhile. Shouldn't wonder if they made an international affair out of it. Our government will have to reprimand us anyway. I'll be broke, of course, and probably the squadron disbanded."

"What can we do?" voiced the senior captain pensively.

"Do? Nothing," replied the major commanding concisely. "But, as we're in for a lamb, we might as well take the whole sheep and start back home by this road."

"Well, that's better than it might be," put in the other philosophically.

"I don't know," went on the major relentlessly. "We will have to pass through Dashtown and maybe get arrested by the civil authorities and be jailed as suspicious characters."

"It'll have to be a pretty smart Yankee constable that can serve a warrant on us while we're galloping," affirmed the senior captain.

Just at this moment a shower of blazing sticks, hot coals and wood ashes set the horses to prancing, while the approaching clouds of smoke and increasing heat gave warning that it was no time to linger. The little mounted column was formed up in ranks and moved ahead at a brisk trot. But word of their predicament had been passed among them, and the faces of the troopers wore a by no means happy expression. Debouching from the thickest part of the forest about half an hour later, they came upon the outlying white houses and red barns of the American village of Dashtown. The road which they were traveling formed the main and only street of the hamlet, the buildings lining it upon either hand for a mile or more. At the crest of a little hill near the center of the place a lot of farm wagons, some of them loaded with hay and grain, were drawn across the roadway.

The Canadians were not left in doubt long as to the intentions of the people on whose domains they were trespassing. Several villagers stepped boldly out in front of the barricade and opened fire with rifles and long barreled ducking guns. The first bullet cut a gash in the plump cheek of Trumpeter Ned, and the healthy young fellow started in to bleed like a stuck pig.

"Steady, men! Halt!" cried the major commanding, with tears of anguish pouring down his cheeks, although his voice was like a rock.

The troopers reined in their chargers. Several bullets came pinging through the air, but luckily the distance was too great for accurate aim, and all the missiles after the first chance shot went wide or fell short of the mark.

"I want to acknowledge to you that it's all my fault getting you into this mess," bellowed the major wildly, "but for the honor of the service, we must take the medicine together. Right about face! Slow and easy! That's it. Retire at a walk!"

As if on parade, the Light dragoons had pivoted their chargers in the narrow roadway, and they fell back at the slowest pace possible to their tightly reined steeds. As soon as they were again in the shelter of the woods the column halted. The surgeon lieutenant proceeded to bind up the trivial wound of the elated young field musician. The major commanding swore roundly and in the intervals held forth to his assembled officers.

"I can't understand such a hostile reception," he rattled away indignantly. "Our nations are not at war, nor is there any danger of such a catastrophe just now, so far as I know. It's bad enough to be liable to civil arrest here and disciplining at home, without running the risk of being shot down on sight. I don't think there can be any more miserable feeling than this of being under fire without hope of retaliation. Those fellows"—

"If you will pardon me, sir," interrupted the senior captain, "I would point out that something must be done, and that very quickly. We have this forest fire drawing up rapidly on our rear and these armed villagers in front. Retreat by either flank I take to be out of the question, considering the trouble we've already had in navigating through the woods."

"Just so," put in the major commanding, his face slightly flushing as he spoke. "We will send a flag of truce forward. Have it made ready."

But something white that might serve for the signal of peace was hard to find among that flannel shirted squadron. The lint rolls of the surgeon lieutenant were the nearest thing to the color wanted, but they were a trifle too gray for the purpose. The major solved the problem by dismounting, unbuckling his sword and revolver belts and handing them and their attached weapons to an orderly. In spite of the protests of his confreres, he started to trudge along the road leading into the village.

"I've got you here, and I'm the one to get you out," he announced succinctly, if not grammatically. "They won't shoot a lone and unarmed man, even if he has no white flag. You know that as well as I do. But, of course, it is my duty to make provision even for the unexpected. If anything should happen to me," he went on, pausing a moment to turn and directly address the senior captain, "you will be in command. Surrender freely to the opposing forces and lay all the blame upon my amateur pilotage."

And he went on his way.

"Begorra! If anything does happen to the major, I don't intend to give myself up so easy," growled a quartermaster sergeant, resting carbine on the pommel of his saddle and proceeding to fill the magazine from his cartridge belt.

A dozen or more of the men at once followed his rash example. The officers were too intent upon the receding figure of their self appointed emissary to notice or check them.

The major strode along unharmed, although not unnoticed, as several gun barrels gleaming from behind piles of cordwood and other vantage points attested, until he was within 20 or 30 paces of the wagon barricade. Then a sturdy young farmer came forward and cried:

"How'dy, stranger? What might be your business?"

Although the major was puffing for breath by reason of combined excitement and walking exertion, he endeavored to shout an explanation of matters, but was interrupted by the other, who "cal'ated he'd best see Pop Smith." The officer was accordingly ushered in behind the barricade and brought before a tall and elderly man, who sat upon the top of an up ended cracker box, with his feet sprawled out in front. A long barreled rifle leaned against his left shoulder, while his two hands were employed in whittling thin slivers from a piece of clear pine with a keen edged hunting knife. All around him were grouped the men, women and children of the village.

Many were armed with rifles and guns, while the balance had cartridge belts, powder flasks and bullet pouches strung about them and evidently acted as a sort of ammunition reserve.

"Glad to meet yer, mister," remarked the elder after the major had been introduced by the young farmer. But he said this without so much as pausing or taking his eyes from off the whittling operations.

The major commanding told the tale of how they had all unknowingly strayed into the territories of the United States in as few words as possible and respectfully asked permission for his troop and himself to pass on to their own country unmolested.

"It sounds straight enough, stranger," replied Pop Smith as soon as the speaker had finished, "but I'll just cross question another witness. I've had my doubts about"— Stopping short in his evident misgivings and hurling the stick of wood upon which he had been whittling into an adjacent garden patch, he shut up the knife and called at the top of his lungs: "Seth! Seth Larkins! Where be you?"

"Here I be," a nasal voice replied, and a worthy whom the major commanding had little difficulty in recognizing as the occupant of the buggy which had so hastily retreated on catching sight of their array stepped forward.

"Naow, Seth, you told us that you saw a whole British army loaded down with plunder and looking like very devils, didn't you?" inquired the elder gravely.

"Well, there was a gang of them," answered the rustic surlily.

"And they fired a lot of cannon and rifles at you?" went on Pop relentlessly, with dry humor in his tone.

"No, I never said that," retorted the other quickly. "I said they was getting ready to when I dusted off so quick as not to give them any chance."

"But you saw in the papers that there was going to be war between England and Ameriky before long?"

"Yes, I've read that lots of times, and so've you."

"Seth Larkins," went on Pop Smith indignantly, "you've told some pretty tall hunting and fishing yarns in your day, but I vum if this last rigamarole don't lay over the whole biling of them." Then, turning suddenly upon the major commanding: "But, mister, there's one thing more needs to be cleared up. What's all that smoke behind you? If it hadn't been for that, we'd only laughed at Seth and his string of wild talk. It looks most tarnation like as if somebody had been setting fire to houses and barns and standing crops. I'm not going to take no"—

"The woods are blazing, and the fire is coming this way," hastily interrupted the officer. "There'll be houses and barns and standing crops burning in real earnest, and right around here, too, if something is not done in a hurry."

"Gosh all hemlocks!" ejaculated more than one of the male auditors.

"Have you any spare axes?" went on the Canadian.

"Hull gross new ones just come in," replied Pop, nodding across the street toward a store building which bore a sign reading, "Ebenezer J. Smith, Postoffice."

"Then I can help you fight the fire with a hundred good men," cried the major commanding, at once stripping off his uniform coat and climbing on top of one of the wagons of the barricade in order to signal to his troopers to come on. "We'll try a match to see which side can set the chips flying the fastest."

It was a great day. The combined forces of the townsmen and Light dragoons soon cleared a broad strip of woodland to fence off the advancing flames. The women and children made such a fuss over the wounded trumpeter that the boy is nearly spoiled for ordinary life. The troopers were feasted and entertained to the verge of acute gastritis. Moreover, they were passed free and clear to their own borders and everybody sworn to silence concerning their mishap. A certain rural company of a certain state national guard has accepted an invitation to invade Canada secretly next summer, and, if all goes as it should, some of them will meet brothers in law as well as in arms among the Light dragoons. —New York Press.

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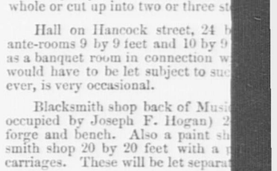

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Eleven Thousand British Troops Clear Kopjes of Boer Marauders.

Roberts Reports the Loss of Over a Hundred Men.

Kruger Proclaims That He Will Shortly Bombard and Destroy Bloemfontein.

London, March 31.—The head of the army of Lord Roberts is now about 21 miles north of Bloemfontein. It occupies a cluster of hills won from the Boers after a stiff fight, in which the British lost eight officers and 100 men. Lord Roberts' report of the fight follows:

Bloemfontein, March 3.—Owing to the activity of the enemy on our immediate front, and their hostile action towards the burghers who surrendered under the terms of my proclamation, I found it necessary to drive them from some kopjes they had occupied near the Karee Siding station, a few miles south of Brandfort. The operation was successfully carried out by the Seventh (Tucker's) division, assisted by the First and Third cavalry brigades, under French and LeGallais' regiment of mounted infantry. The enemy retreated to Brandfort, and our troops now hold the kopjes. Our casualties were: Killed, Captain Going; wounded, Captains Sellar, Luard, Peebles, Curgenven and Edwards, Lieutenants Coulson and French, and about 100 rank and file.

The Boers had been using these kopjes as a base for marauding bands that have been beating up the country adjacent to Bloemfontein for supplies, driving off cattle and forcing non-resistant Free Staters into their ranks again. The enemy must have been in considerable force, as Lord Roberts sent 8000 infantry and 3000 cavalry against them.

Lord Roberts' progress to Pretoria will probably consist of a series of such forward movements, in which Boer positions will be attacked by a portion of the army advancing rapidly with wheel transport, the main army coming up as the railway is repaired.

Lord Roberts is stripping the forces in the minor spheres of operations of their wagons and transport animals in order to hasten the advance. This is understood to be the reason why he recalled Lord Methuen from Barkly West.

Lord Roberts had to have Methuen's transport.

The reason why a hot chase was not made after Commandant Olivier is that Lord Roberts did not wish to wear out the cavalry transport. General French lost 3000 horses in the relief of Kimberley and the pursuit of General Cronje, Lord Roberts lost 3000 transport cattle at Watervaal Drift, and it is estimated that he has lost 4000 other animals since the forward movement began on Feb. 13.

The advance beyond Bloemfontein is through a bare country; and the supply officers foresee an increasing difficulty in providing for a great army moving along a single line of railway, even when the latter is working smoothly and with ample rolling stock.

The Canadian mounted rifles were part of the force that occupied Kenhardt yesterday.

The rebellion throughout the northwest districts of Cape Colony is almost suppressed.

The Goth will sail Saturday with 600 men for St. Helena to guard General Cronje and 4000 prisoners.

The Bloemfontein correspondent of The Daily Chronicle, telegraphing March 23, says: President Kruger's latest proclamation warns the women and children to leave Bloemfontein within five days, as he intends to bombard and destroy the city and to shoot the burghers whom he captures there.

Lake City Lynching Recalled.

Charleston, March 31.—It is announced that the Lake City lynching trial will not be called at the approaching term of the circuit court. Thirteen white citizens of Lake City have been tried once for the murder of Postmaster Baker. The result was a mistrial. Since the trial Baker's wife and children have gone to Boston. Attorney General Griggs has instructed the district attorney to ask for a continuance of the case when it is called on Tuesday next.

Extensive Japanese Immigration.

San Francisco, March 31.—Working men in this state are becoming alarmed at the steadily increasing number of Japanese immigrants. It is stated that since Jan. 1, 1899, no less than 3420 laborers from Japan have arrived in this country. According to labor commissioners 7000 passports have been obtained in Japan for laborers intending to come to this country.

Nashua Cutters Get Eight-Hour Day.

Nashua, March 31.—The granite cutters' strike in this city has ended. The chief point in the agreement between the employers and the employes is that eight hours will be the length of the working day, or one hour less than formerly.

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WHOLESALE MARKETS WAITING,

But Retail Business Expects a Large Spring Distribution—Numerous Advances in Wages.

New York, March 31.—Bradstreet's says: It has been a quiet week in distributive trade, except at some few western centers, this being especially true of the dry goods business. Wholesale trade in this line has been generally completed, and pending the effect of spring demand upon the retail trade, the markets are in a waiting stage. Cold, chilly weather has certainly retarded this latter branch of trade, but a large spring distribution is confidently expected at retail.

As regards prices, the feature of the week has been the strength manifested by agricultural products and provisions. Numerous advances in wages have still further advanced the purchasing power of the community. Disquieting advices as to international complications and less favorable French crop reports furnished the basis for a slight upward movement in wheat. It is to be noted also that foreign and domestic demand for wheat flour has been very good. Corn has been strong, in sympathy with wheat and some renewal of foreign buying, aided by unsatisfactory advices as to the quality of new arrivals.

Alone of the agricultural staples cotton has weakened because some speculative holders have gotten tired and have given ear to reports of dullness in the cotton goods demand. New business in this latter line is undoubtedly quiet.

Wool has been more active, but considerable business has been done at concessions. The decrease in raw wool, in fact, has marked it as differing from other lines in which prices have receded little from the highest.

Little that is new is observable in the iron and steel trade. New business is of a hand to mouth character, and this might be regarded as a depressing feature were it not for the fact that producers are so heavily sold ahead.

The recent advance in leather has tended to restrict new business, but advices from the boot and shoe industry are on the whole favorable.

Bank clearings for the week aggregate $25,378,338, a decrease of 53 percent from this week a year ago.

Fireworks Won't Be Used to Celebrate.

St. John, March 31.—The hardware establishment of George F. Beverly was destroyed last evening. Fireworks had been put in the window in anticipation of a demand on the announcement of the relief of Mafeking. Last evening as the proprietor was lighting the gas, a drop of burning was fell from the taper among the crackers. A few minutes later 100 pounds of powder exploded. Plate glass windows in the neighborhood were shattered, several of the by-standers were blown off their feet and a number were badly cut by falling glass. The loss amounts to $10,000.

Disastrous Fire at Chicago.

Chicago, March 31.—The Columbia theater was destroyed by fire yesterday, entailing a total loss of about $190,000. The fire was discovered in the laundry of the Iroquois club, which occupied apartments on the sixth floor of the building. It is supposed that some hot coals dropped from the stove to the floor. Occupants of the building were driven to the street in such haste that in the excitement five persons were injured. There were gallant rescues of girls employed in the laundry.

Engineers and Doctors Wanted.

Washington, March 31.—In reply to inquiries from this country in regard to openings for Americans in Nicaragua, Consul Donaldson, at Managua, writes that American engineers, physicians, surgeons and dentists may find remunerative employment in that country. There are no chances for our young graduates in the Nicaraguan schools, as the salaries are very insignificant, and the customs so different that Americans rarely prove successful.

Harvard Defeats Yale In Debate.

New Haven, March 31.—Harvard won the annual debate with Yale last night, the question being: "Resolved, That Puerto Rico Should Be Included In the Customs Boundaries of the United States." Harvard had the affirmative side of the question. The debate was well contested throughout, with the Harvard debaters showing somewhat better form and manner.

Contest Was Slow.

Hartford, March 31.—Gus Ruhlin defeated Yank Kenney in the sixth round of their fight at the Coliseum last night. Both men were big and fat and were so slow that the contest was nothing but a slugging match. Kenney dropped from a body blow. He seemed to be in pain and did not rise until after the 10th count.

Russia's Warlike Preparations.

London, March 31.—The Sebastopol correspondent of The Daily Graphic says: War alarms fill the naval headquarters here. The garrison will soon be a powerful army corps. All the talk is of bringing Turkey to her senses by forcible measures.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Governor General Wood says he hopes by May to have reduced Havana's municipal budget to $100,000 a month. Last December he found the figures exceeding $200,000.

Former Congressman James W. Owens died at Newark, O., aged 62. He served in the Fifty-first and Fifty-second congresses.

Gilbert W. Pratt has ended his services as superintendent of the Lonsdale company's mills, Pawtucket, R. I. He had been in the employ of the company since 1866.

Rev. George J. Bloomfield, pastor of the Weeden Street Congregational church, Pawtucket, R. I., has received a call to the Congregational church at Machias, Me.

COUNSEL "TREATED" JURORS.

Court Asked to Annul Verdict and Grant a New Trial on That Account.

Greenfield, Mass., March 31.—The American habit of "treating" has been brought to the attention of the Massachusetts court as the alleged sufficient ground to annul a verdict given by a jury, and in this instance the specific allegation is that some of the jurors who were trying the issue were the ones who were "treated." The contention is a novel one, but is brought under a statute that is deemed to fit the case.

Official notice of the "treating" habit was brought in the superior court yesterday, when motions were made for new trials in the cases of Mary Connor vs. Daniel J. Connor and trustee, and Mary Shea vs. Bert Crackenbush, on the allegation that counsel for both defendants "treated" several of the jurors, in a local saloon, during the present term of the court, at which the actions were tried and verdicts found for both defendants. The affidavit of M. O. Vincent of Shelburne, one of the jurors, states that on the evening of March 29, after the verdicts had been found, he, together with G. Wells Frary of Bernardston, Arthur J. Hale of Conway and Edward B. Murdock of Northfield, all jurors, visited a saloon with the lawyers and Connor and were treated to cigars and liquor, which were paid for by one of the attorneys.

The motion for a new trial was made under the statute which provides that "if either party in a case in which a verdict has been returned, during the same term of court, either before or after the trial, gives to any of the jurors who try the case anything by way of 'treat' or gratuity the court may on motion of the adverse party set aside the verdict and award a new trial of the case." The motion will be heard at a special assignment.

Testified Against His "Partner."

Boston, March 31.—In the United States district courtroom yesterday during the trial of George E. Litchfield and William Davis, charged with counterfeiting, Davis, the co-defendant with Litchfield, who confessed to his share in the work months ago and is now serving his sentence, made a dramatic plea, when he cross-questioned his fellow defendant, then took the witness stand and told what he said was a true story of the counterfeiting operations at Winthrop. By his story Litchfield was made to have a very important part in the case.

Disagrees With Bishop Potter.

Boston, March 31.—In a lecture here last night, Rev. Fr. McQuaid replied to some published statements credited to Bishop Potter. Fr. McQuaid denied that the Filipinos were exceptionally immoral, or that their standard of living was lowered by the priesthood. He denied that they were superstitious to any special degree, saying: "Talk about your superstition, when in Boston a man who makes lucky boxes in Lynn for 2 cents apiece sells them for a dollar."

Pritchett Succeeds Crafts.

Boston, March 31.—The corporation of the Massachusetts institute of technology, at a special meeting, confirmed the election of Dr. Henry S. Pritchett as president of the institution, in place of Professor W. A. Crafts, resigned. Dr. Pritchett, who is 43 years of age, is the present chief of the United States coast survey, is a native of Missouri and has a world-wide fame as an astronomer and mathematician.

Walsh Whipped by Walcott

New York, March 31.—Joe Walcott, the welterweight, defeated Andy Walsh, who is in the middleweight class, in a 20-round bout last night. Walcott weighted 142 pounds, while Walsh weighed 154 pounds. The greater part of the betting was done on the basis of Walsh not lasting 10 rounds, and Walcott's backers were financial losers.

Individual Dealers Given a Chance.

Boston, March 31.—The milk dealers of this vicinity have come to an agreement by which competition in the trade will end, thereby giving the individual dealers a chance to make money. It is claimed that competition was so keen that 75 percent of the milk routes were mortgaged and many milkmen were giving valuable considerations to influence trade.

Probably Fell Overboard.

New Haven, March 31.—Joseph H. Younger, a skipper on one of the coal barges belonging to the New England Transportation company, has been missing since last Wednesday, and it is believed he fell overboard and was drowned. Captain Younger was 35 years old, unmarried and belonged in Dennisport, Mass.

A Mile In 46 3-5 Seconds.

Hartford, March 31.—The home trainer record of 53 seconds held by C. M. Murphy has been broken here by Major Taylor, who rode the mile in 46 3-5 seconds. The exhibition was given on a home trainer in a local bicycle dealer's window.

Alleged Stabbing With Scissors.

Providence, March 31.—Giovanni Dolce was yesterday bound over to the grand jury for assaulting Diamonte Capelli with a dangerous weapon. The two men were in a liquor saloon and quarreled after a game of cards. In the quarrel it was claimed that Dolce stabbed Capelli with a pair of scissors, causing a painful wound.

Death's Sudden Call.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 31.—Miss Elizabeth Griscoll, aged 19, cousin of Vicar General Doran of the Providence diocese and sister of Rev. Fr. Griscoll, dropped dead during the services at St. Mary's Catholic church here Friday night.

—The Ram's Horn has noticed that men always begin to differ when they begin to think.

WITHOUT PRECEDENT.

Naval Policy Board Will "Keep Tabs" on Resources of Other Nations.

To Provide Advance Plans of Naval Campaigns.

Not to Be Caught Napping Regarding Geography of Foreign Countries.

Washington, March 31.—The first meeting of the naval policy board has been called for April 15, and thereafter the board probably will meet once a week until it has reduced its work to routine form.

The work of the board will be without precedent. It is true that heretofore what are known as the intelligence bureaus of the war and navy departments have endeavored to compile and have in shape for use in case of hostilities information respecting the resources, in a warlike way, of other nations. But this work was an incident to the routine duties of the intelligence officers, and owing to lack of systematic direction has never been of more than ephemeral value.

The policy board is to undertake this work on larger lines and probably will be guided by European methods. It will be its business to provide in advance and have ready for instant use completely worked out plans of naval campaigns, offensive and defensive, applicable to any maritime power with which the United States may by any possibility come into hostile conflict in the future.

The preparation of these plans involves an enormous amount of work, theoretical and practical. The military and naval resources of foreign countries must be ascertained to a nicety, and this information must be renewed from the latest sources from time to time. Accurate coast charts and plans of defenses must be secured in order to avoid as far as possible the serious omission made by the British authorities in the case of the geography of the Transvaal.

The war college probably will be called upon to assist in the work by continuing on an enlarged scale the planning of the utilization of the United States naval forces in defensive campaigns. Another branch of the work will be the preparation of plans for naval operations when the navy is called upon to act in conjunction with the army, both offensively and defensively.

This involves questions of harbor defense, and the protection of the naval stations. The Pearl harbor board is now engaged in a scheme for the establishment and fortification of a naval station in that harbor, and it is probable that this report will be submitted to the policy board before any attempt is made to carry into effect its recommendations. It is possible that when Pearl harbor has been disposed of steps will be taken to consider the establishment of a naval station on the island of Guam.

Arrested on Suspicion.

Danvers, Mass., March 31.—A man about 40 years old, giving his name as Byron Green, was arrested in Medford about 1 o'clock Friday morning on suspicion of being the person who assaulted little Ruth Allen in this town on Thursday. When arrested Green was wandering about the streets, and claimed that he was being pursued by someone who had threatened to take his life. He was brought to Danvers and locked up. The prisoner is either insane or is making a very shrewd attempt at feigning insanity.

Death Under Peculiar Circumstances.

Middletown, Conn., March 31.—Mrs. John Haskell, the widow of a former prominent business man, died yesterday after a long illness with paralysis, aged 66. Less than an hour later her brother, Frederick Wilcox, aged 70, entered the death chamber and fell to the floor by the side of the bed where the lifeless form of Mrs. Haskell was. He died almost instantly from heart disease. Mr. Wilcox was a director in the Middletown National bank.

Verdict of 6 1-4 Cents In Color Line Case.

Pittsburg, March 31.—The jury in the case of Assistant District Attorney Billows against William J. McCarthy, a restaurant keeper, who refused to serve a meal to Billows and his companion, Congressman White of North Carolina, also colored, returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for 6¼ cents. Billows asked $5000 damages.

Polygamous Postmaster Removed.

Washington, March 31.—It is announced at the postoffice department that J. C. Graham has been removed as postmaster at Prevo, Utah. Graham was removed as a result of an investigation by the house postoffice committee of charges that he was a polygamist. The committee found that he was guilty as charged.

Sheet Steel Combine Formed.

New York, March 31.—Announcement is made of the formal organization of the American Sheet Steel company, with a capital of $52,000,000. All the leading sheet steel manufacturers in the country are represented in the new corporation.

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C. F. Carlson, near Quincy depot.
A. E. Hall, Washington St.
QUINCY POINT—Miss Freeman's store.
A. B. Wrisley, Washington St.
SOUTH QUINCY—Peter Haverly, Water St.
W. E. Nightingale, 80 Water street.
F. J. Pierson, 96 Granite St.
O. D. Chick, 59 Liberty St.
WEST QUINCY—Coram's Periodical Store.
BREWER'S CORNER—Emma Lark.
WOLLASTON—Shunk's news stand.
WOLLASTON PARK—Loring's Pharmacy.
NORFOLK DOWNS—Branscheid & Marten.
ATLANTIC—Branscheid & Marten.
HOUGHS NECK—Arthur Dunham at P. O.
EAST MILTON—William Clark.
EAST WEYMOUTH—George H. Hunt.
WEYMOUTH—J. R. Walsh.
NORTH WEYMOUTH—B. F. Thomas.

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MOON'S PHASES.

New Moon	1	6:25 a.m.	Full Moon	16	3:12 a.m.
First Quarter	8	0:34 a.m.	Third Quarter	24	0:36 a.m.
New Moon	30	3:30 p.m.			

HERE AND THERE.

Local Brevities of the City of Presidents.

Silas H. Cobb is quite ill with the grip and Walter H. Cobb his son is also ill with the same ailment.

It was a year ago today that Co. K was mustered out of the United States service and a number of the members will dine tonight in Boston to commemorate the event.

Miss May Purdy of the Granite Shoe store has accepted a position in the Water office at City Hall, succeeding James F. Merrill who will do inspecting.

The Middleboro Gazette of March 23, said: "Dr. A. Percival Thompson, who removes this week to Wollaston, leaves behind him a host of friends. The young people will miss him very much from their circle. He is well equipped for his professional career, a gradnate of the Middleboro High school in the class of 1889, a graduate of Tufts college in 1893, and of Boston University in 1897. His growing practice led us to hope that he was one of Middleboro's permanent residents, but he seeks a wider sphere of usefulness. Wollaston gains a cheerful presence and companionable, and a good, clean, skilful physician. We wish him health and prosperity in his new home."

WEYMOUTH.

The Rev. Lamuel G. Babcock, Archdeacon of New Bedford, will make his official visitation to Trinity Church, Weymouth on Wednesday April 4.

There will be service in the church at 7.30 P. M. and the archdeacon will preach.

Miss Agnes Hyde, the noted dramatic reader, read at Union hall, Boston, Tuesday evening.

In addition to the services at Trinity church Weymouth, on Sunday Rev. William Hyde will preach in Gardner St. Chapel, South Hingham, at 2 45 P. M.

There was a large meeting of the Parish Guild of Trinity church at the residence of Mrs George Hunt, Summer street, Weymouth, on Thursday evening.

—Col. Charles Spring, Deputy Sheriff of Plymouth County, died at his home on Thaxter street, Hingham, at one o'clock Thursday morning. The funeral will be at his late home Saturday at 3 P. M., Rev. Merrill C. Ward, officiating. Burial in the Fort Hill cemetery at W. Hingham. Col. Spring was widely known and loved throughout the South Shore District. Few men had more friends or enjoyed them better. Last August he and Mrs. Spring celebrated their golden wedding. He was born in Saco, Me., in May 1825, but for over fifty years has been a resident of Hingham.

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BRAINTREE.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred F. Powers of Norfolk Hills have been entertaining a little daughter since Thursday morning.

W. Stanwood Field, principal of the Monatiquot school, will spend his Easter vacation in Washington, D. C., and Richmond, Va.

Schools closed yesterday for the annual spring vacation.

The new arc lights are a great improvement to the evening perspective of the town—especially were they appreciated after the inky darkness of the past week.

Miss Nellie M. Borden is enjoying a ten days' vacation from Bridgewater Normal school, and is spending part of the time visiting friends in Cambridge and Arlington.

The next meeting of the Jonas Perkins School Association will be held at the residence of Louis J. Hart, Lisle street, on Tuesday evening next.

Rev. F. K. Baker preached his farewell sermon last Sunday at the M. E. church. Much regret is expressed in losing such an able, smart and energetic preacher as Mr. Baker has proved himself to be in his untiring efforts in behalf of the interests of the society.

Miss Lilla Kibble of Tremont street is recovering from a severe attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Daggett of Providence, R. I., were in town this week visiting Mr. Daggett's mother on Hancock street,

Thursday, March 29, was taken by the teachers of the Jonas Perkins school for their semi-annual visiting day. They visited schools in Malden, Melrose, Quincy and Somerville.

George Atkinson engineer at D. B. Closson & Co.'s shoe factory will commence at once upon the erection of a new family residence on academy avenue. Herbert Borden the local contractor has the contract for the carpenter work.

Last Wednesay evening on the Cochato Club alleys the Norfolks of South Weymouth defeated our team: Norfolks 2,341; Cochatos 2,296.

Next Wednesday evening a bowling team from the Commercial club of Brockton will try to defeat the Cochatos on the Cochato alleys. The game is to be played at 7.30 and a large attendance of members and their friends will be on hand, to watch the sport.

Mrs. Daniel Denton of Braintree died at her home on Washington street yesterday noon at the age of 92, of paralysis. She was born within a few feet of the house in which she died, and has lived there ever since, first as Miss Susan Thayer and afterwards as Mrs. Daniel Denton. Her life has been very uneventful and she was known to but few people outside of her immediate vicinity

Mrs. Eliza S. Hobart of Washington treet is reported as being critically ill.

The men at the electric light plant at East Braintree, have been busy for a few days rewinding the armature and field magnets of the old house lighting dynamo, so that it may be used on the new system. As the new dynamo has been needed for the house lights, the street lamps could not be operated.

The Ladies' Aid society connected with the Universalist church met Wednesday afternoon, March 28, with Mrs. Mary Luvia Edgehill Harvey Brigham on Pond street. This week the regular meeting and a good deal of business was put through. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Henry Arnold on Middle street at 2.30 p. m. April 4 at 6.00 p. m., the ladies will serve a supper to the public and at 7.45 an entertainment, two dialogues, etc., will be given.

Last Sabbath morning Mr. Ellworth preached to a large congregation on "Christianity Unity, the ground of power and success" and in the evening "on respect and reverence for all men." He criticised much of the political detraction of honorable men and the terms of reproach applied to different nationalities who make their homes with us, from which comes irreverence in our youth.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Home Missionary society will be held in the church parlor, Wednesday afternoon. The yearly business will be transacted at four o'clock. Members are requested to bring or send their subscriptions. Supper will be served at half after six o'clock, to which the gentlemen are invited.

The many friends of Robert E. Whitman will be sorry to learn that he has resigned his position with the Braintree Clothing Company. He will go into business with his brother, George, in Concord, N. H.

A Card.

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G. G. MURRAY,
G. A. LORING, Wollaston,
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FIRST SCHOOLMASTER.

(Continued from last week.)

A second school for the whole year is presently established.

7 March, 1720. "The Moderator then proposed whether the reading and writing school should be kept the whole year annually at the south end of the town, for the town. It passed on the affirmative."

As not infrequently happened, there was difficulty about designating the place for the movable school.

17 May, 1720. "It was then also voted, that there shall be a writing or reading school annually for the whole year to be kept in the south precinct, in such place or places as a committee now to be chosen, to join with the major part of the selectmen, Mr. Joseph Crosby, Lt. Samuel Allen and Mr. Ephraim Thayer, shall agree, and to agree with the schoolmaster."

15 May, 1728. "The moderator then put the question to the town whether the middle precinct in the town should have liberty to move the school now kept in that precinct to two other places, to be kept at each place a third of the year, or half a year at each, if the said precinct see cause; provided the said precinct will be at the whole charge of such removal, the places nominated being one at the southeast corner of the little pond where the ways part, and the other near the house of Nathaniel Wales. And it was voted in the affirmative."

The following vote begins to show the movement still further southward towards Randolph.

2 November, 1730. "A memorial of the new south precinct was then laid before the town which was presented at the last town meeting, concerning a school there; and the question being put whether the new south precinct shall have eight pounds paid out of the town's treasury toward supporting a school in that precinct yearly until the town take further order, the first year to be understood to commence from March last past; it passed in the affirmative."

Things went on so for thirty years. It then became time to fix the sites of the school houses. The next vote in order is of the 11th of March, 1763:—

"Voted, That there be a schoolhouse built in each precinct of said town at the town's expense.

"Voted, That the schoolhouse in the middle precinct be erected on the southeast corner of Mr. Benjamin Hayden's land at the lane leading to Mr. Lemuel Thayer's.

"Voted, That the schoolhouse in the north precinct be erected opposite to the ten mile stake.

"Voted, The south precinct have liberty to provide a place for to erect a school house."

Such is the history of the rise and progress of public education in the town, until the period of separation. Considering the paucity of the population and the extent of the surface over which it was spread, the provision seems to have been timely made and quite sufficient for the occasion. Of the progress of the three towns since, it would be difficult to give an adequate sketch without swelling the Appendix too much. It will be enough perhaps to give in brief compass a view of the general condition of the system at this time.

There were attending school in 1874-75, within the original limits of Braintree:—

In Braintree,	678
Holbrook,	352
Quincy,	1,715
Randolph,	753
	3,498

TODAY'S COURT.

Frank Kennedy was arraigned for the larceny of eighteen bars of pig lead, valued at $90, from John Stuart at Weymouth. Examination in the lower court waived, and Kennedy was held in $200 for the grand jury.

James D. Fox was arraigned for assault on Edward T. Hand, and William E. Fox was arraigned for assault on Elizabeth M. Hand at Randolph. They were fined $5 each.

The continued case of Arthur W. Buntin, for violating the plumbing ordinances of Quincy by doing plumbing without a license was heard. He was found guilty and fined $5, from which an appeal was taken.

Keith's Theatre.

One of the greatest vaudeville programs ever arranged in this country is that offered at Keith's for the week commencing Monday April 2. It is headed by Camille D'Arville, the famous operatic prima donna, who is one of the highest-priced singers ever secured in the continuous, as she is still in her prime as a vocalist, and includes the following notable entertainers; Ezra Kendall, king of the monologuists, one of she funniest men on the stage; the United States Carlisle Indian Band (50 pieces), which is making a preliminary tour of the country prior to their departure for the Paris Exposition; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sidman, in their delightful comedy sketch, "Back Home," which is absolutely the best one-act piece of the kind in the varieties; Josephine Gassman, and her Pickininnies, singing coon songs. There are several others, but the foregoing will convince anyone at all familiar with vaudeville that nothing like this show has ever before been offered in Boston.

—The curfew now rings at nine o'clock every night at Hingham.

—There were six deaths at Duxbury the first of the week and five of them were over eighty years of age.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

5th SUNDAY IN LENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, — Rev. Walter Russell Breed, rector. Holy Communion and sermon at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School and confirmation class at 12 M. Adult baptism at 12.30 P. M. At 7 o'clock annual visitation of Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, D. D., Bishop of the diocese.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Ellery C. Butler pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers at 4. Teachers' meeting at chapel on Tuesday evening at 7.30, conducted by pastor.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Bible School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15 P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Praise service followed by address: "The pioneer leader of South Africa."

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Edward Anderson, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "Economy of life." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 P. M. Evening service at 7.15. Rev. Edward Norton will preach. Subject: "From Jerusalem to Jericho." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. Rev. Edward Norton will preach.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street—Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Ordination of Brother John L. Johnson as deacon. Lord's Supper at close of service. Sabbath School and pastor's Bible class at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Revival discourses; revival of the few." Prayer meeting Friday at 7.30 P. M. All welcome.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square — Rev. W. W. Dornan, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Subject: "At ease in Zion." Sabbath School and Bible class at 11.45 A. M. Y. P. S. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "The greatest question in life." Prayer meeting Thursday at 7.30 P. M. All cordially invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water street—Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by Mr. Richard Evans, of Boston University, both morning and evening. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Merrill C. Ward, pastor. Preaching at 2.30 P. M. Anniversary sermon before Merrymount lodge, No. 55, I. O. G. T. Subject: "The moaning of the bar." Sunday School at 3.45 P. M. Y. P. C. U. at 7 P. M. Subject: "Consecration, what is it? What is it not?"

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOLLASTON—Rev. Edward A. Chase, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor, Subject: "Jesus' talk with the Pharisee on spiritual blindness." Sunday School at 12.15 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. P. M. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "Opportunities for soul culture."

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Frank Wright Pratt, pastor. Morning service. at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Beginning of a series of talks by the pastor in the church at 12 o'clock, on the The Great Affirmations. Subject tomorrow: "God." All welcome.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Preston Gurney, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Christian fellowship." Sunday School at 12.10 P. M. Evening service at 7.30.

WOLLASTON METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. J. E. Waterhouse, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon followed by communion service. Sunday School at 12 M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. People's service at 7. Grand gospel praise meeting. Subject: "The newspaper and the kingdom of God, or the Rev. C. M. Sheldon's experiment as editor of the Topeka Capital." All welcome.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Atlantic—Rev. J. H. Whitaker, pastor. Residence, 21 Billings street. Morning preaching service at 10.45. Sermon by pastor. Subject: "Come unto Me." Mr. E. P. Rowse, soloist. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Friday evening service at 7.30 o'clock. All cordially invited.

CHRISTADELPHIAN LECTURE — The Christadelphians of Quincy invite you to a lecture to be delivered in Orangeman's Hall, 110 Hancock street at 7.30 P. M. The subject is: "If a man die shall he live again." All are welcome. Seats free, no collections.

Castle Square Theatre.

The Castle Square Theatre management announces as the attraction at this house for the coming week the comedy, written by Brander Matthews and George H. Jessop, "A Gold Mine," originally acted by John T. Raymond in 1887 and two years after made popular throughout the country by Nat Goodwin and his company. The story of the play deals principally with the adventurers of a big hearted American, who, while visiting in England with a view of selling a gold mine, falls in love with a fair widow and is by her protected from the results of his generosity for selling his mine for half its value to pay the debts of a younger relative of the widow. The action passes in the home of a wealthy English gentleman of rank; the play has many amusing scenes and situations. The cast arranged is as follows:—Silas K. Wolcott, John Craig; Gerald Rirodan, Tony Cummings; Sir Everard Foxwood, J. L. Seeley, George Foxwood, Charles Mackey; The Hon. Mrs. Meredith, Lillian Lawrence; Miss Una Foxwood, Mary Young; Mrs. Vandervast, Leonora Bradley. Following "A Gold Mine," on Monday, April 9, the Castle Square theatre company will appear in the laughable comedy, "The Private Secretary," and the custom of presenting all patrons of the Monday matinees with a box of choice chocolate bon bons will be continued until further notice.

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Strikers' Riot In Pennsylvania.

Dubois, Pa., March 31.—The striking miners at the Horatio mines of the Berwind-White Coal Mining company last night attacked the miners who have remained at work. Women and children aided the strikers. Over 100 shots were fired. Three were wounded. Forty men and women were arrested. Further trouble is expctd.

Batson Made a Major.

Washington, March 31.—Lieutenant Batson, the leader of the little band of native scouts which rendered such effective service in the campaign in Luzon, has been selected as the organizer of a battalion of Macabebes, which is to serve as the necleus of the force of native Filipinos to be raised hereafter. He will return to Manila with the rank of major.

Was a Writer, Lecturer and Preacher.

Manchester, N. H., March 31.—Rev. Thomas A. Dorion died here Friday of paralysis. He was the pioneer mission worker of the Methodist denomination among the French-Canadians in this state and was widely known as a writer and lecturer, as well as a preacher. He was of Huguenot descent and a native of Canada.

Machinists' Strike Settled.

Chicago, March 31.—The settlement of the strike in the machine shops of Chicago was reached yesterday. It is a settlement which is to be national in its scope, and under its terms the general strike timed to involve the 150,000 machinists of the country, about April 1, will be averted.

Reformer Again Free.

London, March 31.—The Times' Hong Kong correspondent says: Kwong-Yu-Pui, the Chinese reformer, recently abducted from Hong Kong and taken to Canton, has escaped and is safe at Macao.

Weather Conditions and Forecast.

The disturbance which has been passing over the country since last Sunday morning, after reaching North Carolina, turned to the northward. Rains and snows have continued from the middle Mississippi valley eastward to the middle and South Atlantic coast. Generally fair weather may be expected over all districts, except in eastern and southern New England, where it will rain or snow, followed by clearing weather.

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